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HOUSE AND SENATE ARE INSISTING ON WAR.

Diplomacy.

LATIN BID FOR PEACE FROM SOUTH AMERICA.

But Our War Preparations Will Go on With Unabated Vigor.

Wilson Accepts from Argentine, Brazil and Chile a Formal Offer to Act as Intermediary to Co-operate With Washington in the Elimination of Huerta "If the Latter Consents."

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Those officials who have studied Huerta's personality as it has been revealed to them, and his stubborn indifference to any plan which would eliminate him from the head of the Mexico City government, were skeptical tonight of the success of the peace plan.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Pan-American diplomacy tonight made its first attempt to solve the Mexican crisis by peaceful negotiation.

The United States government accepted from Argentina, Chile and Brazil a formal offer to act as intermediaries in the present situation, but reservedly pointed out that an act of aggression by the military forces or hostile demonstrations toward Americans might upset hopes of immediate peace.

The Brazilian, Argentine and Chilean envoys transmitted the United States' acceptance of their proposal to the Spanish Ambassador, who immediately sent it by cable to the Spanish legation at Mexico City for presentation to Gen. Huerta.

Gen. Carranza, head of the Constitutionalists, was informed of it through his representatives here.

The three diplomats later announced no further steps would be taken by them until replies had been received.

PREPARATIONS GO ON.

Coincidently with the acceptance of the offer of mediation, administration officials announced there would be no cessation of preparations by the army and navy for future emergencies, and no orders would be issued to the naval forces now at Vera Cruz or the ships at sea changing original plans. No further steps, however, to secure reparation for the

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., northwest; velocity, 8 miles. Thermometer, highest, 65 deg.; lowest, 50 deg. Forecast: Fair. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. The Chief of Police announced yesterday that he would allow no outdoor gatherings of Mexicans and 250 police will be mobilized to prevent meeting at the Plaza this afternoon.

Touched by a published account of the condition of two orphans, a wealthy couple of Pasadena yesterday transferred the tots from a public home to a private mansion.

One man was killed and three women badly injured yesterday when an automobile filled with a pleasure party was struck by a street car.

Brig.-Gen. Wankowski left last night for the border to determine whether companies from Los Angeles on guard there shall be recalled.

The Supreme Lodge of Moose yesterday asked the United States District Court for an injunction to prevent the expelled Los Angeles lodge from using the name "Moose."

Glendale woman offered yesterday to furnish a million rosebuds for the May Day celebration at Washington Park.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. The body of a man long missing from Pasadena was found in a canyon near there yesterday.

A despondent resident of Alhambra shot his wife perhaps fatally yesterday and then killed himself.

An Azusa woman is missing, leaving no clew.

MEXICO. The good offices of Chile, Argentina and Brazil were offered yesterday to compose the differences between the United States and Mexico and accepted by President Wilson. Meanwhile American preparations for the worst will continue.

The House and the Senate are for war, according to a Washington dispatch received last night. The indications are that tomorrow Senators and members of the House will press their demands for an open declaration.

PACIFIC SLOPE. American guns were trained on the Mexican camp at Mexicali by the troops at Calexico.

GENERAL EASTERN. Andrew C. Campbell, a banker of Natchez, Miss., pleaded guilty to receiving deposits when his bank was insolvent.

WASHINGTON. The House received a message from the President suggesting $2000 appropriation for United States representation at sixth international congress for chambers of commerce at Paris next June.

FOREIGN. The appetite and heart action of Francis Joseph were said yesterday to be good.

The reader who would do justice to himself will not depend wholly upon the following summary, comprehensive though it is, but will take in the complete news items, which necessarily cannot be luminously summarized, epitomized or classified.

Grand Old Stand-Patter, Now and Forever.



Jeopardized.

EXECUTION OF SEVEN AMERICANS PLANNED BY MEXICAN GEN. MAAS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW ORLEANS, April 25.—Wireless advices tonight from Vera Cruz reported that Mexican Federal Gen. Maas has found seven American prisoners guilty of certain charges and that he proposes to execute them.

There is no confirmation of the report.

Consul Canada, at Vera Cruz, the report said, has notified the State Department at Washington of Gen. Maas's alleged intention. It further was said that Gen. Maas has about 33 prisoners, including 14 women and seven or eight children. The Consul sent a messenger to Gen. Maas appealing to him in the name of humanity to release the women and children, the wireless report said. The nature of the charges brought against the seven Americans was not indicated by wireless, or whether they were given a trial.

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—Rear-Admiral Badger, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, has recommended to Washington that Rear-Admiral Fletcher be kept in command ashore after the army arrives.

American naval officers on duty in the city became convinced, after an investigation of the sniping which occurred last night, that they had to deal with a secret organization which posts snipers after dark and at points where their fire is most effective.

Alberto Goodman, chief surgeon of the Mexican National Railroad, was appointed today health officer of the city under the naval organization of the municipality. The former city officials definitely refused to assume their duties, owing to fear of personal consequences.

The most drastic treatment possible will be administered to Mexican snipers caught operating at night. At a staff conference today the question of this kind of shooting was discussed and it was decided that the most severe measures would be the only simple and quick solution.

Lieut.-Col. T. P. Kane, commanding 500 marines with two hydro-aeroplanes, was ordered to advance to the source of the water supply at Tejeria, nine miles up the river. The supply has been shut off and it is reported that Gen. Maas's men have been seeking to damage the pumps.

Fighting between the Mexican Federal troops and the Constitutionalists was in progress at Tampico last night, according to a report received by Admiral Badger from the British war vessels there.

The British commander off Tampico said he had heard a Mexican gunboat in action, but was unable to learn the extent of the fighting. The American war vessels were lying a considerable distance out from the coast. Refugees to the number of 1950 have been removed from Tampico during the last few days.

At Puerto Mexico everything was quite last night. Rear-Admiral Badger is relying on the British vessels there, which are in charge of the situation. The American liners at the docks of Puerto Mexico have not been interfered with in any way. The American torpedo-boat destroyer Patterson, which is at Tuxpan, has been instructed to take on board twenty-five Chinese refugees and send them to Galveston at the first opportunity.

TAKES TAMPICO CEMETERY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BROWNSVILLE (Tex.) April 25.—The following report from Gen. Caballero, rebel commander at Tampico, to Constitutionalist headquarters at Matamoras under date of the 24th, was given out here today:

"It having come to my notice that the Federals in Tampico were offering further insults to Americans, I immediately reopened my attack at 4 o'clock this morning and already have captured the cemetery where strong Federal force resisted. Expect triumph by night."

BRYAN NOTIFIED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Secre-

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"Polemos Pater Pantos."

CLAMOR FOR FIGHT IS GROWING LOUDER.

Climax Is Expected When Our Regulars Reach Vera Cruz.

Impelling Undercurrent of Feeling in Both Branches of Congress that the United States Should Take the Bull by the Horns Is Tempered by Mediation Proposal in a Lull Before the Storm.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Admiral Badger reported tonight from Vera Cruz he was extending his lines of bluejackets and marines farther beyond the city. The battalion of marines from the South Carolina is well entrenched two and a half miles west of the city.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Though the Mexican crisis has been under suppression in Congress for several days while the President and his Cabinet executed plans of reprisals against the defiance of Gen. Huerta, there is an impelling undercurrent of feeling in both Senate and House for a declaration of war, which was tempered somewhat tonight by the acceptance of offers of mediation from Argentine, Brazil and Chile.

Leaders in Congress had for several days been informally discussing the necessity for an unequivocal declaration of war, for a sweeping campaign in Mexico and for the ultimate establishment, by force of American arms, of peace and constitutional government in the battle-torn republic.

No swell from the undercurrent reached the surface today, however, but Congressmen in both houses had predicted a storm would break Monday or as soon as American troops reached Vera Cruz to support the naval forces there.

RESTIVE MEMBERS.

Members who were most restive over the situation believed tonight, after learning of the intermediation proposals, that no further aggressive action toward Mexico should be forced until it should become apparent that the good offices of South American nations to compose the situation would fail.

Although there was evidence of the feeling of dissatisfaction with present conditions in the Senate, probably the most remarkable evidence of unrest was given in the House. During a day devoted under the surface to a discussion of Mexico, most of the leaders were in conference and sentiment developed was strongly in favor of war.

In the conferences more than a dozen of the most prominent men on the Democratic side participated. Speaker Clark, Majority Leader Underwood, Chairman Flood of the Foreign Relations Committee, Chairman Fitzgerald of the Appropriations Committee and Chairman Hay of the Military Committee figured in all of them.

The discussion was so outspoken that there was talk for a time of the appointment of a committee to consist of Speaker Clark and Mr. Underwood, which should call upon President Wilson and inform him that the sentiment of the House was for war.

Developments of the day, however,

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Defense.

TRAIN AMERICAN GUNS ON FORCE AT MEXICALI.

Arrival of More Regular Cavalry and State Militia, With the Establishment of Camp in Commanding Position at Calexico, Inspires Feeling of Confidence Among the Residents of the Border.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CALEXICO (Cal.) April 25.—American guns were trained on Mexicali tonight at a distance of 800 yards. This was the result of the arrival of more regular cavalary and State militia today and the removal of the camp of a majority of the regulars to a spot a quarter of a mile east of Calexico and fifty feet from the border, within plain view of the Mexicali garrison. No homes of noncombatants intervene.

Two three-inch guns brought by the Coast Artillery company, which arrived here today, were pointed at the Mexican garrison. A heavy guard of gunners, considered among the regulars as crack shots, guarded the guns.

No explanation was offered by Capt. James G. Harbord, ranking officer of the United States regular forces here, for his action, which followed quickly upon his arrival.

It is believed, however, that with national and State forces numbering about 500 men, with two guns, the encampment east of the town, with no buildings or homes between it and the Mexicali garrison is the best location.

Camp was made directly behind an irrigation ditch, which forms a natural breastworks. Capt. Arthur Poillon's troop of cavalry and the militia are expected to move there also shortly.

The entrenchments of the Mexican Federals, who worked at night and stopped at daybreak, are plainly visible. They circle the garrison from the channel of New River eastward about Mexicali.

Mexican cavalry, which is said to consist principally of men recently forced to enlist at Mexicali, is reported active in night rides west toward Signal Mountain, the base of which is circled by the mountain trail leading from Ensenada eastward along the irrigation system toward Sharp's Heading.

Because information sent out of here by correspondents promptly reaches the Mexican commander at Mexicali, United States army officers discussed today the advisability of establishing a press censorship.

The American military forces here were increased to about 500 men, with two field pieces today by the arrival this morning of two trainloads of United States regular cavalry and artillery men. The reinforcements consisted of fifty men of the Coast Artillery, with two three-inch guns under Capt. Hilton, and Troop L of the First Cavalry, under Capt. James G. Harbord, who ranks Capt. Arthur Poillon of Troop D and who therefore assumed command of the United States forces here.

Information was received on the Mexican side of the international line today that eighty-five Mexican volunteers and conscripts were drilled all night at Mexicali.

Forced enlisting at Mexicali has stopped, because of lack of more men to draft. It is estimated the conscripts total 150, only half of whom the Mexican commander is able to arm.

Bellicose.

RUSH THE GRADUATION OF OFFICERS FOR ARMY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LEAVENWORTH (Kan.) April 25.—A flurry was caused at Ft. Leavenworth tonight when orders were received by Lieut.-Col. W. P. Burnham, the commandant, from the War Department, decreeing that the army service schools be closed and that the student officers be graduated on Tuesday. The order was unexpected as in the only previous instance when the schools were closed—during the Spanish War—the action was not taken until after the formal declaration of war.

About 125 officers are affected by the order. They probably will proceed to join their regiments immediately after the schools are closed. Col. Burnham said he did not know the reason for the closing of the schools. Relatives of the officers said they believed the order indicated a widespread mobilization of the army.

Rebels Under Villa Prepare to Batter Down El Paso If Hostilities Begin.

Warlike.

VILLA FORTIFIES JUAREZ DEPORTS PRESS MEN.

Rebel Shows Real Hand When Hatred of Americans Crops Out.

Bursts Into a Rage When Asked as to His Relations With Carranza and Taunts Americans With Cowardice When He Is Told of Mediation Offer of the South American Countries.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

JUAREZ, April 25.—Surrounded by a number of so-called advisers, all of whom were more or less under the influence of the native tequila, Gen. Villa consented to receive three newspaper representatives tonight apparently for the sole purpose of causing their arrest and deportation from the country as undesirable citizens. With a sneer on his lips that could not be mistaken, Villa declared that he was well assured that the American government was now ready to accept the good offices of Argentine, Brazil and Chile in bringing about peace owing to the fact, as he expressed it, that the "livers of some gringos were as white as their faces."

While Villa enjoyed venting his spleen in the presence of the foreign visitors, Federico Gonzales Garza, the rebel diplomatic counsellor, was sent to the American side to send telegrams to Constitutionalist agents in different parts of the world to the effect that there would be no war.

"I am anxious to send these messages from the American side, written on American paper," said Garza, as he left his chief to carry out his mission.

Gen. Villa was asked why the Mexicans were digging trenches and placing bales of cotton in front, if his intentions were as peaceable as he would have the world believe.

"We are simply following the example of the Americans in fortifying Sunset Heights in El Paso," he retorted, but a moment later he added:

"Don't think for a moment I am fool enough to tell you what we are doing."

While the correspondents were in Juarez word was brought that Jesus San Martine, the man who is accused of having fired the fuse that blew up the Cumbre tunnel, had been arrested by the provost guard on the American side of the line. Almost instinctively the commander branded the American authorities as "sin verguenzas," but a moment later he caught himself and said that he trusted that the authorities knew what they were doing and that no innocent man had been thrust into jail.

When one of his questioners presumed to inquire into the report that there had been a break between Villa and Carranza, the former summoned a guard and ordered the entire party locked up until they had learned to be polite. On the way to the Police Station a corporal rode up and said that Villa wanted the strangers sent over the bridge "where they belonged."

This order was carried out without ceremony and with scant courtesy.

According to the American military authorities, Villa is not playing a fair game, inasmuch as he is declaring undying friendship for the gringos and at the same time is permitting military operations to proceed in his territory.

"The fact of the matter is that Villa's troops are quietly fortifying Juarez," said Capt. Cootes tonight.

The Mexican people on this side have been told that the Yankees had planted cannon on the hills back of the city and that it was only a question of time when Juarez would be under fire.

So far the symptoms of real warfare have been lacking, but owing to Villa's pronounced antagonism to Americans, his words are considered in the light of an attempt to deceive some one.

About forty families have been allowed to return to rebel territory, but more are expected tomorrow.

Owing to the admitted split between Villa and Carranza, most of the latter's officers here not only show opposition to the stand than Villa has assumed, but openly declare that Carranza must be maintained at the head of the rebel party even if Villa has to "be eliminated."

It is expected that Villa will show his hand within a day or two.

Pressed by American friends to make a plain statement of fact and thus relieve the tension caused by false reports, Gen. Villa this afternoon admitted that he and Carranza had arrived at the parting of the ways and that he (Villa) would occupy the post of supreme commander in the future. As indicated in previous dispatches there has been a split between the two leaders, but those familiar with the facts assert that the present international crisis had nothing to do with the quarrel.

VILLA'S STATEMENT.

Upon being hectored into making some sort of a formal statement, Villa studied a few minutes and then said:

"I am not in sympathy with Gen. Carranza's policy, but it is indecorous to say anything at the present time. Gen. Carranza will obey the wishes of the Constitutionalist army or he will have greater matters to consider than the present crisis with the United States."

The Mexicans are secretly preparing for an attack of some kind. The American officials discovered this fact by peering through their field glasses and steps are being taken to keep in touch with the situation.

Intense excitement among the Mexican residents of Chihuahua was caused this afternoon by the appearance of Shrine patrol El Mada marching through the streets on parade. Most of the ignorant classes ran through the town yelling that the Americans were invading Mexico.

JOIN COLONY OF REFUGEES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

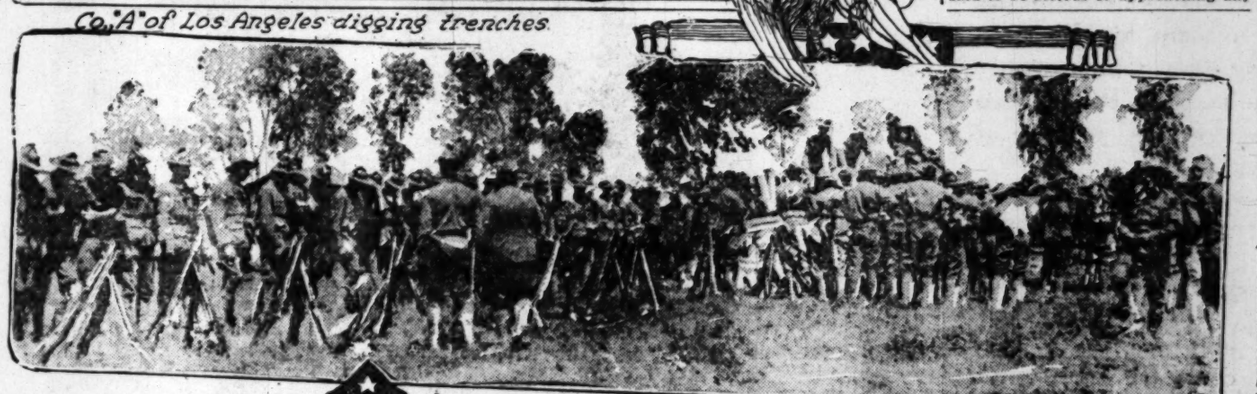
NACO (Ariz.) April 25.—Two hundred Americans arriving here this afternoon joined the colony of refugees from Cananea. Fifteen Americans are still at the mine there.

The refugees reported insulting treatment from the customs clerks across the line. Irresponsible boys were employed, every trunk was searched to the bottom for arms and ammunition which, when found, were confiscated, and many articles were stolen. In the midst of the inspection the customs force adjourned for the afternoon, leaving most of the refugees to stand around for unnecessary hours.

California Guardsmen on Border Near Calexico.



Co. "A" of Los Angeles digging trenches.



Stacking arms at Calexico.



Tenting on the new camp ground at Calexico.

Preparing for eventualities.

The accompanying pictures show how the California militiamen at Calexico are employing their time digging trenches, throwing up earthworks, pitching tents, stacking arms. Advices from the border last night were that the American and Mexican forces were within a stone's throw of each other and glaring, glaring, glaring

BANK TO REOPEN.

The First-Second of Pittsburgh is Reorganized With New Management and Board of Directors.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—John Skelton Williams, Comptroller of the Currency, announced late today that the First-Second National Bank of Pittsburgh would reopen for business next Monday with a new management and new board of directors. The capital of the reorganized bank is $4,000,000 with a surplus of $950,000.

The First-Second National Bank of Pittsburgh in deposits and total liabilities, was the largest national bank which has failed since the organization of the national banking system in 1863.

Hunt to Protect Mexicans.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) April 25.—Gov. Hunt this afternoon issued a proclamation directed principally to Mexican citizens, stating that all State officials will afford protection to all alike, regardless of complexion, even though the situation should become serious.

Casabianca.

BRYAN DENIES HE'LL RESIGN.

Declares He Will Stick Even if War Is Declared.

Differences in Cabinet Are Said to Be Trivial.

Daniels Thinks Press Ought to Muzzle Its Reports.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Secretary of State Bryan today emphatically denied widespread and persistent reports that he would resign from the Cabinet. When informed of published reports that he would relinquish his post should war be declared against Mexico, Mr. Bryan said:

"The subject of my resignation has never been discussed with anybody nor thought of by me."

White House officials pointed to the general denial issued a few days ago of the story that Secretary Bryan would resign, saying that the statement was sufficient to cover all rumors of Cabinet dissension.

Outside of the White House there has been considerable discussion of the individual views known to be held by members of the Cabinet on the present situation. None of these is said to be serious or approaching any cabinet members have viewed certain subjects from different angles, but that invariably has applied to the preliminary phases of subjects.

President Wilson has encouraged expressions of individual opinion. The secretaries themselves state that not one of them has ever left the semi-weekly conferences at the White House with any feeling of dissatisfaction with what had occurred. Secretary Daniels, discussing newspaper reports of Cabinet friction, said:

"There is not now and has not been the least scintilla of friction in the Cabinet. At a time like this, my private judgment, as a newspaper man, is that the press owes it as a patriotic duty not to spread such reports."

DOUBT REPORTS OF A MASSACRE.

[BY MEXICAN CABLE AND A. P.]

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—El Dictamen, a Vera Cruz newspaper, today says four Americans have been killed by mobs in Mexico City. It declares it has received this information from the Federal capital.

Three of the American victims were taken out of street cars and killed in the streets, while the fourth was killed in the Young Men's Christian Association building by members of a baseball team to which he belonged, according to El Dictamen, which made its reappearance today.

The information as to the massacre of Americans is not confirmed from any other source and considered doubtful in many quarters.

Vera Cruz was today isolated from direct communication with the interior, but the sparse news brought here by refugees indicates that the state of affairs is bad and rapidly growing worse so far as Americans are concerned.

The refugees arriving here bring word of intense anti-American feeling in all directions.

The American military authorities in Vera Cruz consider the situation of Americans in the capital and all over the republic grave.

U. S. AEROPLANE CIRCLES VERA CRUZ

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—An aeroplane from the American fleet made a flight over Vera Cruz shortly before noon today.

On attaining an altitude of several hundred feet the naval aviator circled the city and then passed over the outskirts and observed the position of the Mexican Federal forces.

SENDS MEXICANS FROM VERA CRUZ.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Admiral Fletcher tonight reported:

"At 3 p.m. Saturday a train under flag of truce left Vera Cruz at 10 a.m. with 350 Mexicans, proceeded ten kilometers to the break in the Mexican road, meeting a train there with about 400 foreigners, fifty of whom were Americans and all of whom were brought to Vera Cruz."

He said there had been no change in the situation there and that additional conferences with the city officials this forenoon resulted in a proclamation which was issued and ordered the disarmament of all inhabitants.

TO TAKE NEW MEN INTO THE ARMY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—President Wilson late today signed the volunteer army bill, which provides for the organization of volunteer forces in time of war.

Under the measure, bodies of State Militia would be taken into the Federal service with their officers, who would be commissioned by the President.

TO SWAP MEXICANS FOR AMERICANS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—Mexicans desiring to reach the interior from Vera Cruz are to be exchanged for American refugees who wish to reach the coast, according to an arrangement made today.

LAREDO OUT OF DANGER.

Rain Puts Out Most of the Fires. Damage Estimated at Half-Million Dollars.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

LAREDO (Tex.) April 25.—Laredo awoke today to find that danger of immediate trouble from Mexican Federals had been passed. Most of the fires were extinguished by the rains of last night.

The drug store of Shelby Thatcher, American Vice-Consul, suffered no damage, although buildings directly in front of it were destroyed. A conservative estimate of the damage is about $500,000. Some of the property owners who suffered the most had contributed large sums to the Federal cause, the greater part of which is said to have been forced "contributions."

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POINTS OF YESTERDAY'S WAR NEWS.

[See Corresponding Numbers on Face of the Map.]

1. Farthest point inland reached by American advance yesterday, two miles from Vera Cruz.
2. Approximate position of nearest Mexican force yesterday, Cordoba.
3. American troops advancing on the border and towards Mexico City. Troops sent to protect Vera Cruz water supply.
5. American troops in bivouac at Laredo, El Paso, Nogales.
19. Aeroplane in action at Vera Cruz.

Clamor For a Fight.

(Continued From First Page.)

particularly the appearance of hope that mediation by South American republics might bring about a peaceful solution, interfered with this plan and the conferences ended without definite conclusion, but with most of those who participated convinced that it was only a question of time until drastic action must be taken.

FOR WAR.

Out of the many conferences the attitude of the House leaders became exceedingly clear. They said that war should be declared; that the United States should send the army into Mexico and "go through with what it had started;" that in this way only can peace be established on a sound and permanent basis.

They represented the sentiment of the House on their side and they prepared to tell the President that since the House took this position they believed it to be the position of the country.

Although the news of proffered mediation put a new aspect on the situation, it was the general understanding that the House leaders expect to make their representations to the President as soon as the army has been concentrated at Vera Cruz.

In the Senate there was no such concerted action as was evident in the House, but there were reports of dissatisfaction from individual Senators and evidence that the bond of silence which many Senators have observed for months will be broken on Monday and that war talk will flourish again.

Some members have impressed Cabinet officers that a declaration of war could not be long averted, asserting that Congressional action should have been taken. Representative Hay, chairman of the Military Affairs Committee, conferred today with Secretary of War Garrison with reference to the situation.

"I wish I were as well satisfied with the strength of our land forces at Vera Cruz as I am of the naval strength there," said Representative Farr of Pennsylvania, in a speech on the naval appropriation bill today.

"Are our forces there protected against possible overwhelming numbers?"

Mr. Farr portrayed the international rivalry for South and Central American trade, declaring that it was the Monroe doctrine that brought on the Mexican complications.

"Can anyone," he asked, "foresee the trouble, turmoil and tragic history that would follow a surrender of the Monroe doctrine?"

Representative Padgett of Tennessee, chairman of the Naval Affairs Committee, in a tribute to naval officers, defended the navy from the attacks made on it in the House.

Representative Witherspoon, in the course of the debate in the House, declared that in the naval appropriation bill there is a "large amount of graft."

"In the face of the enemy's guns," Mr. Padgett declared, "we are willing to place our naval officers where they will cherish and maintain and protect the honor and good name of the American people. And yet when we come to the little question of how many ships we have, to the question of what is needed in the way of new construction, their motives are to be questioned, their honor torn down and they are to be branded as men moved by an unholy purpose and conspirators in an unholy cause. I repudiate it and bear my testimony to the men who protect our flag."

Some of the "small navy" men had criticised the personnel of the higher grades in the navy, and Representative Saunders of Virginia, in a speech, had suggested that if "Fighting Bob Evans," born in the northern part of Mr. Saunders's district, had not been appointed to the Naval Academy he might have been only the postmaster at Floyd, Va., instead of admiral of the navy. Mr. Padgett made frequent excerpts from speeches attacking the administration's naval programme and deplored what he called "preposterous attitudes of those men who forget themselves in the exuberance of their enthusiasm for their particular views."

JAPAN DENIES REPORT.

Ambassador Chinda Tells Bryan His Government Will Send No More Warships to Mexico.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25. — The Japanese Ambassador, Viscount Chinda, and the Chinese Minister, K. F. Shah, conferred with Secretary Bryan late today at the Secretary's request on the question of protection of Japanese and Chinese subjects in Mexico. It is understood Viscount Chinda stated to Secretary Bryan that Japan at present had no intention of sending more warships to Mexico, as had been reported.

JAPAN NEUTRAL.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

TOKIO, April 25.—The Japanese Premier authorized the statement today that Japan has no intention whatsoever of utilizing the present trouble between the United States and Mexico to secure from the United States a satisfactory settlement of the California difficulty.

VERA CRUZ MAIL.

U. S. AGENCY ESTABLISHED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Postmaster-General Burleson has issued an order establishing a United States mail agency at Vera Cruz, Mex., and assigning H. M. Robinson, superintendent of railway mail service, as United States Postal Agent in charge.

breach in the President's official family, but ther have been natural differences of opinion as to what aggressive measures would be pursued. The President himself, it is said, has invited the widest range of suggestions from his advisers and has steered a middle course between those who favor a quickly aggressive policy and those who believe war can be best averted by patient observation and carefully deliberated action.

Officials point out that the War Department is naturally anxious to take every reasonable precaution with its forces and the navy is bending its energies likewise to perfect its arrangements for actual warfare. They say also that the State Department, which is trying through diplomacy to prevent aggressive movements which might aggravate action by the Constitutionalists and the Mexican people as a whole, is occupied in friendly repression of the war spirit of its allied departments.

It is stated on authority that in no case has Secretary Bryan declared that he would resign his office in case it became necessary for the United States to engage in war, and he has let it be known to his personal friends that he could be relied on to do his full duty to the administration and to remain at his post under present conditions and any others that the thought could possibly arise. The rumors of Mr. Bryan's intention to retire from the Cabinet in various contingencies are ascribed by his friends to sentiments uttered by the secretary in the early days of his incumbency. He has spoken often on the subject of universal peace and has expressed the altruistic sentiments, and among other things, has declared in a speech delivered in the west, that there would be no war while he was Secretary of State.

The secretary's purpose, it is explained, was to emphasize his general conviction that the growing feeling of disapproval of warfare could be relied upon to prevent the country from drifting into war under any set of conditions that could be conceived of by those to whom he addressed himself.

It is further stated on the authority of members of the Cabinet that nothing has occurred in any cabinet meeting to develop any dissatisfaction whatever on the part of any individual. It is true, they state, that various

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cabinet members have viewed certain subjects from different angles, but that invariably has applied to the preliminary phases of subjects.

President Wilson has encouraged expressions of individual opinion. The secretaries themselves state that not one of them has ever left the semi-weekly conferences at the White House with any feeling of dissatisfaction with what had occurred. Secretary Daniels, discussing newspaper reports of Cabinet friction, said:

"There is not now and has not been the least scintilla of friction in the Cabinet. At a time like this, my private judgment, as a newspaper man, is that the press owes it as a patriotic duty not to spread such reports."

DOUBT REPORTS OF A MASSACRE.

[BY MEXICAN CABLE AND A. P.]

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—El Dictamen, a Vera Cruz newspaper, today says four Americans have been killed by mobs in Mexico City. It declares it has received this information from the Federal capital.

Three of the American victims were taken out of street cars and killed in the streets, while the fourth was killed in the Young Men's Christian Association building by members of a baseball team to which he belonged, according to El Dictamen, which made its reappearance today.

The information as to the massacre of Americans is not confirmed from any other source and considered doubtful in many quarters.

Vera Cruz was today isolated from direct communication with the interior, but the sparse news brought here by refugees indicates that the state of affairs is bad and rapidly growing worse so far as Americans are concerned.

The refugees arriving here bring word of intense anti-American feeling in all directions.

The American military authorities in Vera Cruz consider the situation of Americans in the capital and all over the republic grave.

U. S. AEROPLANE CIRCLES VERA CRUZ

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—An aeroplane from the American fleet made a flight over Vera Cruz shortly before noon today.

On attaining an altitude of several hundred feet the naval aviator circled the city and then passed over the outskirts and observed the position of the Mexican Federal forces.

SENDS MEXICANS FROM VERA CRUZ.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Admiral Fletcher tonight reported:

"At 3 p.m. Saturday a train under flag of truce left Vera Cruz at 10 a.m. with 350 Mexicans, proceeded ten kilometers to the break in the Mexican road, meeting a train there with about 400 foreigners, fifty of whom were Americans and all of whom were brought to Vera Cruz."

He said there had been no change in the situation there and that additional conferences with the city officials this forenoon resulted in a proclamation which was issued and ordered the disarmament of all inhabitants.

TO TAKE NEW MEN INTO THE ARMY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—President Wilson late today signed the volunteer army bill, which provides for the organization of volunteer forces in time of war.

Under the measure, bodies of State Militia would be taken into the Federal service with their officers, who would be commissioned by the President.

TO SWAP MEXICANS FOR AMERICANS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—Mexicans desiring to reach the interior from Vera Cruz are to be exchanged for American refugees who wish to reach the coast, according to an arrangement made today.

LAREDO OUT OF DANGER.

Rain Puts Out Most of the Fires; Damage Estimated at Half-Million Dollars.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

LAREDO (Tex.) April 25.—Laredo awoke today to find that danger of immediate trouble from Mexican Federals had been passed. Most of the fires were extinguished by the rains of last night.

The drug store of Shelby Theriot, American Vice-Consul, suffered no damage, although buildings directly in front of it were destroyed. A conservative estimate of the damage to owners who suffered the most had contributed large sums to the Federal cause, the greater part of which is said to have been forced "contributions."

The Soldier Boys'

whereabouts can be determined at a glance by studying The Times war map, printed on map paper, and for sale at The Times Building, First and Broadway, The Times Branch Office, 619 South Spring street, and 118 South Broadway. Price, postpaid, 10 cents.

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Ruffians.

BORDER BAND ON WARPATH.

Americans in Pursuit of the Armed Mexicans.

Los Angeles Agitator Caught by an Arizona Sheriff.

Alleged Agent of Huerta Is Held at Nogales.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NOGALES (Ariz.) April 25.—A band of armed Mexicans started from Patagonia, Ariz., twenty-seven miles northeast of here, today, and while marching southward toward the border, have been robbing and firing on Americans.

Americans from Nogales and surrounding towns quickly armed themselves and started in pursuit of the Mexicans.

A long-distance telephone message from Duquesne said the Americans in that mining camp and at Patagonia had armed themselves and were prepared to fire on the Mexicans. Only eight armed Mexicans started from Patagonia, but they were said to have gathered recruits and were headed for the border at Lochiel. The Sheriff at Duquesne called for help and at 1 o'clock this afternoon two automobiles loaded with armed American civilians and a lieutenant of the United States army started from Nogales over the twenty-mile mountain road to the border in the hope of capturing them.

The orders of the Americans are to shoot if the Mexicans show fight. Americans in the copper-mining region west of here have been terrorized by the rising of the Mexicans.

AGITATOR ARRESTED.

Felipe A. Armenta, a Mexican, was arrested by United States government agents as he stepped off a train on his arrival here this afternoon. His arrest followed telegraphic instructions from Los Angeles, Cal., explaining that Armenta was coming to the border to incite the Mexican people to destroy American property. He was said to be a secret agent of the Huerta government, commissioned to induce rebel leaders to join the Federals. The prisoner was well dressed and apparently well provided with money. Other foreigners besides Americans are leaving the interior of Western Mexico. Emil Heraud, the French Vice-Consul at Hermosillo, wired the French Embassy at Mexico City today that he was leaving the country after turning French interests over to private individuals.

AT HERMOSILLO.

Conditions at Hermosillo and other interior points remained quiet today. There was a steady exodus of Americans toward the border, but it will be fifteen days before Americans in remote mining towns can be reached.

HOSTILE ACTS.

Hostile acts committed by irresponsible rebels against Americans in various parts of the interior of Northwestern Mexico became such today as to increase apprehensions that the demonstrations might assume more serious aspects.

C. L. Montague, American Consular agent at Cananea, a rich copper-mining town, forty-five miles south of Naco, Ariz., telegraphed to Consul Frederick Simpich that at 5 o'clock this evening a mob of rebels was congregating about the consulate and speeches threatening Americans were being made.

All of the Americans except Montague, however, had reached the border safely. Montague had remained to pack up the consulate archives. His dispatch read:

"Am now in office attempting to box up archives. Very large mob now congregating on all sides of the consulate. Strong speeches being made against Americans. Some advocate breaking into consulate, others to take down American flag. I have decided not to take down the flag until 1:30, the usual time, so as not to cause excitement. Do not know what the result will be."

Consul Simpich immediately wired a vigorous note to rebel authorities at Cananea advising that American consuls must be protected and deploring any show of violence against the American consular agent.

Except for the acts of irresponsible bands the exodus of Americans from Mexico continued quietly today. Louis Hostetter, American Consul at Hermosillo, wired he would reach the border Monday. Americans as far south of Hermosillo as Culiacan are to be brought north on a special train under protection of Gen. Alfaro Eguen, the rebel commander. Most of the latter have shown a willingness to assist in the departure of Americans and fear for the safety of foreigners is centered only in possible acts of the more lawless elements, who have become outspoken in anti-American sentiment.

VILLA RIVALS JOHN BUNNY.

Rebel Chief's Purse Likely to Be Made Fat by "Movies."

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

EL PASO, April 25.—The "movies" may yet save the United States at least from having to fight all of Mexico, said a man today who is in the confidence of Gen. Villa, the Mexican Constitutionalist leader. Villa's determined stand for friendship with the United States in opposition to the expressed views of Carranza, his nominal chief, may be due to real good feeling for Americans, but this friend of Villa's thinks it just as likely to spring from the fact that Villa is financially interested in the success of a lot of Villa motion pictures that are to be shown throughout the United States. Probably his greatest single source of income for several years—if all goes well—will be the proceeds of his motion-picture posings.

MEXICANS QUIT VERA CRUZ.

Trainload Leaves and May be Exchanged for Americans Now Imprisoned at Cordoba.

[BY MEXICAN CABLE AND A. P.]

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—A train full of Mexicans is leaving today to go to the break in the line some miles from the city. Mexican passengers are there to be transferred to the equipment used by Nelson O'Shaughnessy when he came from Mexico City. On board this train they are to go to Cordoba and if possible the train is to take up there the Americans reported to be marooned in that place and bring them back to Vera Cruz. Efforts to effect such an exchange and other courtesies are now being made. The dispatch of a second train has been planned and it is thought probable that Consul William W. Canada will go out to Cordoba with it.

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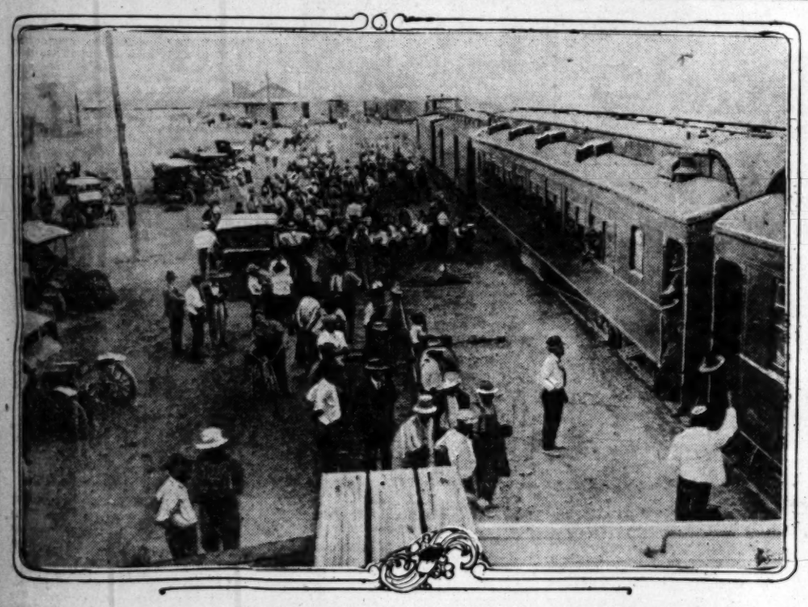
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GIVE THE LIE TO GEN. HUERTA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—This statement later was issued by the Navy Department:

"In view of the erroneous impression reported to exist in Mexico City that non-combatants are not allowed to leave Vera Cruz, Secretary Daniels has called Admiral Badger to make every possible effort to spread broadcast information that such is not the case, but on the contrary every possible thing will be done to assist them in leaving Vera Cruz for Mexico City or elsewhere if they so desire."



Getting a "bead" on the situation.

Cavalrymen of Troop D, keen with excitement, "rubbering" from the car windows to get their first perspective of Calexico, Cal., opposite Mexicali, Mex., whither they have been sent to protect the greatest irrigation project in the United States.

By the Forelock.

ARIZONANS ORGANIZING TO RESIST INVASION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) April 25.—Gov. Hunt continued today to receive telegrams from all over the State, particularly the southern part, asking military protection as a precaution against disorder should Mexican rebels be brought into complications with the United States. Home guard companies have been organized at San Simon, Patagonia, Mesa, Winslow and many other towns. Four companies of militia probably will be sent to Bisbee tonight. Fourteen rifles and a quantity of ammunition, according to a report received by the Governor, have been found hidden near the international line in the vicinity of Yuma.

Gov. Hunt telegraphed to Secretary of War Garrison that he would pay cash for 1400 Krag rifles and 325,000 rounds of ammunition.

APPEAL FOR GUNS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—An appeal for government guns to arm citizens of Bisbee, Ariz., to repel any invasion from Mexican territory was laid before Secretary of War Garrison today by Senator Ashurst. Gov. Hunt, in a telegram to Senator Ashurst, asked that 1400 rifles be sent from the nearest army post. A telegram to Senatof Ashurst from Capt. John C. Greenway at Bisbee stated that 900 Mexicans, said to belong to the Constitutionalist forces, were driving Americans out of Cananea, across the border.

Acquisitiveness.

"SEIZE BORDER STATES" IS ADVICE OF PHELAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, April 25.—Acquisition of the northern states of Mexico, including Lower California, by the United States, in the event of actual war with Mexico, was advocated here tonight by James D. Phelan of San Francisco, candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator.

Included in his remarks, made before the Wilson-Marshall Club here, was the declaration that a "nation from across the Pacific is seeking a foothold at Magdalena Bay, which should be controlled by this government."

"The acquisition of the northern Mexican states is of vast importance to the United States," said Phelan, "because it would give entire control of the Colorado and Rio Grande Rivers to the United States. His address was a defense of the policies of the Democratic administration.

THEY'RE GOING "FOR DUTY."

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Secretary Garrison said today that the United States troops, which have been ordered to Vera Cruz, were going there "for duty" when asked as to the purpose of the military movement. He would make no further explanation.

SHRAPNEL SHELLS SENT TO BORDER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FT. STEVENS (Or.) April 25.—Heavy shipments of war materials are being made from Ft. Stevens to the Mexican border. Shrapnel shells, field gun shells and primers constitute the bulk of the shipments so far made. Shrapnel is particularly effective in driving men out of entrenchments.

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Rexall Camph'ed Cold Cream	25c	Rexall Shaving Cream	20c

Racial.

HUERTA DROPS AMERICANS FROM MEXICAN RAILWAYS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 25.—At the office of the National Railways of Mexico the report from Mexico City that President Huerta had asked all the Americans in the employ of the railway company, with the exception of President E. N. Brown, to resign, was confirmed. Brown is in this city, but it is not known whether he will accede to the request of the Mexican government to continue in charge of the railway. The local officers of the road will continue to operate the property as best they can from this point.

Officials stationed here had no direct word from any of the operating officers of the company in any part of Mexico for the last three days.

"Home, Sweet Home."

THOUSANDS OF REFUGEES ARRIVING IN GALVESTON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

GALVESTON (Tex.) April 25.—About 3000 American refugees are expected here by tomorrow night.

The battleship Connecticut is due in the morning with women and children from Tampico, and some married men. The American collier Cyclops arrived late today with 316 men, who slept on mattresses and on deck with rope for pillows, there being no cabin accommodations. Among the men on the Cyclops are D. E. Lamb, J. A. Osborne, Thomas Sharkey and G. S. Bradshaw, all of Los Angeles.

The tanker Trinidadian also arrived today with 364 refugees, including thirty-four women and twenty-six Chinese.

All refugees are compelled by the present quarantine regulations to be six days out of port before they may land here. This means two to four days on shipboard after arrival. When the quarantine boat approached the Trinidadian tonight some men shouted:

"Go back and bring us something to eat—we are hungry enough to eat anything."

The refugee vessels here and some still at sea had sailed on such short notice that it was impossible to get aboard sufficient food supplies.

Late tonight the Esperanza arrived from Vera Cruz with about 350 Americans aboard.



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Vestal Leaves for Vera Cruz.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NORFOLK (Va.) April 25.—The U.S.S. Vestal, repair ship and tender for submarines, left the Norfolk Navy Yard at 11:30 o'clock this morning, loaded with supplies, bound for Vera Cruz.

In Nick of Time.

AMERICANS AT TAMPICO RESCUED BY GERMANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

GALVESTON (Tex.) April 25.—The story of an anti-American riot at Tampico was told by Americans on the collier Cyclops, which anchored in quarantine here this afternoon.

The trouble started on Tuesday night, after the American warships at Tampico had left their positions near shore and steamed some miles out to sea in the afternoon.

After dark, bands of Mexicans began to parade the streets, shouting insults at Americans, who had withdrawn to the shelter of the principal hotels in Tampico.

About midnight a mob estimated at 600 began throwing stones at the Southern Hotel, where there were twenty or thirty American women and 300 American men. William Hanson, a former United States deputy marshal in South Texas, organized the men, who had a few rifles and pistols, for resistance.

The Americans, however, had so little ammunition that they did not dare open fire, fearing the Mexicans would kill them after their ammunition was spent.

The mob began pounding on the doors with clubs. One Mexican fired through a window, but no one was wounded. Capt. von Kohler of the German cruiser Dresden, the refugees said, sent officers ashore notifying the mob that unless they dispersed within fifteen minutes he would land marines. The mob withdrew.

The German sailors then took the women from the Southern and Imperial hotels in boats to the ships in the harbor. The men marched out.

STORE HUERTA'S AMMUNITION.

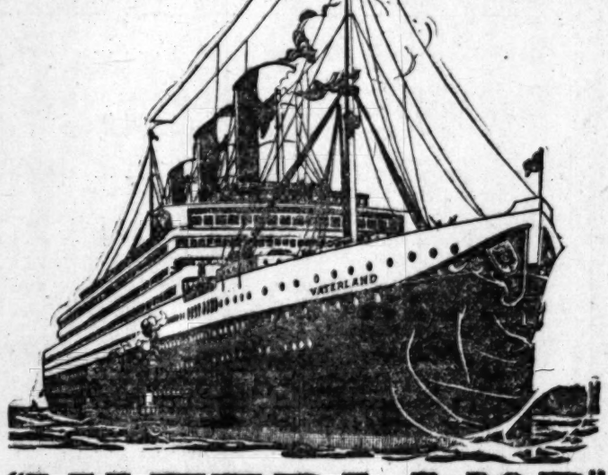
Several Hundred Tons Awaiting Shipment in Antwerp Held Up Because of Embargo.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ANTWERP, April 25.—Seven hundred tons of ammunition for President Huerta of Mexico, which is awaiting shipment, probably will be stored here until the end of hostilities, the steamers sailing for Mexican ports declining to carry contraband. The steamer Cayo Bonita has canceled her sailing on May 2 with 600 tons of ammunition already shipped. Mexican agents are known to be here and are endeavoring to arrange for the shipment, but money is lacking.

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GERMAN EMBASSY DEFIES HUERTA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—A demand has been made on the German Legation in Mexico City to surrender the arms imported for the protection of German residents there, according to information reaching here.

Admiral Von Hintze, the German Minister, replied:

"If you get the arms you will have to fight for them."

The American Embassy in Mexico City saved 50 out of the 300 rifles in its possession when the order for their seizure came from Gen. Huerta.

The fifty rifles were hidden and Nelson O'Shaughnessy took a receipt for the rifles and machine guns confiscated.

PROTECTION OF AMERICANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Americans remaining in Mexico City are entirely dependent on the Huerta government and the small guards maintained at the foreign legations for protection, it was stated at the State Department today. There are between sixty and one hundred men, it was said, attached to the various foreign legations in the Mexican capital armed with small arms and machine guns, on whom the Americans might depend. These, the department said, would be effective only against sporadic mob violence and would be practically powerless against any general movement or any mob attack the Mexican government might ignore. It was expected that the Americans in the event of an attack would take refuge in the other foreign legations.

The State Department said no official dispatches confirmed the report that four Americans had been killed in Mexico City. Consul Canada has reported nothing more serious from Mexico City than the pulling down of the Washington statue and stoning of the American Club.

RICH OIL FIELDS ARE ABANDONED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

GALVESTON, April 25.—The rich Tampico oil fields generally have been abandoned, according to information reaching steamship agents here today. There are a dozen or more important oil companies in the Tampico field, including some foreign interests. A large portion of the refugees due to arrive here today and tomorrow come from Tampico.

The Tampico situation has continued so serious, according to a wireless message reaching here today, that two torpedo boats yesterday were sent up the Panuco River at Tampico to get Americans.

Refugees arriving here from Tampico today said they were saved from rioting Mexicans early Wednesday morning by German steamers.

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CHILEAN EDITORS URGING PEACE.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

SANTIAGO (Chile) April 25.—The Santiago papers advised the Chilean government to seek an agreement with Argentina and Brazil with a view to proposing friendly mediation between Mexico and the United States, in order to settle the present dispute and prevent war.

COAST ARTILLERY MOVING SOUTH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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From New Orleans they will proceed to Galveston by rail. The steamships were not under charter as transports by the government.

TEXAS MILITIA'S PAY.

Garrison Tells Gov. Colquitt War Department Has No Funds Available Just at Present.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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"Secretary Garrison says he has no money out of which he can pay the Texas guards. He contends that sufficient troops have been ordered to the border, including Brownsville, to give every necessary protection. I shall insist that Congress pay the expenses of the guards you have already ordered to the border."

Quiet at Acapulco.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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YORKTOWN AT GUAYMAS.

The gunboat Yorktown arrived today at Guaymas from Mazatlan and her commander reported all quiet at the Mexican port. The Mexican Federal gunboat Guerrero has also reached Guaymas from Mazatlan. Guaymas is held by the Mexican federals but a strong detachment of rebels is encamped near by.

ORDERED FURTHER SOUTH.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

ON BOARD U.S.S. SOUTH DAKOTA AT SEA, April 25.—Orders were received this morning for the South Dakota, originally ordered to Mazatlan, to proceed further south. The cruiser Jupiter will continue to Mazatlan and join the flagship and tender Patoka, as ordered.

On receipt of the orders, the South Dakota increased her speed to 21 knots.

PROGRAMME OF POWERS

FIRST ROW IN GALLERY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

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Admiral Howard was directed first to make such arrangements as would be advisable to assemble at some safe place all American Consuls and their families and other Americans unable to provide transportation to the United States. He has been authorized to charter merchant craft to bring Americans out to the United States warships and his attention was called to the successful use of this method at Tampico through the courtesy of foreign men of war. As soon as he has gathered refugees together he is authorized to charter a vessel to transport them to the United States.

GERMAN CONSULS AID.

Admiral Howard reports from the west coast of Mexico that the German Consul at Mazatlan is extending the friendly offices to get the steamer Dresden at Mazatlan. He reports a demonstration in front of the American consulate at that place last night and that the Governor has made all possible reparation and that a guard of Federal soldiers is now protecting the Consulate.

YORKTOWN AT GUAYMAS.

The gunboat Yorktown arrived today at Guaymas from Mare Island and her commander reported all quiet at the Mexican port. The Mexican Federal gunboat Guerrero has not reached Guaymas from Mazatlan. Guaymas is held by the Mexican Federals but a strong detachment of rebels is encamped near by.

ORDERED FURTHER SOUTH.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

ON BOARD U.S.S. SOUTH DAKOTA AT SEA, April 25.—Orders were received this morning for the South Dakota, originally ordered to Mazatlan, to proceed further south. The cruiser Jupiter will continue to Mazatlan and join the flagship and torpedo flotilla, as ordered.

On receipt of the orders, the South Dakota increased her speed to seventeen knots.

PROGRAMME OF POWERS.

FIRST ROW IN GALLERY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, April 25.—The Liberte, which is usually in close touch with the French Foreign Office, says that European powers have decided to keep strictly to the role of onlookers in the controversy between the United States and Mexico.

A Good Map of Mexico

will enable you to better understand the situation. On sale at The Times Building, 1st floor, Broadway. The Times Branch Office, 451 Spring, and 118 South Broadway. Price, postpaid, 10 cents.

Cost of War.

TO SEND HOME ALL REFUGEES.

United States Will Pay the Way of the Needy.

Half a Million Appropriated to Bring Them in.

American Missionaries Are Now Reported Safe.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Commissioner-General of Immigration Caminetti has been ordered by the State Department to take care of refugees arriving at Galveston. The destitute and needy will be clothed and fed and transportation from Galveston to their homes will be paid. The Commissioner-General has wired the Commissioner of Immigration at Galveston, Arthur Hampton, and the refugees will be provided for and sent home as soon as they arrive. Many already have arrived on the Cyclops and more are expected tomorrow on the Esperanza.

The State Department announced today that Americans in the vicinity of Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, opposite Eagle Pass, Tex., had been assured safe conduct by Gen. Guajardo of the Constitutionalist forces and arrangements were made for transporting such Americans as remained in the country. The department has also been informed that a Chinese colony at Guaymas, on the west coast, is anxious to leave Mexico. Though in no danger at present, the Chinese fear developments.

The President late today signed the bill passed by Congress appropriating $500,000 for the relief of and transportation of citizens in Mexico.

Secretary Daniels estimated that between 3000 and 3500 refugees either are on their way from Mexico or under protection awaiting departure for the United States.

MISSIONARIES SAFE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 25.—Fears for the safety of its missionaries in Mexico were relieved today by a telegram from Vera Cruz, received at the headquarters of the Methodist Episcopal Board of Foreign Missions. According to this, seven of the thirty missionaries have arrived in Vera Cruz and all the others are safe in Mexico City, Pueblo and Guanajato.

Missionaries not heard from include the Rev. and Mrs. William Wallace, Rev. N. J. Elliott of Long Beach, Cal., and Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Malloy of Corsicana, Tex.

BOATS CHARTERED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Admiral Badger reported today that a Hawaiian-American steamer was on her way to Vera Cruz with 100 American refugees picked up at Puerto Mexico. A Vera Cruz the steamer Monterey has been chartered to carry refugees back to Galveston.

REFUGEES FROM TAMPICO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FORT ARKANSAS (Tex.) April 25. The yacht Wackiva arrived in port today with 150 refugees from Tampico. Capt. Jollison said the Mexican officials refuse to allow the Wackiva to sail, and a British admiral boarded her and hoisted a British admiral's flag. He then ordered her out to sea and they were not molested further.

Admiral Mayo requested Washington to have refugees released from quarantine at once, as there is no accommodation on board the yacht for them.

The refugees are officials and employes of the Huasteca Petroleum Company.

ALL OUT OF CHIHUAHUA.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

EL PASO, April 25.—With the arrival here today of ninety-seven Americans, men, women and children, refugees from Madera, and twelve picked up by the train at Chihuahua, Americans who have been leaving the country since the Tampico incident are now practically all out of the State of Chihuahua. The remnant in the city of Chihuahua, with the exception of a few who are determined to stay to the last, will leave tomorrow morning on the regular train. At Juarez, Douglas and Nogales on the United States-Mexican border they are arriving daily by hundreds, and the State of Sonora is now practically free of them.

The four years of revolution, practically every American in Northern Mexico has invited into Mexico by every President Porfirio Diaz could offer, either as a refugee, and property worth somewhere between $300,000,000 and $400,000,000 in mines, ranches, factories and other industries has been left behind.

The refugees, mostly from Torreon, but including a few from Chihuahua and Parral, arrived here at noon today. They reported that the exodus from Parral. They had not heard that it had become of the party which started out from Durango with Consul Canada, but thought the necessity of procuring the railroad might account for the delay.

ARRIVALS AT GALVESTON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

GALVESTON, April 25.—The vanguard of several hundred refugees from Mexico, headed for Galveston, arrived here today on the United States collier Cyclops from Vera Cruz and Tampico and the steamer Trinidadian from Tampico. The majority were Mexicans. Tomorrow 150 are due on the Esperanza from both Vera Cruz and Tampico.

Defense.

REINFORCEMENTS AT SAN YSIDRO.

MORE TROOPS ARE SENT ALSO TO TECATE.

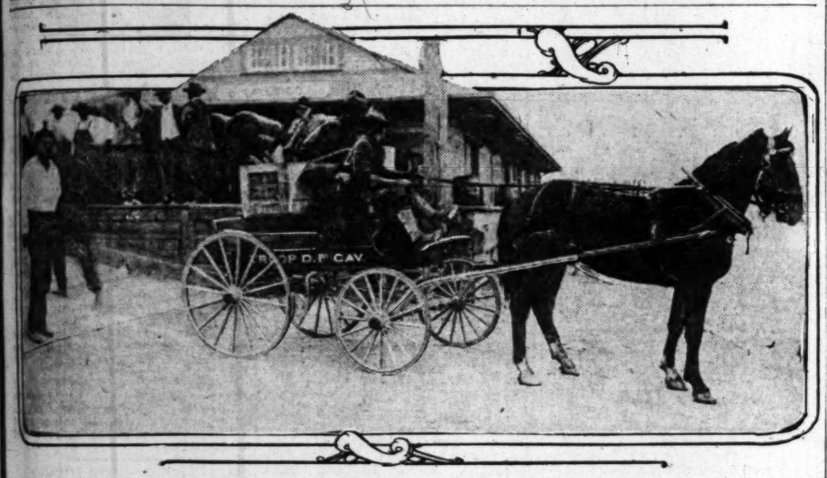
Mexican Forces Opposite in the Mountains Have Strongly Entrenched Themselves and It Is Thought Preparations Indicate Hostile Action on Their Part.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, April 25.—The anxiety of residents along the border at San Ysidro and Tecate, as well as that of militiamen, was relieved today when the five companies of regulars from the north arrived to reinforce the border defense. At Camp San Ysidro, the American camp across the line from Tia Juana, where Capt. O. M. Condon has been stationed with sixty men from Ft. Rosecrans, it was known that the Mexicans across the line outnumbered them about 10 to 1, and late yesterday Lieut. Don M. Stewart, in command of a company of naval reserves, was hurried from Highland reservoir to Tia Juana. But this morning as the reinforcements arrived at Camp Ysidro and busy scenes were enacted, suggestive of actual wartime, there was evident anxiety and confusion among the soldiers at Tia Juana around the Cuartel, where some of the Mexicans are stationed. The majority of the Mexicans are in the mountains back of Tia Juana.

The One Hundred and Forty-seventh and Fivty-seventh companies, Coast Artillery and a detachment of field artillery from the Sixty-first Company from Ft. Scott and Ft. Barry, were dispatched this forenoon to Camp San Ysidro by Maj. W. C. Davis, commander of Ft. Rosecrans. Two field guns, wagons, twenty mules and provisions and ammunition were dispatched with them and hastily unloaded by the soldiers. During the day as the soldiers set up camp and prepared for warfare, hundreds of autoists visited the camp. Camp San Ysidro is on a hillside overlooking Tia Juana and is 2100 yards from the Cuartel. It is estimated that about 100 Mexicans are stationed at the Cuartel and about 450 in the mountains above. All day and all last night the Mexicans were busy digging trenches on their side. Their women and children have been sent from Tia Juana to this side and this, together with their preparations was thought to indicate intended action by them before the American reinforcements arrived today. Capt. O. M. Condon is in charge of Camp San Ysidro.

To cut off supplies to the Mexican camp, Capt. Condon has ordered that but one day's supplies be sold to the ranchers at Tia Juana from the store on the border. The Twenty-ninth and Sixty-sixth companies and the remainder of the Sixty-first Company arriving from the north were sent to Tecate this morning to join the command of Capt. J. M. Page. Maj. J. H. Knowlton is in command of the Tecate camp. The regulars and the two Coast artillery militia companies under Maj. Fay, guarding the water system, give a defense of nearly 1000 men along the border at this point.



"D" troopers of the First Cavalry,

Transporting their accoutrements from the railway station at Calexico to the site of their camp whither they have been called to protect the great Imperial Valley irrigation projects.

Vigilance.

MARINES FROM VERA CRUZ SENT FARTHER INTO MEXICO

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Admiral Badger's telegram, dated 5 p.m., Saturday, said:

"Last night's firing desultory, and continued for considerable period. One private slightly wounded in forearm. Name not yet ascertained. Fletcher continuing efforts to have influential citizens unite and arrange for conduct of municipal affairs by people themselves. Quite certain that former officials will not resume office under present conditions, but possibly citizens' committee can be formed to influence city's affairs along lines of law and order and create confidence among inhabitants. Meeting of this kind will be held this afternoon.

"Question of food and water still giving anxiety, but up to present time no actual distress. Seems probable, however, that ultimately government will have to ration poorer classes of inhabitants. Customhouse is open and vessels ready to discharge, but much difficulty being experienced obtaining labor.

"Extending line of bluejackets and marines about two miles farther into country today. South Carolina battalion well entrenched about two and one-half miles from center of city. No contact has been made with Mexican forces and no attack expected at present. Mississippi's marines landed this morning. This morning aeroplane made flight over harbor. Will make another flight this afternoon. Ship's bands giving concerts ashore.

"Hawaiian-American steamers reported sailed from Puerto, Mex., 10 a.m. Saturday for Vera Cruz with about 200 refugees. Will transfer them to steamer Mexico. As soon as reasonably filled that vessel will proceed to New Orleans, land refugees and return.

"Jason and Paulding now at Tuxpan collecting refugees in that region. Rear-Admiral Craddock and commanding officers of the British ships Hermione at Tampico and Berwick at Puerto, Mex., have been untiring in their efforts to collect and forward American refugees to ships."

The Navy Department tonight received word that the American Consulate at Mazatlan, on the Pacific Coast of Mexico, had been stoned by a mob yesterday. Other anti-American demonstrations occurred there.

The auxiliary Celtic, with a cargo of supplies for the naval forces, arrived at Vera Cruz today from New York.

Execution Planned.

(Continued from First Page.)

tary Bryan said today that he has notified Ambassador Spring-Rice of the reported arrest of a British subject at Orizaba. He was one of twenty foreigners arrested there. Mr. Bryan denied reports that these prisoners had been executed and stated that the Brazilian Consulate has been appealed to for their release.

In an official report from Consul Canada at Vera Cruz the State Department was informed today that several Americans were placed under arrest in Mexico City after being taken from the refugee train that carried Charge O'Shaughnessy and his party to Vera Cruz. J. Starr Hunt and his family were among those arrested. Burton Wilson was taken from the train at the first station out of Mexico City.

NO WORD FROM HUNT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—J. B. Starr Hunt of this city, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Starr Hunt, who were reported in official dispatches from Vera Cruz as under arrest in Mexico City, sent messages tonight to Charge O'Shaughnessy and Admiral Fletcher, both personal friends of the Hunts, asking for more particulars concerning the arrests.

Mr. Hunt said tonight: "My father has been a practicing lawyer for nearly 20 years in Mexico City and is one of the very few Americans admitted to the Mexican bar. He has always been held in high esteem by the Mexicans. Until yesterday I received daily wires from him but for the last two days I have had no word."

MEXICAN PAPER IS SUSPENDED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LAREDO (Tex.) April 25.—El Guardia del Bravo, a Mexican paper published here in the interests of the Huerta government, was suspended today by order of District Judge Mullaly and Mayor McComb.

For months Prisciliano Aldama, publisher, has been printing veiled attacks on the American government, which have been disregarded, but today he published a bitter attack on the American government as responsible for Mexico's troubles.

A committee informed the authorities that if the latter did not put a stop to the continued attacks the citizens of Laredo would.

TRYING OUT NEW GUN.

Army Officers Are Watching with Interest Tests of the New Benet-Mercier Machine Gun.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 25.—Army officers will watch with a good deal of interest the working out of the new Benet-Mercier machine gun in actual war. The gun uses the same ammunition as that used by the infantry in its new Springfield rifle, a shade less than a .30 caliber.

The heavier machine gun used previously had the disadvantage of requiring a half-dozen mules, where the same number of shots may now be packed on two.

With the new gun the gunner may register more shots and, it is believed, gain a higher percentage of hits. The feature of ammunition exchange between machine gun and the infantry along the firing line, also makes for increased efficiency.

The gun is served by an assistant, who feeds belts of cartridges containing twenty shots each, into the gun. The Sixth, Sixteenth and Twelfth Infantry, which left San Francisco for the front, are all armed with the new gun, which, it is believed, a regiment of Mexican infantry will be unable to stand more than a few moments.

Necessary.

MUST OBTAIN MORE RECRUITS.

Militia Companies Ordered to Increase Strength.

Second Infantry to Get on Semi-War Footing.

Prepare State Fair Grounds for Mobilization.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 25.—On account of the possibility of the militia being mobilized for war, Col. Leon Bond of Chico, commanding the Second Infantry, has ordered all the infantry, including the towns of Sacramento, Chico, Redding, Oroville and Woodland, to recruit to a semi-war footing of eighty-four men to a company.

These recruiting orders were made necessary by the passage of a new volunteer army bill by Congress yesterday, which provides that three-fourths of the minimum strength of fifty-eight in each company must volunteer for war before that company can be taken over by the War Department as an organization.

A percentage of the men in the militia are married and have families dependent upon them and could not leave them to go to war.

A similar order for cavalry recruiting has been issued by Maj. S. W. Kay.

Preparing for the expected orders to mobilize the militia of California for war, the mobilization camp at the State fair grounds is being placed in order to receive the 10,000 militiamen, who would be concentrated there.

Majs. Thomas, Sherburn and Norboe are the officers in charge of laying out the camp.

OREGON AWAITS CALL.

Indians Eager to Enlist As Scouts: Preparations Made to Organize Troop of Cowboys.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) April 25.—Militia enlistments and organizations of volunteer regiments were being carried on throughout Oregon today in preparation for a possible call for troops to serve in Mexico.

At Pendleton, the reservation Indians are urging that they be enlisted as scouts. Preparations are being made to organize a troop of cowboys.

CAN'T STOMACH HAYWOOD.

Polish Members of Massachusetts I.W.W. Resign and Offer to Go as Volunteers to Mexico.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WEBSTER (Mass.) April 25.—Sixteen members of Webster branch of the Industrial Workers of the World at a meeting last night, quit the organization, owing to the recent speech of William D. Haywood predicting a general strike in event of war with Mexico. All are Polish, but swore allegiance to the United States and offered to go to Mexico as volunteers if needed.

MARINE CORPS RECRUITING.

RETIRED OFFICERS' ORDERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Secretary Daniels, through Maj.-Gen. Barnett, commandant of marines, ordered today the following retired Marine Corps officers to special recruiting duty at these stations:

Capt. F. M. Eslick of Gadsden, Ala., to St. Louis.

Capt. R. C. Walker of Middleton, N. Y., to Boston.

Capt. D. W. Blake of Pass Christian, Miss., to St. Paul.

Capt. H. T. Swain of Saratoga, Cal., to Portland, Or.

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We eat too much meat which clogs Kidneys, then the Back hurts.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

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MARQUIS, Upright, Golden Oak	Was	350	NOW	265
LAUTER, Upright, Mahogany	Was	375	NOW	285
KRAKAUER BROS., Grand, Mahogany	Was	750	NOW	595
SCHAEFFER, Player Piano, Mahogany	Was	650	NOW	400
ELWOOD, Player Piano, Golden Oak	Was	600	NOW	475

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LESTER, Upright, Oak	closing out price		215
CABLE & SONS, Upright, Mahogany	closing out price		265
STUYVESANT, Player Piano, Mahogany	closing out price		365
TECHNOLA, Player Piano, Golden Oak	closing out price		395
WHEELOCK, Pianola Piano, Fumed Oak	closing out price		625

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Hear Call to Arms.

WAR SPIRIT AT SOLDIERS' HOME.

VETERANS EAGER TO ENLIST FOR THE FRONT.

First Man to Be Enrolled Is a Son of a Veteran of the Civil War Buried in the Home Cemetery. Another Has Seen Service in the War With Spain.

When, after the destruction of the Maine sixteen years ago, war was declared against Spain, the Soldiers' Home seethed with excitement. Col. A. J. Smith, then governor of this branch, issued a circular calling upon all veterans of the Home, who felt equal to "performance of service in defense of the Coast" to enroll at once, with a view to forming a battalion for that duty, if deemed proper by his superiors.

In less than a week a battalion numbering nearly 600 men was organized. Companies regularly officered could be seen daily going through military exercises in every open space on the Home grounds.

Two Spanish War veterans were impatiently besieging headquarter officers yesterday in haste to obtain clearance papers from this institution. Having enlisted at Los Angeles day before yesterday in Co. F, Seventh Infantry, N.G.C., they are under orders to report for transportation southward. Others, it is rumored, will follow a few days later.

The first to enlist was William J. Kincaid, formerly of Co. B, Second United States Cavalry (Spanish-American War.) He claims the distinction of being the only member of the Home who can lay claim to the fact he is the son of a veteran of the Civil War buried in the Home cemetery. His father, James M. Kincaid, whose service was in Co. E, Sixty-third Pennsylvania Infantry, and in Co. G, Sixth Veteran Reserve Corps, died and was buried here in 1906.

The second Home member to enlist is Vanderbilt H. Sutton, whose service in the Spanish War was in Co. F, First California Infantry. He enlisted yesterday in Co. F, Seventh Infantry, N.G.C., and has already departed, under orders to entrain tonight for the south.

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THREE REGIMENTS ON WAY TO FRONT.

REGULARS OF EIGHTH BRIGADE HURRIED TO EL PASO.

Twenty-five Hundred Infantrymen Handled by Railroads in Nine Long Trains—Brig.-Gen. Pershing, a Veteran of Philippines, in Command.

Two regiments of regulars, 1719 men and eighty-six officers, passed through here yesterday in six special trains over the Southern Pacific on their way to the border. Another regiment, 736 men and forty-one officers, was handled through Barstow by the Santa Fe.

The regiments are the Sixth, Twelfth and Sixteenth United States Infantry of the Eighth Brigade, commanded by Brig.-Gen. John J. Pershing, a Philippine veteran. The first two regiments went through here, the Sixteenth through Barstow. Pershing and staff accompanied the second battalion of the Sixth. His headquarters have been the Presidio, San Francisco.

All three regiments, with the possible exception of the Twelfth, will proceed to El Paso, where Pershing will report to Maj.-Gen. Bliss, commanding the Southern Department. The Twelfth has tentative orders to go to Nogales, but officers expressed the belief here that these orders will be countermanded and the regiment accompany its brigade to El Paso.

With the departure of the Eighth Brigade from San Francisco the Presidio was left manned by a company of coast artillery.

With six long soldier trains bearing down on it, dispatching orders flying thick and fast, and water and ice to be provided for the trains, the old River Station was a beehive of industry all day yesterday. As fast as a train came in, car inspectors swarmed about it to see that trucks, wheels, bolts, couplers and air-hoses were in good shape. At the same time, men were filling the water tanks and putting ice into the coolers. Nearly five tons of ice was used for the six trains.

The first train, carrying the first battalion of the Sixth, in charge of Maj. E. A. Lewis, arrived at 3:45 p.m. The second battalion, Maj. Hines in charge, arrived shortly after 6 p.m., and the third train, bearing the third battalion, in charge of Maj. Crowley, arrived thirty minutes later. Col. J. A. Arrasmith was with this train. Then followed the three trains carrying the Twelfth Regiment, commanded by Col. R. M. Blatchsford. Three trains came in at intervals of from an hour and one-half to three hours. The last train passed through after midnight. Under army regulations, no attempt at fast time was made by the railroad companies. In fact, fast time was impossible, as the trains were all heavy, consisting of from fourteen to twenty cars. There were standard sleepers for the officers, tourist sleepers for the men, kitchen and baggage cars, stock cars for the horses, and flat cars for the wagons. Every battalion carried two ambulance wagons, something not carried by the trains which went through the day before. The usual amount of provisions and forage was carried in freight cars, while one car of each train was loaded with ammunition.

Barstow, where nothing exciting has happened since the soda lakes were created, awoke yesterday to a fever of martial ardor with the arrival of the Sixteenth in three trains. Telegraphic reports to the Santa Fe here stated that business was at a standstill, while the trains were within the town limits and that everybody turned out to cheer the boys in khaki. Col. George B. Bell commands this regiment. He was in personal charge of the third train. The other two were in charge of Majs. Farnsworth and Bennett.

HOLD MEXICAN FOR TUNNEL CRIME.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) April 25.—Jesus San Martin, accused of participation in the Cumbre-tunnel disaster, was arrested here tonight by the police and will be turned over to military authorities at Ft. Bliss.

He admitted his identity, said the police, but denied that he was present at the wrecking of a passenger train at Cumbre, Chihuahua, Mex., on February 4, when fifteen Americans were killed. San Martin admitted having been a follower of Maximo Castillo, held at the military prison camp here.

SPECIAL TRAIN FROM CAPITAL.

[BY MEXICAN CABLE AND A. P.]

VERA CRUZ, April 25.—A special train carrying refugees from the capital arrived here tonight. The refugees, who left Mexico City at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, reported the continued destruction of American property there.

Up to the time of their departure no Americans had been killed.

Vicksburg Going to Mexico.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TACOMA (Wash.) April 25.—Under orders from Bremerton the gunboat Vicksburg, used here by the naval militia, will steam tomorrow to the Puget Sound navy yard to prepare for service in Mexican waters.

Latin Bid For Peace.

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indignities which gave rise to the present situation will be attempted while the effort is being made to bring about a settlement through diplomacy.

Although the offer made by the three South American countries did not reveal their plans, it was learned that they contemplate a broad settlement of the Mexican problem through the elimination of Huerta, upon which the United States has insisted from the beginning. Notification of the offer of mediation was sent not only to the diplomatic representatives of Argentina, Chile and Brazil in Mexico City, but to Gen. Carranza and the Constitutionalists in Northern Mexico.

RAY OF HOPE.

President Wilson summoned Senators Stone, Shively and Lodge of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and Chairman Flood and Representative Cooper of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs to discuss the new turn in events—the first ray of hope after a day of worry and anxiety over the scores of Americans held up in their flight from the Mexican capital.

THE EXCHANGES.

The text of the offer made by the Brazilian Ambassador and the Ministers from Argentina and Chile and the reply of the American government, transmitted by Secretary Bryan in person to the three diplomats late today, is as follows—first, the reply:

"The government of the United States is deeply sensible of the friendliness, the good feeling and the generous concern for the peace and welfare of America manifested in the joint note just received from Your Excellency tendering the good offices of your government to effect if possible a settlement of the present difficulties between the government of the United States and those who now claim to represent our sister republic of Mexico. Conscious of the purpose with which the proffer is made this government does not feel at liberty to decline it. Its own chief interest is in the peace of America, the cordial intercourse of her republics and their people, and the happiness and prosperity which can spring only out of frank, mutual understanding of the friendship which is created by common purpose. The generous offer of your governments is therefore accepted.

"This government hopes most earnestly that you may find those who speak for the several elements of the Mexican people willing and ready to discuss terms of satisfactory and therefore permanent settlement. If you should find them willing this government will be glad to take up with you for discussion in the frankest and most conciliatory spirit any proposals that may be authoritatively formulated and will hope that they may prove feasible and prophetic of a new day of mutual co-operation and confidence in America.

"This government feels bound in candor to say that its diplomatic relations with Mexico being for the present severed, it is not possible for it to make sure of an uninterrupted opportunity to carry out the plan of intermediation which you propose. It is, of course, possible that some act of aggression on the part of those who control the military forces of Mexico might oblige the United States to act to the upsetting of the hopes of immediate peace, but this does not justify us in hesitating to accept your generous suggestion. We shall hope for the best results within a brief time, enough to relieve our anxiety lest most ill-considered hostile demonstrations should interrupt negotiations and disappoint our hopes of peace."

The text of the offer made by the three countries, was:

"Mr. Secretary of State: With the purpose of subserving the interests of peace and civilization in our continent and with the earnest desire to prevent further bloodshed to the prejudice of the cordiality and union which have always surrounded the relations of the governments and the people of America, we, the plenipotentiaries of Brazil, Argentina and Chile, duly authorized hereto, have the honor to lend to Your Excellency's government our good offices for the pacific and friendly settlement of the conflict between the United States and Mexico.

"This offer puts in due form the suggestions which we have had occasion to offer heretofore on this subject to the secretary to whom we renew the assurances of our highest and most distinguished consideration.

[Signed.]
"D. LA GAMA.
"R. S. NOAN.
"EDUARDO SUAREZ MUJICA."

WILSON'S VIEW.

From those at tonight's White House conference it was learned that while the President was not sanguine of the success of the intermediation plan, he felt it to be the duty of the American government to avail itself of the offer of the three great South American countries. It was suggested that the negotiations, even though they might be unsuccessful, might serve to repress anti-American outbursts and afford an opportunity for Americans to depart from Mexico.

The President had spent many hours during the day considering the offer with Secretary Bryan and other Cabinet officials. They gave particular attention also to the alarming reports sent by American Consul Canada at Vera Cruz about the safety of Americans in Mexico City and along the railroad to Vera Cruz. The detention of 125 Americans at Pachuca and Cordoba and nineteen Americans and a British subject at Orizaba worried administration officials especially because communication to Mexico City was subject to such frequent interruption.

CLAMOR FOR WAR.

Many members of Congress are clamoring for a more aggressive course, even to a declaration of war. Some Cabinet members favor a drastic course to end the anarchical conditions in the southern republic, while others think much can be accomplished by persuading the Constitutionalists to remain neutral.

Developments of the day centered chiefly in the receipt of meager reports about the American refugees, but important preparations for a long occupation of Vera Cruz were made. A postal agency is to be established there for the care of mail and supply ships are being rushed to Vera Cruz, carrying provisions for sixty days.

RETROSPECT OF THE DAY.

The most important happenings of the day were:

American Consul Canada's report that Americans were being detained in Mexico because it was believed there that Mexicans were being restrained by Americans from leaving Vera Cruz. Immediate steps were taken through the British embassy here and the British legation in Mexico City to correct the impression prevailing in the Mexican capital.

Unconfirmed reports of the killing of four Americans in Mexico City were called to the attention of the Brazilian embassy here with the request that its legation in Mexico City, now looking after American interests there, seek verification of them.

Consul Canada at Vera Cruz sent reports of anti-American demonstrations and general unrest in Mexico City. He heard that 125 Americans were put off a train at Pachucah by the train crew, but that another train had gone out from Mexico City to assist them in continuing their journey to Vera Cruz.

Secretary Garrison announced he had issued no orders for any further troop movements and that army officers were to use their own discretion in protecting international bridges on the border.

The German vessel Ypiranga, whose consignment of war munitions for Huerta caused the United States peremptorily to seize the Vera Cruz customhouse, was ordered back to Hamburg, Germany, without landing her cargo.

The Navy Department dispatched vessels up and down the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of Mexico to take away American Consuls and refugees generally. Between 3000 and 3500 refugees already have been protected or are en route to the United States.

Secretary Bryan said today Charge O'Shaughnessy probably would leave for the United States on the first available ship.

Lieut.-Gen. Nelson A. Miles, U.S.A., retired, senior officer commanding the army in the Spanish-American War, called on Secretary Garrison and Gen. Wood and it is understood offered his services should war be declared.

It was announced today that the interests of the Mexican embassy here and her consulates throughout the country would be looked after by the Spanish embassy and consulates.

The Costa Rica Envoy, Joaquin Calvo, ranking minister of the diplomatic corps, and Dr. Alberto Membrano, Minister from Honduras, joined the three South American plenipotentiaries while they were conferring on their plans for mediation.

It was thought other South and Central American diplomats might be called in for a general discussion.

Ignacio Calderon, Minister of Bolivia; Federico Alfonso Pezet, Minister of Peru; Eusebio Morales, Minister of Panama, and Manuel de la Vega-Calderon, Charge d'Affaires of Cuba, joined the conferees later.

The Latin-American diplomats spent an hour and a half in discussing the move for mediation.

"No plans for the future were considered," declared Peruvian Minister Pezet after the conference, "but we have the best hope."

Interchangeable.

GOOD OFFICES JUST ADVISORY.

AUTHORITIES CONFLICT AS TO MEANING OF MEDIATION.

John Bassett Moore, John Hay and The Hague Tribunal All Give Definitions Which Are Considerably at Variance as to What Latest Wilson Plan Really Means.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—President Wilson's acceptance of the good offices of Brazil, Argentina and Chile to compose the Mexican conflict, has centered the attention of international authorities on just what the procedure will be and what "good offices" are under the practice of nations.

The offer of the South American envoys speaks of good offices, and the reply of the United States government makes reference to intermediation.

MOORE'S VERSION.

John Bassett Moore, former counsellor of the State Department and an authority on international law, points out a distinction between the case of good offices and mediation and says:

"The demand of good offices or their acceptance does not confer the right of mediating."

HAY'S DEFINITION.

John Hay, when Secretary of State, said:

"The phrase good offices being somewhat elastic should be confined to two contingencies. In its first sense it corresponds to the French term 'officioux.' In its second sense it is allied to arbitral intermediation as an impartial adviser of both parties, and not only implies but requires the assent of both parties and oftener, a spontaneous invitation from each."

The Hague convention uses the two terms good offices and mediation interchangeably.

HAGUE PROVISIONS.

The Hague provisions follow:

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"Powers strangers to the dispute, have the right to offer their good offices or mediation even during the course of hostilities.

"The exercise of this right can never be regarded by one or the other of the parties in conflict as an unfriendly act."

ACTION IS ADVISORY.

That the work of the three South American envoys in the present case will be purely advisory and not be of a binding character appears to follow from article VI of the Hague convention, which provides:

"Good offices and mediation either at the request of the parties at variance, or on the initiative of powers stranger to the dispute, have exclusively the character of advice and never have binding force."

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SOUTH AMERICA FEARS ABSORPTION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

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Angeleno Presents Case for the Pacific Coast.

States Western Fruit Men Would Be Benefited.

Low Water Rates to Stop Railway Overcharges.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 25.—This was Pacific Coast day before the Senate Committee on Interoceanic Canals. Willis Booth, on behalf of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, who has just returned from a tour through Chile and other South American states, argued for free tolls. He said that if our merchant marine develops so that it becomes attractive to capital, we are going to get a freight rate between the east and west coasts that will be satisfactory, but that if the carriers tried to absorb the benefit granted in free tolls, the fruit interests of California would charter ships and put on their own line.

"In five years from now," he prophesied, "the fruit business will undoubtedly have at least 50,000 carloads to ship. The fruit men will not accept a rate that is just a little below the rail rate."

"I believe in free tolls for everything, coastwise, over seas, everything," said Senator Thomas of Colorado.

"We believe," said Booth, "that if we are allowed the free use of the canal in coastal business we can forestall combinations in rates."

Senator Thomas suggested that the government might establish a line of ships between the east and west coasts.

"If we can have the free use of the canal," replied Booth, "I think we can save the government that expense."

Senator Walsh wants to know if oil could be sent to the Atlantic Coast to compete with eastern coal, but Booth said he was not sufficiently familiar with the details of that subject to go on record about it.

Henry E. Chase of San Jose appeared for the San Jose Chamber of Commerce and spoke briefly. W. D. Skinner, a prominent lumberman of California and Oregon, also made a strong statement.

CANAL TOLLS AND LUMBER.

Seattle Man Declares Repeal of Exemption Would Put Embargo on Pacific Coast Business.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—A charge that tolls on American coastwise vessels passing through the Panama Canal would be an embargo on Pacific Coast lumber in eastern markets in the interest of Southern lumber was made today before the Senate Interoceanic Canals Committee by D. E. Skinner, a lumberman of Seattle, Wash. He asserted the situation should not be viewed from the standpoint that exemption from tolls was a subsidy to ship owners, but that imposition of tolls was an embargo on coastwise shipping through the canal.

Senator Simmons introduced, after Skinner's testimony, a letter from Robert Brookins, a Pacific Coast lumberman, who said the imposition of tolls would have little or no effect upon the Pacific Coast lumber trade. Skinner, in reply, said Brookins' mills were not located on harbors that could be used by vesels passing through the canal.

The committee probably will conclude its hearings on the bill on Monday.

FOR NURSES' INSTRUCTION.

House Passes Hay Resolution Authorizing Army and Navy to Issue Articles to Red Cross.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—To meet the present emergency in Mexico with possible need of trained volunteer nurses the House today passed the Hay joint resolution authorizing the Secretaries of War and Navy to issue at their discretion and under proper regulations any articles needed for instruction and practice by organizations formed by the American National Red Cross for rendering aid to the army and navy in war.

RAILWAY FOR YUMA.

Secretary of Interior Lane Says Plans Are Made to Improve Imperial Valley.

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WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 25.—Secretary of the Interior Lane announced today that preparations are being made to build a railroad twenty miles south from Yuma, Ariz., by Engineer Marshall, who has been sent to take charge of the Colorado flood situation in the Imperial Valley.

The road will be used to aid Marshall in his work of controlling the threatened floods, and repairing the break in the river bank.

Lane said that the break will be closed, no matter what it costs, and as speedily as possible.

BILL TO AMEND DAM LAWS.

House Committee Reports Measure Aimed to Prevent Control of Sites by Trusts.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25. — The House Interstate Commerce Committee reported today a general bill amending the dam laws with a view to encouraging private capital for power generation purposes. The measure prohibits acquisition of dam sites by combinations of so-called trusts and requires prior approval by the War Department of all plans and specifications.

Los Angeles Pensions.

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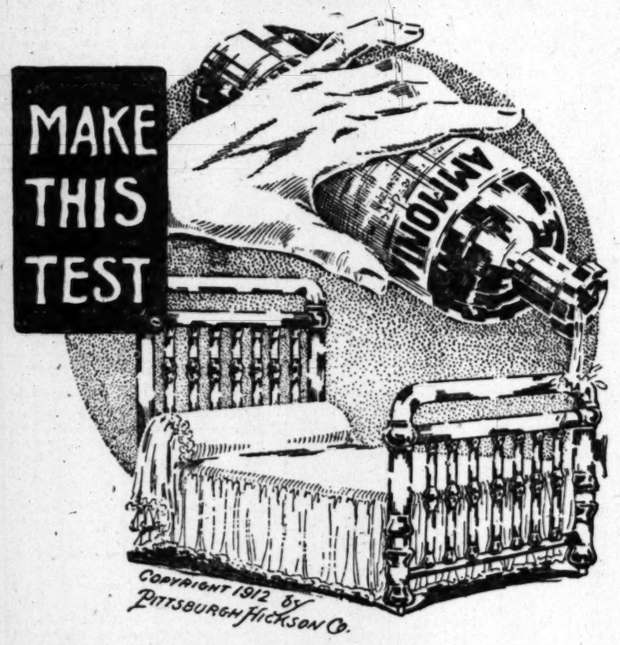
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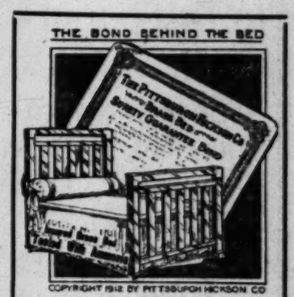
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[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BERKELEY, April 25.—The plan of Allan C. Rush, a Los Angeles engineer, to span San Francisco Bay with the world's longest and mightiest suspension bridge was brought at least one step nearer realization today when the Berkeley City Council gave its indorsement to the Rush transbay bridge bill now before the United States. This bill would grant to Rush the privilege of establishing the piers of the projected bridge on the solid rock of Goat Island in the bay, and on the government land at the edge of the San Francisco and Oakland channels.

The Berkeley authorities went still further by offering to Rush terminal rights having a prospective value of $6,000,000, on condition that if the bridge from San Francisco should become an assured fact, it should terminate at this city.

The bridge designed by Rush is patented in most of its features, being unique in most respects. Including terminals, it would have a total length of nine miles, being anchored in Telegraph Hill, on Goat Island and at the Berkeley (or Oakland) end. The cables, sixteen in number, would be the largest ever made and would support three tiers of traffic, one above the other and each divided into four lanes. The plans call for nine tremendous spans, each 2230 feet in length. The total cost of the bridge and its approaches is estimated at $48,000,000.

RUN GUNS INTO ULSTER.

"Volunteers" Land Big Supply of Rifles and Cartridges Which Are Distributed Quickly by Autos.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BELFAST (Ireland) April 25.—A consignment of about 40,000 rifles and half a million rounds of ammunition from Germany was landed at isolated points on the coast of Ulster last night and distributed by means of 200 automobiles to the various headquarters of the Ulster volunteers. The Ulster men who declare themselves determined to offer armed resistance to the introduction of home rule, were mobilized last night and guarded the landing places and roads. The police were powerless to interfere.

CABINET AROUSED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 25.—The gun running exploit of the Ulster "volunteers," stirred the British Cabinet into sudden activity today. Premier Asquith, who was on the way to his country residence for the week end, was stopped by telegraph and returned to London immediately. On his arrival he conferred with Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, and other colleagues in the Cabinet. Maj.-Gen. Sir Cecil Macready of the War Office participated in the conference.

THE WEATHER BACK EAST.

Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis Have Warm Temperature with Frequent Rainfall.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 25.—Chicago was 10 deg. warmer than Los Angeles today, with a maximum of 74. Cincinnati had the same temperature, while St. Louis was four degrees higher. Rain fell over all the East Central and most of the West Central States and in some of the Eastern States. Chicago had its customary heavy rain early in the morning, followed by a clear day. Other temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	88	64
Boise, Idaho	58	32
Boston, Mass.	46	38
Buffalo, N. Y.	60	48
Calgary, Alberta	52	34
Chicago, Ill.	74	62
Denver, Colo.	68	42
Des Moines, Iowa	78	52
Dodge City, Kan.	84	46
Duluth, Minn.	50	38
Durango, Colo.	62	32
Flagstaff, Ariz.	54	28
Galveston, Tex.	74	70
Havre, Mont.	58	36
Helena, Mont.	56	38
Huron, S. D.	76	50
Jacksonville, Fla.	82	62
Kansas City, Mo.	84	62
Knoxville, Tenn.	82	58
Memphis, Tenn.	76	68
Modena, Utah	52	38
Montreal, Que.	54	34
Moorhead, Minn.	64	46
New Orleans, La.	82	64
New York, N. Y.	50	46
North Platte, Neb.	78	44
Oklahoma City, Okla.	82	60
Piatsburgh, Pa.	68	52
Rapid City, S. D.	50	46
Roswell, N. M.	84	46
St. Louis, Mo.	78	66
St. Paul, Minn.	66	44
Salt Lake City, Utah	54	42
Sheridan, Wyo.	42	40
Tampa, Fla.	86	62
Tonopah, Nev.	50	34
Washington, D. C.	54	52
Williston, N. D.	62	44
Winnemucca, Nev.	58	32
Winnipeg, Man.	58	42
Yuma, Ariz.	80	54

GAMMA SIGNA DELTA HONOR.

Eight Members of Junior Class of Oregon College, Including Three Californians, Are Elected.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE (Corvallis) April 25.—Gamma Sigma Delta, the national honorary agricultural fraternity with a chapter at the Oregon Agricultural College, has announced the election of eight members of the junior class of this college to membership, among whom are C. E. Hill of Springfield, Mass.; R. E. Miller of Spokane, Wash.; O. B. Hayes of Pasadena, Cal.; R. G. Fowler of Portland; H. C. Belton of Gardena, Cal., and John R. Flint of San Diego, Cal.

The ceremony was conducted by Dean A. B. Cordley, dean of the school of agriculture and director of the Oregon Experiment Station, and himself a member of Gamma Sigma Delta.

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Mother, keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs." Then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no cheaper size. Don't be fooled.—[Advertisement.

Help!

INVADING ARMY PENCIL LADEN.

WOMEN TO STORM BUILDINGS IN CHARITY'S CAUSE.

Benefit for St. Elizabeth's Day Nursery Brings Out Scores of Willing Workers Who Will Thoroughly Canvass Business Section of City, Hotels and Stores.

Los Angeles will be invaded next Wednesday by an army of women selling pencils for the benefit of St. Elizabeth's Day Nursery. With Mrs. Joseph Farrell in charge at the headquarters in the Bluett building, assisted by Miss Marie R. Mullen, vice-president; Mrs. Oscar Lawler, treasurer, and Mrs. D. G. Grant, secretary, scores of ladies will be sent to storm the banks, hotels, office buildings and wherever pencils may be disposed of to best advantage.

Following are the assignments:

Alexandria Hotel—Mrs. Gus Harris and assistants.

Angelus—Mrs. H. Wade and assistants.

Clark—Mrs. M. J. McGarry and assistants.

Hayward—Mrs. W. Mackie and aides.

Hollenbeck—W. O'Meara and assistants.

Lankershim—Mrs. Bobrick in charge, assisted by Mrs. P. Wilson, Mrs. Lester Robinson, Mrs. Rufus Horton, Miss H. Brandt, Miss Gladys Pollard, Miss Virginia Nourse and Mrs. Alfred Wright.

Natick—Miss Bodkin and assistants.

Van Nuys—Mrs. F. Newmark and assistants.

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Security Trust and Savings—Mrs. M. Hellman and Mrs. H. W. Frank.

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Los Angeles Trust and Savings—Mrs. W. H. Workman, Jr., in charge.

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Hibernian—Mrs. G. Howard and aides.

National Bank of California—Mrs. Frank Chase and others.

Home Savings—Mrs. F. Chase.

California Savings—Mrs. M. P. Snyder in charge, Mrs. George N. Warwick and Miss Zimmermann.

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Danger Signals for Color Blind.

[Engineering Record:] A new type of colored danger signal advocated for use in industrial plants consists of a blue circle within a wide yellow rim. Of the 4 per cent. of all men who are defective in color perception the majority cannot distinguish red, because red is evanescent, possesses relatively little luminosity and fades rapidly. Since yellow and blue are the only colors which excite a normal color sensation as soon as they become visible as colored, they can be seen at a greater distance in daylight and are more easily distinguishable in a poor light than any other color or combination of colors. Further all other colors appear either yellow or blue until they pass within the yellow blue area of the eyes, when they are recognized. Yellow and blue are also the most luminous colors of the spectrum and are more permanent than red. Finally, in the rare instances in which workmen are unable to distinguish yellow and blue, these colors will appear red or green to them, affording a protection a red signal could not give.

Labor.

SECOND CALL FOR TROOPS.

Ammons Wants the Regulars Sent to Colorado.

Mob of Women Cajole Him to Make Demand.

"Do It Yourself," the Reply from Washington.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER, April 25.—Gov. Elias M. Ammons tonight at 9 o'clock by wire requested President Wilson to "send Federal troops into Colorado immediately" to handle the strike situation.

Several hundred women met in the capital today to present to Gov. Ammons a resolution adopted at a recent meeting of the Woman's Peace Society. Their demands were submitted by Mrs. R. W. Steele, wife of the late R. W. Steele, chief justice of the Colorado State Supreme Court. They included a request for Federal troops, the withdrawal of the State Militia, and investigation of charges against Maj. P. J. Mamrock and Lieut. Linderfelt.

The women were insistent that the Governor send a second telegram to President Wilson relatively to sending Federal troops into the strike zone with the result that there was an exchange of messages.

The Governor's message to President Wilson follows:

"Conflicting reports as to action of Cabinet meeting yesterday morning have been received here. What I would be greatly obliged to know is if we can not control the situation in the Southern Colorado coal field, can we have Federal troops?"

President Wilson's reply follows:

"Discussion at Cabinet meeting referred to was merely for the sake of information. I cannot conceive of the authority of the State of Colorado being ineffective and earnestly suggest that renewed efforts be made to prevent hostile action on either side, or any action that might provoke hostility. Congressional committee about to revisit State for conference on grounds."

PEACE OVER SUNDAY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TRINIDAD (Colo.) April 25.—Peace in the Colorado coal camps will continue over Sunday if orders given by strike leaders to their followers are obeyed.

Following a conference late today between Adjt.-Gen. John Chase and officers of the United Mine Workers of America, John R. Lawson addressed a mass meeting of strikers here and urged them to abstain from any acts of violence until after a conference to be held in Denver tomorrow in which State officers and citizens will endeavor to effect a settlement of the coal miners' strike.

The outcome of the conference was practically a continuation of the truce arranged last night in Denver.

A party carrying a Red Cross flag and representing itself as being authorized to act for that organization, was ordered under military detention by Gen. Chase at the military headquarters and turned back to Trinidad.

Gen. Chase explained that he had been informed by Dr. S. P. Morris, Red Cross district representative of Denver, that the party was not authorized to represent the organization. The party had gone from Trinidad with the intention of making further search of the ruins of the Ludlow tent colony for bodies.

The union leaders asked that the present arrangement be permitted to stand and that no troops be sent to Trinidad.

"They asked that no attacks be made upon the strikers, and in return I asked that no attack be made upon a detail which will be sent to Aguilar tonight to get Supt. Waddell," said Gen. Chase.

Supt. William Waddell of the Empire mine was wounded during the attack upon that property Tuesday.

Gen. Chase added that John Lawson promised that no attack would be made upon the troops and said that the union leader had promised to send word to the Aguilar strikers not to molest the soldiers.

"I told the union leader further," said Gen. Chase, "that the militia was not seeking trouble and was making no attacks upon any one."

J. W. Siple, president of the Southwestern Fuel Company, who with thirty others, including a number of women and children, was a prisoner in the Empire mine from early Wednesday until late yesterday, arrived here today with a graphic story of his experiences.

According to Siple, blast after blast of giant powder was set off at the mouth of the main stope and at the fanhouse by the attacking party. The explosions caved the openings and filled the mine with dust. The powder was taken from the company powderhouse.

Two bullets passed through his desk and a number struck the office before he finally fled to the mine stope.

Supt. William Waddell was shot after he had left the mine to look for his son, Matthew Waddell, who was missing. He fell with a bullet in his shoulder before he had advanced fifty feet. Siple and others rushed out and dragged him back into the stope. Young Waddell was found after the attacking party had left. He had hidden in the engine-room and was suffering with a bullet wound in his leg. The party was without food, but there was plenty of water in the mine. Two mine mules shared the prison with the refugees.

The funeral of Louis Tikas, leader of the Greek strikers, who was killed in the Ludlow battle of Monday, will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow. Several hundred Greeks, including a large party from Colorado Springs, reached Trinidad today on foot. All were heavily armed. In lieu of cartridge belts, strikers had placed their supply of ammunition in flour sacks, which they slung across their shoulders. The Greeks stored their fire-arms in local union quarters on their arrival here, and have posted guards in front of the building.

AGAINST THE OSLER THEORY.

Experience in a Large Machine Shop Shows the Older Men to Be More Efficient Than Young Ones.

[American Machinist:] We are told that this is an age for young men, that shops want young blood, and in some it almost seems as if, after a man has stayed six months, he is looked upon as out of date and antiquated in his ideas. As a matter of fact, some shops do not want to hire men over 35 years of age.

A short time ago we spent a few days in a large machine shop, where a man is considered young until he reaches 65 or 70 years of age. We met a number who had seen from twenty to forty years of service with this company. When inquiries were made as to their work, we were told that it was as good and often better than that of many younger men in the company's employ.

In this shop was noticed the absence of waste motion; no "goose steps" were seen. Often much of the hurry and bustle exhibited by the younger man is useless motion and parade action.

To the superintendent who looks only at appearances, such action might indicate a live shop, but in fact, they do not get anywhere.

The engineering student is taught mathematics and the natural sciences in such a way that he believes that human knowledge is absolute. When he goes into the shop he carries with him this idea, that what he knows is so, not that he knows everything. He fails to realize that the cause and effect of natural laws as applied in engineering work are much more complex than any scientific or engineering theories made to explain them. The great work of nature is not covered by human knowledge.

Particularly in the field of management and in the handling of men is our knowledge far from absolute, and all of our theories are inadequate.

NEW LANGUAGE FOR NORWAY.

Attempt to Be Free From the Results Imposed by the Danish Conquerors Four Centuries Ago.

[Baltimore American:] Ever since Norway was conquered by the Danes it has been a bilingual, or two-language, nation, but now the people wish to be free from the language imposed upon them by their conquerors and to adopt in its stead the "Landsmaal, or modified native speech," says the Pathfinder.

Landsmaal is not a mere revision of the existing language—Danish—but it is an entirely different language. In it are embodied much of the ancient Norse of the sagas, and some of the dialects which have survived among the peasantry from the days of the Vikings. It was invented by the eminent Norwegian philologist, Ivar Aasen, about the year 1850.

Aasen succeeded so well in producing a musical, poetic language that it has found much favor with the people, who have adopted it in the schools, churches, songs, plays and vernacular. A large part of the popularity of Landsmaal seems to be due to its patriotic significance; it appeals to the pride of the people in the ancient port, when the Viking kings held sway over a vast amount of territory in Northwestern Europe.

On the other hand, the corrupted Danish, which, for more than 400 years, has been the official language of the country, recalls to the minds of the people the days of Danish oppression, when Norway was subject to the rule of an alien king who had robbed her of independence. For this reason it is extremely distasteful to them. Indeed, his Danish birth is said to be the only ground for the unpopularity of King Haakon's rule, wise and considerate though it is. King Haakon, it will be recalled, was a Danish prince. He was put on the Norwegian throne when Norway cut loose from Sweden.

The centennial anniversary of Norway's independence of Denmark will be celebrated early next year. At that time, it is hoped by many of the most patriotic people, Landsmaal will be adopted as the official language of the country and thus signalize the national rejoicing in honor of the occasion. The plan is heartily favored by the press and by the majority of the Storthing or Parliament, and of the people. Even now a commission is at work to the end that the new vernacular may be decreed at the very beginning of the centennial.

Numerous instances in which governments have forced a language upon a people have been recorded, but this, it is said, will be the first time in history when the people have compelled their rulers to abandon a language and adopt a new one. To Ivar Aasen will be accorded a distinction that has come to no other man in history, namely, that of constructing a language which appealed so strongly to his countrymen that they wish to have it substituted for the one which has been used for hundreds of years. Aasen was the son of a peasant farmer and was born just a hundred years ago. When he died, in 1896, a great public funeral was held in his honor at Christiania, where a national memorial will soon be erected over his tomb.

KILLS HIMSELF IN CHURCH.

Providence Boy Leaves Note Saying He Was in Love with Girl Who Committed Suicide.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PROVIDENCE (R. I.) April 25.—Edwin W. Stilwell, 15 years old, killed himself last night on the altar at the Calvary Baptist Church. According to a note left by the boy he was in love with Mariam Frances Gleason, aged 17, who shot and killed herself earlier in the week. The girl's father had frowned on young Stilwell's attentions to Mariam.

BANK PRESIDENT GUILTY.

Former President of Natchez Institution Charged with Receiving Deposits When It Was Insolvent.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NATCHEZ (Miss.) April 25.—Audrew G. Campbell, charged with receiving deposits in the First Natchez National Bank after it was insolvent, was found guilty yesterday.

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SENOR RIANO IN CHARGE.

GUARDS MEXICO INTERESTS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Senor Don Juan Riano, the Spanish Ambassador, announced today that he had taken charge of the affairs of the Mexican government in Washington. The secretarial force left at the Mexican embassy following the departure of Charge Algara also announced that the consular affairs of the Mexican government would be turned over to the Spanish Consuls through the Spanish Consul-General at New York.

California Postmasters.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

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Inconsistency.

MORE EXPORTED THAN PRODUCED.

Lucca Oil Adulterated With Inferior Grades.

California Olive Oil Purest in the Market.

Housewives Warned to Avoid Imported Brands.

The housewife in the future will be wise if she confines her purchases of olive oil to the best California grades and brands. In this way only will she be assured of obtaining exactly what she is paying for. Italian, French and Spanish oils of inferior and cheaper quality are now treated and mixed with the finer oils.

This is particularly true of the Italian Lucca, or Tuscany oil; always considered, heretofore, the acme of excellence by those willing to pay for, and anxious to obtain, the best for table use. Last year over 2,000,000 pounds more Lucca, or Tuscan oil, were exported from Italy to the United States than the total quantity available for the entire world. With but 1,000,000 pounds produced for export over 10,250,000 pounds were sent to this country; and the question naturally arises as to where the balance of the world was supplied from; for we are by no means the only people who mix salad dressing with Lucca oil.

It is not here suggested that this Lucca oil is not olive oil, but at the same time it is suggested that at least 35 per cent of Lucca oil is not Lucca oil at all. It is Lucca oil adulterated with inferior olive oil, imported into Tuscany and the Lucca olive oil district from other parts of Italy, from France and Spain, and then mixed with pure Lucca oil at Leghorn, in the Lucca district, or in Lucca itself, and the mixture sold as grown in Tuscany and manufactured in Lucca.

MIXED OIL.

This adulterated or mixed oil can then be sold much cheaper than the genuine article. The present Tuscan, or Lucca, olive crop is not over one-third of a normal crop, meaning not more than 2,750,000 pounds of pure Lucca oil for export this year. In spite of this great shortage the end of February saw an estimated total of over 2,250,000 pounds, over 90 per cent of the total export production, already exported.

In Spain, where most of the olive oil produced has too much taste and carries too much odor to appeal to the average consumer in the United States—where the milder Italian and French oils are preferred—both the inferior grades and the best are now refined by modern processes of deodorizing, decoloring and neutralizing their acidity. These strong oils are now rendered mild, and in the Malaga district, the second largest olive-growing and the largest olive oil district in Spain, more olive oil has been exported this season to French and Italian olive oil districts and exporting points than to all other markets combined, where much of it is undoubtedly, when once treated, mixed with the milder oils of the best grades.

Spanish and Italian olive oil is obtained in three or four pressings, that from the first being hitherto the only one used as edible oil. While the oil remaining in the olive after the first pressing is in itself every bit as good as that obtained in the first pressing, subsequent methods of handling produce oils of far inferior quality.

The European presses are usually tight ones, and for this reason more than one pressing must be made to obtain the whole of the oil, meaning several grades of oil, and large quantities of low-grade oil, to market. While the same or similar processes were used in the early days of the olive-oil industry in California, modern presses now express the whole of the oil at one pressing, with the result that but one grade is manufactured, and that the best, and the consumer is assured of obtaining exactly what he calls for when purchasing his favorite brand of California olive oil.

SERIOUS MENACE.

This mixing of high and low-grade oil at point of origin is a serious menace to the olive-oil industry of this State, for by enabling a supposedly high-grade article to undersell the home product it is liable to reduce or curtail the market for the American oil, the reduced tariff further aiding in this.

Some idea of the extent of the European olive industry can be gathered from the following data in connection with that of Spain alone, where over 1,500,000 acres of land are devoted to olive growing. Here in 1913 were produced 575,000,000 pounds of olive oil, 2,464,000,000 pounds of olives. The value of the Spanish olive oil produced in 1913—and this quite apart from the immense quantities of green pickled olives of which over 1,500,000 gallons were imported in this country in 1912—amounted to over $50,000,000, truly an industry of no mean importance.

In California conditions are ideal for the growth of olives. This is the only known section of the world where the olive is commercial grown that the ripe olive can be pickled. The best fruit only, however, is fit for pickling, leaving the balance for manufacture into olive oil. The cost of production, of labor in picking and handling, all are far heavier in this country than in the Latin countries of Europe: competition of the character above outlined is unfair not only to the olive grower and the olive oil manufacturer in this country, but is also unfair to the consumer: for while still selling olive oil misrepresentation is practiced and the purchaser has foisted on him an article for which he pays more than its true value and not what he calls for.

The olive industry has a great future in this State. California oil and pickled olives have won great favor and reputation wherever best known. They are a safeguard to the housewife, produced under the most sanitary conditions, and once she appreciates these facts there is little question but that the California products will have the call wherever the best is wanted.

WHEN MOUNTAINS BLOW UP.

The Japanese Cataclysm Recalls the Eruption of Mount Pelee and That of Krakatoa.

[Philadelphia Record:] The eruption of Sakura recalls that of Mt. Pelee, which destroyed St. Pierre, Martinique, the most beautiful city in the West Indies, with appalling suddenness. Like Sakura, the volcanic peak of Pelee had been quiescent for a long period, and was believed to be practically extinct. It smoked a little for a few days before it blew up, but it had previously sent up similar thin, vaporous clouds at intervals of ten or twenty years—so nobody paid attention to its seemingly harmless activity. Without warning a pillar of rock shot up from the crater of Mt. Pelee to a height of nearly 100 feet and a rent opened half way up the mountain's slope, from which blew a hot blast, stupefying and incinerating every organic thing in the path of its withering breath. In less time than it takes to tell St. Pierre, with nearly its entire population, was wiped out and buried in the rain of ashes which followed the explosion.

In its tremendous force, however, the eruption of Sakura more nearly resembles that of Krakatoa in 1883. This is believed to have been the greatest cataclysmic disturbance suffered by the earth in historic times and possibly within the more recent of the geologic eras. Krakatoa was a volcanic peak rising 2000 feet above sea level, in Sunda strait. After warning manifestations, which continued several days, the outburst came on August 27. The entire northern half of the volcano was blown away and the soundings subsequently showed a depth of 1000 fathoms of water where the mountain had stood. An eye-witness of some of the phenomena observed from the shore of Java processions of native boats, held by a current many times more irresistible than that of Niagara and sucked into the vortex caused by the great hole torn in the floor of the ocean. It is estimated that the column of stones and ashes thrown up by Krakatoa's explosion shot up to a height of seventeen miles. Nearby islands were covered with volcanic debris to the height of the tree tops of their forests. The dust particles left floating in the upper strata of the atmosphere encompassed the earth as with a belt 75 degrees wide, producing a deep red glow in the sky after sunset for months after the upheaval. On the day of the eruption and for several days thereafter lamps had to be lighted at Batavia at noon. The waves started by the explosion reached almost around the earth. They were distinctly observed at Cape Horn and were perceptible even in the English channel. The most remarkable fact, however, was the distance to which the noise of the explosion traveled. It was audible in the Philippines, 1400 miles, at Ceylon, 2000 miles, and in South Australia, 2200 miles away; and a sea captain claims to have distinctly heard it all the way across the Indian ocean at Zanzibar.

THE MINING OF ALUM.

Turkish Workings Have Been in Operation for Three Hundred Years in a Crude Manner.

[The Argonaut:] Alum workings in the province of Sivas, Turkey, have been actively operated for fully 300 years. Near the village of Goynyk there is a plentiful supply of the rock or raw material, as the operations so far have been primitive, and only the face of the hillside has been dug out and reduced. The alum-bearing rock is brightly colored, usually with a pinkish or red tinge, and the waste from the Goynyk workings flows down to a small stream along the roadside, to whose waters it gives a pinkish white and opaque color, incidentally killing all the brook trout that happen to venture into the stained water from the higher part of the stream. The rock of ore is first roasted and then broken into small pieces, which are very light because the chemical elements have been burned out. The broken rock is then placed in open pits and allowed to be exposed to the rain and weather for a whole winter, during which time it becomes something like slacked lime, crumbling easily and finely granulated. In this state it is boiled with water in a large cauldron, the stone and waste matter being gradually taken out as it is stirred. Having been sufficiently boiled, the liquid, now almost clear, is placed in cooling tanks made of masonry. In the course of a few days the alum crystallizes around the sides of these tanks to a thickness varying from six to nine inches. It is then ready to be broken into smaller pieces and sent to market. The small portion of alum that sinks to the bottom of the tanks is boiled a second time and yields a superior quality.

STERILIZED OIL.

Sterilized oil for cutting tools is now being employed in a number of the more progressive manufacturing plants. The purpose is the humanitarian one of protecting the workmen from infection, since their hands are constantly bathed in the lubricant while performing their duties, but it also has the advantage of doing away with both the time loss and inconvenience and liability of the employer that in the past have resulted on many occasions from the use of germ-laden oil.

The Red Man.

INDIAN PROBLEM NEEDS SOLUTION.

Lake Mohonk Conference Has Suggested Remedy.

Wants National Commission to Meet Condition.

Thousands of Indians Dying from Diseases.

BY WARREN K. MOOREHEAD,
Member of the United States Board of Indian Commissioners.

The average intelligent person in the United States is greatly concerned when some stranger appears in the pulpit or on the lecture platform and tells of the needs and the sufferings of the heathen in far-off India, South Africa or Australia. When Dr. Grenfell comes from Labrador he is received with acclaim and it is not a difficult thing for him to raise thousands of dollars for the support of his missions. Yet one may venture to state, without fear of contradiction, that the American Indian has upon us a moral and legal claim far exceeding that possessed by the natives of distant India or near Labrador. In spite of the fact that there is more poverty and suffering among 50 or 60 per cent. of the American Indians than in Labrador, it is almost impossible to raise large sums of money for protection of health and property, or for mission work among these people.

NO PARALLEL.

The government through its Indian office for twenty years or more has made educating and alloting of Indians its chief aim.

I suppose that in the entire history of the world there is no parallel between our country and others, for no nation has expended money as lavishly as we in our efforts to educate the Indian. It is only within two or three years that we have realized that education is not the essential thing so far as the Indian is concerned.

One hears very little about the thousands of children who have contracted tuberculosis or trachoma, and who are, as soon as the presence of the disease is discovered, dismissed from the school and sent to their homes where proper medical attention is impossible. The many new graves to be observed in every Indian community in the United States tell their own sad story.

That common school education has benefited thousands of Indians, no man or woman will deny. While this is true, in recent years those two scourges of Indian communities, tuberculosis and trachoma, have increased by leaps and bounds, while there are thousands of Indians who enjoy educational advantages at this moment there are thousands from whose eyes the light is fading forever, and yet other thousands who are wasting away.

EDUCATION AND ABILITY.

The lines between the competent and incompetent Indians are not sufficiently clear cut. Many Indians have a little education, and yet are incompetent to manage their own affairs. There are full-blooded Indians, uneducated, who are sharp and shrewd and abundantly able to take care of themselves. Particularly is this true among the Navajo, and with certain of the Sioux. The mixed blood Indians, and especially those who are eighth or sixteenth—that is, who have very little Indian blood—are for the most part educated and should be permitted to shift for themselves. But while this is true, it is estimated that nearly 80 per cent. of our Indians are unable at present to manage their own affairs and therefore they need the protecting arm of the government, if we desire to save them from pauperism.

NAVAJOS EXCEL.

Just now the Navajo Indians are exciting interest on the part of educators and others. The Navajo are the best Indians in the United States, notwithstanding the fact that there are several thousand children not in school. Until we began the policy we have inaugurated elsewhere, they were free from disease. They have always been self-supporting and all they ask (and it is a reasonable request) is for us to let them alone.

If we are able to educate these Indians, without introducing trachoma and tuberculosis among them, by all means let us have education. There are very few doctors in the Navajo country, and once these diseases obtain a foothold, the bulk of the Indians will become affected before preventive measures are established. This is a phase of the subject which most of us, interested in the welfare of the Navajo, have not sufficiently taken into account.

The platform adopted by the 1913 Lake Mohonk conference at the conclusion of its session emphasizes a number of essential and very important things. Truly, some of these are vital to the Indian. These recommendations should have an effect on Congress and upon the Secretary of the Interior and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. There is nothing either superhuman or impossible in any of the recommendations. In fact, the platform may be said to be the summing up and presentation in condensed form of all the wisdom and knowledge possessed by competent men and women with reference to Indian affairs.

PERMANENCE NEEDED.

Under our peculiar form of government, and the frequent changes in office, it is practically impossible for us to satisfactorily administer the Indian trust imposed upon us. We have had four commissioners of Indian affairs in six years. Indian committees in Congress change frequently. The Secretary of the Interior no more enters upon his duties and learns what he should do for the Indians, than his successor is appointed. The conference realizing the gravity of the situation, recommends as worthy of serious consideration a suggestion to establish a national commission. The present Board of Indian Commissioners has not sufficient appropriation at its command, it serves in an honorary capacity, its men are all busy, and it is a physical impossibility for them to investigate conditions in Indian communities thoroughly or satisfactorily. If a national commission were appointed to take over entire management of Indian affairs, and the best available men in the United States were appointed to serve, we would soon have a happy and just solution of the vexed Indian problem.

CONFERENCE POINTS WAY.

The Navajo of New Mexico and the Pueblos of the Southwest have been, and are, self-supporting and capable Indians. If we take to heart the lesson from the past, we will see that these industrious people are properly protected, and the platform offers certain important recommendations looking to that end.

The expose of Indian scandals during the past three or four years has been an unpleasant task to those concerned, but if it will result in the accomplishment of all that the distinguished men and women of the conference hope, it will not be in vain. The conference has done its part and it is now up to Congress, the Secretary of the Interior and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to see that the recommendations are put in force.

BRAVERY OF THE ARABS.

Will Risk Death on the Desert Rather Than Kill Their Camels and Otherwise Show Great Fortitude.

[London Chronicle:] A thrilling story of the bravery of the Arabs, our allies in Egypt, is told by Capt. Earl Percy of the Grenadier Guards in the current issue of the Army Review, which is the official organ of the imperial general staff. Earl Percy is writing of the Egyptian Army Camel Corps, and he tells of a disaster that occurred to one of its companies in the desert west of Dongola.

"A column which was to supply them with provisions," he explains, "having failed to arrive at the appointed time, the Egyptian officer in charge of the detachment decided that the risk of remaining there was too great, and set out to march to Dongola. The party lost its way in the terrible sandstorms. The women and children were discovered by the belated convoy and rescued in the last stage of exhaustion, but of the men who had scattered in the hope of finding water twenty perished, including one officer.

"The incident revealed the extraordinary courage and endurance of which the Arabs are capable. Many of them refused to kill their camels, though the only hope of prolonging their lives lay in the course always taken in such circumstances of opening the camel's stomach and drinking the water inside it. The animals, they said, were the property of the government, and they were responsible for them.

"The most remarkable feat was that of a sergeant who eventually reached water alone, the small party that accompanied him having lain down to die. Having refreshed himself and his camel, he returned to his unconscious comrades and revived them by pouring water into their ears, their tongues having by that time swollen to such an extent that they could swallow nothing. The inquiry subsequently showed the marvelous fortitude and calmness which these men display under the most trying circumstances."

Earl Percy also writes of weird underground fighting, where savage tribesmen had hidden themselves, with their cattle and other belongings, in a burrowing that he described as a "vast rabbit warren."

This district, he explains, is the home of the Baggara, or cattle-owning tribes, the remnants of those fierce warriors who formed the main fighting strength of the Dervishes. At Southern Kordofan is the country of the Nubas, remnants of the original negro inhabitants of the country, who have been driven into the isolated rocky hills, rising 2000 or 3000 feet above the swamps and forests.

"In these mountain fastnesses," Earl Percy continues, "honeycombed with caves, this strange race builds its villages, grows its corn and tends its herds of sheep, cattle and goats. Generally speaking, they are peaceable enough, but some of the clans have an evil reputation for raiding the neighboring Arabs, murdering isolated parties that may happen to stray too near, or carrying off their women. Most of the fighting done by the camel corps has been against these tribesmen, but its details, however thrilling, are hardly of interest to the student of military science. The tribesmen invariably retire, with the greater part of their personal property and live stock, to the hole of the earth, whence they maintain a hot fire on any troops who may happen to come within range of their Sûiders or Remingtons.

"The unsatisfactory nature of this fighting may be understood if the reader can imagine himself walking over a vast rabbit warren composed of enormous boulders piled to a height of some 1000 feet or 2000 feet and covering several square miles in area, with an invisible enemy beneath him whose whereabouts it is impossible to ascertain.

"Officers naturally hesitated to engage in underground warfare in labyrinths where whole battalions might be swallowed up, and where all the advantage lay with the enemy. Latterly, however, the problem has been tackled in a systematic manner by the camel corps and in recent expeditions extensive cave-clearing operations have been carried out.

"Parties preceded by torch-bearers have explored these recesses with great success, and though some loss has been sustained, the Nubas now know that their immunity is gone, and that the arm of the government is able to reach them."

A BRASS BRAIN.

Ingenious Machine Used for Predicting the Tides for Years Ahead Both as to Time and Height.

[Scientific American:] Roger Bacon, man of letters and of science, who lived in the thirteenth century, is supposed to have manufactured a brazen head or android, which spoke and revealed "dreaded secrets of the past and future." But no brass brain has come down to the present day from antiquity which can even think, let alone articulate through a brass mouth.

But a mechanism, built for these United States of ours, can truly be called a brass brain, in that it does the mathematical calculations which would otherwise require a hundred flesh and blood brains to do; and if it does not actually articulate its results, at least it indicates them plainly enough, not only by dials, but by writing them down. Still more does it claim kinship with that ancient and fabled brass brain of Bacon's, in that it, too, foretells the future, though no "dread secret" does it make known.

This introduction may seem fanciful—it is sober fact. The machine is known as the United States tide-predicting machine No. 2. It is in daily operation in the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey at Washington. Its work is nothing less than the predicting of the times and heights of high and low tide, a year in advance. Its mechanism is of brass and steel; its house a huge mahogany and glass case, and its tender one observer, who does but sit and turn a crank until it stops, then copies off on paper the reading of several dials, and later removes from the machine a roll of paper on which is plotted the tidal curve for the particular spot along the coast, the tides of which have been predicted.

Every year the United States issues a fat book of tide tables, primarily for the use of its navy, and secondly for the use of all who go down to the sea in ships. This book of tide tables gives the time to the minute and the height to the nearest tenth of a foot of every high and low tide during the year for seventy of the great world seaports, and by means of an auxiliary table, the same information for 3000 other places.

It is essential for the mariner to know when tide is high and when low, and the magnitude of the tide. The safety of his ship and the lives of all on the vessel may depend on that information being accurate and reliable.

SECOND-HAND CORKS.

Champagne Stoppers Are Saved by Waiters and Sold to Be Used a Second Time as "Wafers."

[Pittsburgh Gazette Times:] The Manhattan Waiters' Association of New York occupies the second floor of the Sixth-avenue building, and one of the first objects that greets the visitor is a barrel filled to overflowing with champagne corks. Henry Clarke is English, affable, and chairman of the House Committee. He replied to the inquiry that the cork barrel impelled:

"Bless you, we don't drink it all. What you see in that barrel there represents what is consumed in cafes and restaurants in Broadway. We keep 'em and we sell 'em.

"That barrel," said Mr. Clarke, "and that one over there," indicating another, filled full as the first, "contain about 12,000 corks. We'll sell them tomorrow, and the money will be expended on the works of Shakespeare, Byron, Moore, Shelley, Keats, Longfellow, etc. It took only a few weeks to collect those corks."

The idea of saving the corks occurred to Mr. Clarke about six months ago. He proposed the idea at a meeting of the association, and prizes were offered for the man who brought most in a month. Only the champagne corks were salable, so the pickings were limited.

The first batch, 9000 corks, brought 65 cents a gross, netting the thrifty waiters something like $56. Then another cork dealer heard what the waiters were doing and offered a better price. The associatfon set the two dealers to bidding, and finally one agreed to take all their collections at 85 cents a gross.

In the future when you order wine watch what the waiter does with the cork. He probably will put it in his pocket, knowing that it will add a little more than half a cent to the library fund. On the wall of the club yesterday hung a blackboard, on which the waiters chalk up their additions to the barrels.

Members of the association—all English-speaking men—do not work in all the hotels. The principal sources of the cork income are Jack's, Shanley's, at Forty-third street and Broadway; the Tokio, Pekin, Cavanaugh's and the Garden restaurants, the Arrowhead Inn and Faust's. Such entries as 578, 505, 682—indicating the number of corks brought in at one time—were frequent. New Year's, after the revelry of the night before, more than 2000 corks found their way into the barrels.

The two barrels of corks in the room were heaped upon a pool table and made a mound three feet in height and six feet in diameter. Computation placed the number at 10,000 corks, according to Clark's figures.

Reckoning 2000 as pint corks, each representing about $2.50; 6000 from quarts at $4.50 to $5, and a thousand from wines costing from $5 to $10 the heap of corps represented an expenditure in the neighborhood of $50,000. The association has netted $150 from the sale of corks, which means that something like $140,000 was spent by the public.

What good are champagne corks? Mr. Clarke and Charles Renshaw, secretary of the organization, explained. Only the finest grade of cork is used for champagne. Placed in machines, they are cut into wafers the size of a 25-cent piece and are used inside the metal caps on mineral water and beer bottles.

INFLUENCE OF BIG DINNERS.

British Judges Used to Cut Short the Hearing of Cases After They Felt Contented.

[London Chronicle:] The subject of judges sitting late recalls the curious custom which was long the rule at the Old Bailey. In all criminal cases of great gravity three judges sat together, and they sat right through till 5, and then went to a gorgeous dinner provided by the Lord Mayor and Aldermen. Here they consumed prodigious quantities of wine, "thoroughly relieved their minds from the horrors of the court, and returned in solemn procession, their gravity undisturbed by anything that had previously taken place and looking the picture of contented virtue." Another dinner was provided by the Sheriffs for the recorder, common sergeant and others who had replaced the judges while they dined. But the chaplain had the exceptional privilege of taking part in both dinners.

An old observer of the ways of the central criminal court remarked that the chief feature connected with these dinners was the extraordinary celerity with which trials were conducted when their lordships had dined. He cited a case in which a prisoner had picked a pocket of a handkerchief. Two witnesses were called, the man robbed and a constable, who stated the facts in a few words. Then the judge addressed the prisoner. "Nothing to say, I suppose?" The summing up was as follows: "Gentlemen, I suppose you have no doubt? I have none." Jury: "Guilty, my lord." Judge to prisoner: "We have met before—we shall not meet again for some time—seven years' transportation." Time for trial, two minutes fifty-three seconds. It was said that these after-dinner trials did not average more than four minutes each.

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AMIR OF AFGHANISTAN BECOMES A GOLF FIEND.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

KABUL (Afghanistan) Feb. 20.—This country, which has kept itself as free as any place in the Orient from western institutions, has finally succumbed to the charms of golf. The sponsor of the royal and ancient game is the Amir himself, who is rapidly becoming an expert player under tutelage of a Scottish mining engineer. This Scotchman came to Kabul looking for mining concessions. He brought with him a bag of clubs on the remote chance of finding golf links in a country which had cherished a prejudice against any game played with a ball from the time of Omar Khayyam, and discovered that the monarch was more of talking sport than business. Then he spoke enthusiastically of the Scottish royal game the Amir lost no time in putting a corps of sappers and miners to work constructing a course under the direction of the visitor.

Since that time the Amir has become a devoted exponent of the game and he has attained a fair degree of proficiency. But no matter what his skill he bids fair to remain champion of the country, for it is not considered polite to defeat a man who enjoys the power of life and death over every one of his subjects.

The game has reduced the girth of the Amir and improved his health, but he is afraid of overdoing it, so at his winter capital he is having built a miniature links de luxe, limited in size and as smooth as a tennis lawn. Here he will play the game without any of the bunkers or hazards usually provided by the ordinary course.

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SMILES WITH CIGARS.

Attractive Women Clerks Substituted for Men at Chain of Downtown Hotel Tobacco Stands.

Is the feminine personality an aid to the tobacco business? A company which owns a chain of cigar stands in the leading downtown hotels is trying an interesting experiment.

Attractive women clerks have been substituted for male clerks at the Clark and Hollenbeck Hotels and officials of the company are watching the cash registers at the stands to learn if the change is good business. If the young women succeed in increasing trade, clerks of the gentler sex soon will be seen behind the counters of all of the hotel stands of the company.

The company has been in business in Los Angeles since 1885 and employed only male clerks until recently. Reports have come from other cities that women clerks of pleasing appearance increase business.

Some of the hotel clerks believe that the experiment will not be a success and that the male clerks will be restored behind the cigar counters. One of the hotel employees explained his belief in this way:

"Many of our male guests are accompanied by their wives. Few of the men would care to have their wives see them shaking dice with a beautiful blonde and thus they would be timid about hanging around the cigar stands. The married men have confided to me and I know I am talking facts. Without the restraining presence of the wives I believe that the feminine cigar clerks would be a great success, but under the circumstances I am convinced that the experiment will result in a decrease of business."

HONORED BY EMPLOYEES.

A. B. Fothergill, former manager of the Buffalo Baking Company, was tendered a banquet at Christopher's last night by the new owners, the Pacific Baking Company. Fothergill was presented with a very handsome silver loving cup by his former employees, and Mrs. Fothergill was tendered a watch. Seventy-five were present.

CATTLE TRADE HALTED.

Texas Dealer Says Conditions on the Border Have Put a Stop to Importations from Mexico.

One of the results of the Mexican crisis has been to check the importation of cattle from the northern part of the republic. The suspension of the cattle business is resulting in loss to both the American buyers and the Constitutionalist leaders, who received the duty, according to C. P. Pitman, a cattle dealer of El Paso, who is a visitor in the city.

"The extensive cattle business with Northern Mexico has been completely paralyzed," Pitman said yesterday at the Hollenbeck. "I was in Juarez one week ago and talked with Gen. Villa on the subject. He said that under the circumstances he thought it best to check the exportation of cattle since a scarcity of beef animals would increase the problem of obtaining rations for the Constitutionalist army.

"The cattle business reached a confused condition which made the American buyers afraid to invest on account of disputed ownership. When I was in El Paso ten days ago Terrazas filed an attachment on 850 head of cattle which had been sold to Americans by persons friendly to Gen. Villa.

"We had to pay both an export and an import duty on cattle coming from Mexico. The Mexican customs officials charged a duty of $2 to $4 gold, a head, and the American customs officials from $1.50 to $4 a head. The destruction of the cattle trade with Mexico is resulting in discomfort to dealers who have been depending largely on that market for their supply."

PAUPER PLUNGER ARRAIGNED.

William T. Zorn, who attempted to buck the stock market on a false check, was arraigned in Police Court yesterday and his hearing was set for April 30. Bail was fixed by Police Judge Frederickson at $1000.

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AUCTION! TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 10 A.M.
At Our Auction Salesrooms, 1053-1055 S. Main St., at 11th.

We have to offer at auction Tuesday, starting at 10 a.m., the contents of the beautiful home of Mr. Terusa of Oak Knoll, combined with a few select pieces of furniture, sent in to be sold at this sale. Mahogany case upright piano, fumed oak, Spanish leather bed davenport, lady's mahogany desk and chair, handsome mahogany davenport, also Stickley fumed oak davenport, Reedcraft furniture, fumed oak and mahogany chairs and rockers, solid mahogany bookcase, Turkish rockers and chairs, mahogany music cabinet, fumed oak cellarette, music box; also talking machine, brass costumer, mahogany and golden oak library tables, pretty and odd pieces of parlor furniture and bric-a-brac, very pretty fumed oak dining set of round pedestal table and 6 chairs with slip seats to match, oak center tables, oak bookcases, Morris chair, golden oak dining set, round pedestaled table and 6 leather seat chairs to match (like new,) handsome brass beds, steel springs and good mattresses; also two large continuous post beds, steel springs and felt mattresses, hand crochet bed spread, also hand-made table and stand covers, Circassian bed, dressers, and bedroom furniture; also bedroom complete in birdseye maple, golden oak and mahogany dressers; 9x12 rugs, also 8.3x10.6 rugs, fine condition in Axminster, Wilton velvets and tapestry, Navajo blankets, pottery, large lot of good bedding, towels, etc.; lace curtains, paintings, drapes, good gas range, refrigerator, 6x9 Wilton velvet and Axminster rugs, dishes, steins, glassware, sofa pillows, mirrors and some articles imported. All HIGH-GRADE FURNISHINGS. DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND THIS SALE

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AUCTION! 410 W. SANTA BARBARA ST.
FINE FURNITURE.
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 10 A.M.

One mahogany Weber baby grand piano, 1 upright Krell mahogany piano, 1 imported German mantel clock, mahogany music cabinet, early English bookcase, oak cabinet, lady's desk and chair, leather rockers and chairs, pedestal dining table, buffet chairs, sewing machine, dishes, glassware, cooking utensils, 9x12 Axminster rugs, several smaller rugs, fine lace curtains, nice variety of pictures, 100 German books, brass beds, felt mattresses, fine lot of bedding birdseye dressers and chiffoniers, also chairs. All nice goods. We particularly call your attention to these two standard pianos—good as new and are the best made. ARE GOING BACK TO GERMANY. Take Grand or Moneta car to Santa Barbara st. REED & HAMMOND.

AUCTION! 2716 S. Vermont Ave., Wednesday, 2 P.M.

The entire furnishings of the 9-room residence. All my fine goods, all leather rockers, chairs, rattan chairs, massive library table, Spanish leather davenport, bookcase, several pieces mahogany furniture, golden oak pedestal 50-in. dining table, 2 sets leather seat chairs, china closet and buffet, brass beds, felt mattresses, Circassian dressers, chiffoniers, chairs and rockers, art paintings, pictures, portieres, curtains, velvet and Axminster rugs in all sizes. Gas range, $40 refrigerator, never used, etc. These goods are all good. REED & HAMMOND.

AUCTION! THURSDAY, 10 A.M., 1621 W. SEVENTH ST.

EIGHT ROOMS OF HIGH GRADE FURNITURE AND RUGS. Stickley arm chairs and rockers, fumed oak library table, fumed oak lady's desk and chair, tabourettes, brass jardinieres, fumed oak and leather bed davenport, 9x12 French Wilton rug, also 9x12 Wilton, body Brussels and tapestry rugs; large square post brass bed, fine fumed oak dining set of round pedestal table and chairs to match, large arm rockers, mahogany desk and chair, golden oak and fumed oak rockers, birdseye maple dressers and chiffoniers, also B. E. princess dressers, wardrobe couch, fine lot of bedding, lace curtains and sofa pillows; brass bed, steel spring and felt mattress, toilet sets, easel mirror, good portieres, set of dishes, bric-a-brac, pictures, elevated oven "Acorn" gas range, good as new; refrigerator, utensils, etc., These are HIGH GRADE GOODS—LIKE NEW. REED & HAMMOND.

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MONDAY, APRIL 27, 10 A.M.
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Consisting of quartered oak arm rockers and chairs, fumed oak bed davenport, arm rockers and chairs, round pedestal dining table, 6 chairs to match; Circassian walnut dresser, 3 oak dressers, solid brass bed, enamel beds, steel springs, felt mattress, bedding, linens, curtains, 2 gas ranges, refrigerator, linoleum, dishes, Axminster and Brussels rugs, hall carpet, kitchen equipments. All goods are in excellent condition and must be sold. Was postponed last Monday on account of rain.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 10 A.M.
4938 Rosewood Ave., Wilshire Section.
Fine Furniture, Wilton Velvet Rugs, Expensive Brica-aBrac, Linens.

Complete furnishings of 6-room bungalow, genuine reed arm rockers and chairs, plant stand, fumed oak arm rocker and chairs, fumed oak pedestal dining table, 6 chairs to match, serving table, 3 solid brass beds, 2 twin beds, steel springs, felt mattress, mahogany dressers, bedroom rockers and chairs, best of royal Wilton velvet rugs, sizes 10.6x12.6, 8.3x10.6, 9x12; several small rugs, 2 antique stools and bric-a-brac, Porch furniture, table, card table, stands, dishes, expensive bedding and linens, drapes, refrigerator, kitchen equipments, yard tools, etc., etc. Take Western ave. car, walk one block west.

THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 10 A.M. 222 North Coronado St.
Fine Furniture and Velvet Rugs, Bric-a-Brac.

Consisting of complete furnishings of 6-room bungalow. Fumed oak library table, arm rockers and chairs, Spanish leather seat, 2 willow rockers, pedestal, tabouret, quarter-sawed oak rockers, quarter-sawed oak round pedestal dining table, 6 chairs to match; serving table, quartered oak dressers, mahogany dresser, bedroom rockers and chairs, Vernis Martin and brass beds, steel springs, felt mattress, bedding, linens. Best of velvet and body Brussels rugs, all sizes; gas ranges, refrigerator, kitchen equipment, yard tools. The above list of goods are in excellent condition and must sell.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 2 P.M., 1312 S. Figueroa St.
Good Furniture and Rugs.

Contents of 5-room flat, consisting of quartered oak and mahogany dressers, arm rockers and chairs, dining table, chairs, Vernis Martin beds, steel springs, felt mattress, oak hall trees, stands, 2 sanitary couches, pads, Axminster and Brussels rugs, hall and stair carpet, 2 gas ranges, gas plate, refrigerator, dishes, cooking utensils, bedding, linens, curtains, etc., etc.

FRIDAY, MAY 1, 10 A.M., 1000 West Eighth St.

Good Furniture and Rugs like new. Complete furnishings of 6-room flat. Quartered oak arm rockers and chairs, round pedestal dining table, 6 chairs to match, quartered oak dressers, sewing rockers, 2 Vernis Martin beds, 2-inch continuous post, steel springs, Imperial edge felt mattress, stands and chairs, settee, hall and stair carpet, Axminster and Brussels rugs, bedding, linens, curtains, refrigerator, linoleum, gas range, cooking utensils, dishes, etc., etc.

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Take Santa Ana electric cars to Michigan Ave., ranch one-fourth mile north.
Thursday, April 30, 10 A.M.
L. H. LeValley, Owner.

60 Horses
60 Vehicles. 60 Sets Harness.
Complete equipment of the
Blackhawk Stables.
Cota and Chapala Sts.
SANTA BARBARA.
Monday, May 4, 9 A.M., Sharp.
Blackhawk Stables.
Earl Powers, Owner.

For full information in regard to above sales inquire of auctioneers.

RHOADES & RHOADES,
Auctioneers.

Auction

Hotel Huntington Cafe,
756 S. Main St.
Monday, April 27, at 10 A.M.

The entire furnishings and fixtures of this restaurant and cafe, consisting of 60 imported Vienna chairs, round and square tables, 2 fine refrigerators, coffee urn, coil water cooler, expensive solid mahogany buffet, maple top lunch counter, large gas pastry oven, gas range, hot cake plates, lot of good dishes, glassware, silverware, utensils, linoleum, etc. Above goods are in fine condition.

Monday, April 27, at 2 P.M.
At 125 S. Spring St.

Entire fixtures of the "Happy Hour" Theater, consisting in part of one "Ivers Bros." electric piano, one Weite-Sohmer Freiberg Orchestrion, 2 complete Edison moving picture machines, rheostat, etc. 350 mahogany opera chairs, one fire and burglar-proof safe, 7 electric fans, asbestos curtains, mirrors, draperies, etc., etc.

J. J. SUGARMAN,
Auction and Commission House.
Offices: 112-116 Court St.,
Phones: F4810; Main 3114.

AUCTION

Household Goods, Office Furniture!
Tuesday, April 28
10 A. M.
840 South Hill Street

Consisting of Burroughs adding machine, rapid roller copier, leather lounge, oak roll-top desk, 4 flat-top desks, 10 arm chairs, leather back, Turkish rugs, electric lamps, standing desk, library tables, maple bedroom suites, enameled beds, hair mattresses, oak dining chairs, leather seat rockers and chairs, china closet, bookcases, refrigerators, etc., etc.

THOS. B. CLARK, Auctioneer

AUCTION

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Furniture, Merchandise, Fixtures, Office and Salesrooms 112-114-116 Court St.
(Between Spring and Main)
Main 3114 PHONES F4810

FOR SALE AT AUCTION!
9-room house on corner lot located at 233 N. Eastlake Ave., 2 blocks from North Broadway. Will be sold at auction on the premises Wednesday afternoon, 3 o'clock, April 29th.

Take North Broadway car to Eastlake ave. Walk 2 blocks north to 233 N. Eastlake ave. This is a nice old residence with a beautiful corner lot and fine neighborhood, very easy terms.

REDIN & DIEL, Real Estate Auctioneers, 407 Grant Bldg. Main 3744; F7931.

AUCTION

Household Goods and Choice Music.
Executor's Sale!
342 South Reno Street

Take Bimini Baths car. Get off at Reno. Walk one block south.

Wednesday, April 29th
AT 10 A. M.

Fine parlor, sitting-room and bedroom furniture, etchings, engravings, china, gas range, wood and coal range, vacuum cleaner, etc., etc. Also choice collection of classical music. W. J. Lawrene, Executor.
THOS. B. CLARK, Auctioneer.

AUCTION

Monday, April 27th, 11 a.m.

Furniture and rugs, contents of 18 rooms, consisting of brass and enameled beds, springs and mattresses, mahogany and oak dressers, fumed oak extension tables and chairs, leather rockers, davenports, refrigerators, wardrobes, small iron safe, Morris chairs, velvet and Brussels rugs and carpets, linen, etc., at No. 822-824 S. Main St.

California Auction Com. Co.
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Phones: 65497; Broadway 4783.
Reg. under Sec. 2466 Civil Code of Cal.

SOLDIERS' HOME DEATHS.

Veteran of Mexican and Civil Wars Dies—Only a Few of the Old Fellows Are Left.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOLDIERS' HOME, April 25.—The burial of Robert T. Wright lately, one of the few survivors of the Mexican War at this branch, was held here today. After having served in Co. D, Fourth Kentucky Infantry, in the Mexican War for exactly one year, Veteran Wright settled in California, and on a second call for troops in the Civil War, enlisted in Co. M, First California Cavalry, and served three years and two days, making a combined service of four years. Wright was a native of Indiana, admitted to the home in 1894, and was aged 94.

OTHER RECENT DEATHS.

Joseph Hobbs, formerly of Co. B, Twentieth Illinois Infantry, a native of New York, admitted from Los Angeles in 1914, died April 22, aged 69.

William D. Carr, formerly of Co. I, Second California Cavalry, a native of Ireland, admitted from Shasta, Cal., in 1891, died April 23, aged 94.

John Cavanaugh, formerly of Co. C, Seventh Wisconsin Infantry, a native of Pennsylvania, admitted from Los Angeles in 1908, died at Spokane, Wash., while on furlough, April 18, aged 76.

Francis A. Hunt, formerly of Co. F, First Battalion California Mountaineers, a native of Massachusetts, admitted from Arcata, Cal., in 1904, died April 20, aged 68.

Charles Scholten, formerly of Co. E, Fifty-fourth New York Infantry, a native of Germany, admitted from Sawtelle, Cal., in 1900, died April 18, aged 79.

STANDING-CAR SPACE.

In the loop district of Chicago it is estimated that there are 1500 cars drawn up at curbs during business hours. This number of cars occupies more space than the mere dimensions of the cars, the width of the space used being eight feet wide and fifteen feet long, average, or 120 square per car, allowing a foot of clearance on every side. This makes 180,000 square feet occupied by standing cars in the crowded loop district of Chicago, equal to .8 mile of street area.

Quick Home Cure for Piles

Trial Package Absolutely Free—Will You Spend a Post-Card for It?

If you are a sufferer from piles, instant relief is yours for the asking, and a speedy, permanent cure will follow.

The Pyramid Drug Co., 471 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich., will send you free, in a plain wrapper, a trial package of Pyramid Pile Remedy, the wonderful, sure and certain cure for the tortures of this dread disease. Thousands have already taken advantage of this offer, thousands know for the first time in years what it is to be free from the pains, the itching, the awful agony of piles.

Pyramid Pile Remedy relieves the pain and itching immediately. The inflammation goes down, the swelling is reduced and soon the disease is gone absolutely.

No matter how desperate you think your case is, write in today for the free trial treatment. Then, when you have used it in the privacy of your own home and found out for yourself how efficacious it is, you can get the full-size package at any drug store for 50 cents. Every day you suffer after reading this notice you suffer needlessly. Simply fill out free coupon and mail today.

Free Package Coupon

PYRAMID DRUG COMPANY, 471 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall Mich. Kindly send me a sample of Pyramid Pile Remedy, at once by mail, FREE, in plain wrapper.

Name .....

Street .....

City ..... State .....

Smooth.

FLEECES MANY; WIRES A TAUNT.

CLEVER POSEUR REAPS HARVEST OF GOLD HERE.

Theater Usher Represents Himself as Millionaire's Son, Uses Checks and Unpaid-for Pianos to Get Victims' Money, Then Wire from New York: "I Should Worry."

It was the gentle art of persuasion that made Charlie Grossman a gentleman of leisure in Los Angeles and a most costly person to have for an acquaintance, according to many reports made to the City Prosecutor yesterday. The police are searching for the man, who yesterday telegraphed to his victims the consoling slang, "I should worry."

As a theater usher in Kansas City Grossman, it is alleged, conceived the idea of becoming a poseur that he carried out in Los Angeles. His father was very rich, he said, one of the wealthy men of the nation, but it was just a little trouble between him and the pater, you know, a mere misunderstanding, that made it necessary for him to earn money for the present time. Most embarrassing it was, to be sure.

As an advertising man, Grossman secured a wide acquaintance and ingratiated himself by the liberality with which he scattered theater passes throughout the city. But it always happened that he was in need of ready funds shortly afterwards, and would ask the recipient of his courtesies to kindly cash a check.

Of course, they did.

And women, too, felt his persuasive guile. He became their ardent friend, they allege, many of them. It was a favorite ruse, they said, for him to suggest that a woman acquaintance had a most artistic temperament and that he, too, was blessed with the same gift. Would the woman kindly accept from him the gift of a piano that she might cultivate her wonderful capabilities in music, he would ask.

Always, the police allege, the women had some funds and about three weeks later Grossman would appear at the home of the woman to whom he had given the piano and relate a gigantic deal that would net him millions, but he needed $500 more to complete the transaction. Of course, again, the sympathetic woman would accommodate him with a loan for a short time.

And then she found that her check had been used and a few weeks later the agents would come and demand the second installment on the piano; the first installment of $5 having been paid by Grossman.

The telegrams received by his victims, it is reported, were sent from New York, collect in each instance, and each contained the same philosophic remark, that Charlie Grossman "should worry."

PROSECUTORS TO MEET.

Topics of Interest Will Be Discussed During District Attorneys' Convention in North.

The convention of the District Attorneys' Association, which convenes at San Jose tomorrow and continues for five days, will be attended from this city by District Attorney Fredericks, Judge Willis, who was formerly in the District Attorney's office; Deputies Keetch and Hammon. The programme as announced by Secretary Keetch is as follows: Address of welcome, V. A. Scheller, president of the Bar Association of Santa Clara county; response, Clarence F. Lea, District Attorney of Sonoma county; address, "Juvenile Offenders," Calvin Dirrick, superintendent Preston School of Industry, Ione; "Probation—Does It Pay?" Judge Frank R. Willis; "The Penitentiary, the Prison and the Parole," Col. D. M. Duffy, president Board Prison Directors; "Asexualization," Dr. F. W. Hatch, superintendent State Hospital; "Crime and Criminology," Percy V. Hammon, Deputy District Attorney.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday subjects to be discussed and acted upon include: "That a verdict of three-fourths be adopted in criminal cases, with the exception of capital offenses; to amend section 964 of the penal code to combine offenses of larceny and false pretenses; that equal number of challenges be accorded to the prosecution and the defense; indeterminate sentences for first offenders; to amend the law regarding the testimony of accomplices; to amend the law regarding passing of fictitious checks; to frame a new system of bail and making bail bonds a lien upon the property of the persons giving bail.

CHARGE LAND SWINDLE.

Gardena Ranchman Arrested as Fugitive Wanted for Using Mails for Fraud in Oregon.

Sidney L. Sperry, a Gardena ranchman, was arrested yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal Bassett on a fugitive complaint, charging him with using the mails to defraud.

Sperry was brought to the city and arraigned before United States Commissioner Williams. He was allowed to go at liberty on $3000 bail.

Sperry, with J. W. Logan, B. F. Fairchild, D. J. Conners, W. A. S. Nicholson, Fred Brantner and Norman D. Cook, were indicted by the Federal grand jury in the district of Oregon for complicity in a land scheme, that, according to the complaint, was worked out of San Francisco in January, 1913.

It is alleged that the defendants represented themselves as agents of the Oregon and California Railway Company and fleeced numerous persons of money, in some cases as much as $600, through their account of an equity suit brought by the government to force the railway to sell a large area of land. It was represented, according to the complaint, that the railroad admitted it would lose the suit and wanted to dispose of the land under such terms as to retain the timber rights. It was declared that not more than 160 acres would be sold to any one purchaser, at a price not over $2.50 an acre. The buyer, on securing title to the land, which was to be within six months of making the sale contract, was to reconvey the standing timber to the railroad company, but would secure land of value much above the purchase price.

It is alleged that the defendants knew it was the intention of the United States to acqire all of the land involved in the suit by a decree of court; that they never were the agents of the railroad company and that it was the intention of the railroad company to vigorously contest the suit.

Advices from the North state that much money was cleaned up by the scheme.

Sperry indicated that he expects to prove he was innocent of any fraudulent intent.

CHILD CONSERVATION.

Superintendent of Children's Home Society Tells City Club of Work on This Line.

"Conservation of the Child" was the theme of Herbert W. Lewis, superintendent of the Children's Home Society of California, yesterday before the City Club. The speaker told of the work being accomplished and outlined the necessities for further protection of helpless children.

The statement was made that there are now more than forty asylums in California that receive State aid in housing children and that more than 7000 children are being cared for. With the exception of New York and Pennsylvania, California spends more money on the care of dependent children than any other State in the Union. Lewis estimates that the total cost to the public, through State and private aid, for caring for dependent children is about $1,250,000 per year.

The speaker urged that what California needs at this time is concentration of energies in this line of work. The great necessity of placing children in permanent homes, where they will be surrounded by the best influences, was set forth. The speaker, in this connection, declared that there is need of good work in the way of getting rid of ill-advised or fraudulent and commercial disposal of little children, and paid a tribute to the services of Health Commissioner Powers of this city and his assistants of the health department for their wise and sympathetic work on this line.

Restraint.

WOULD ENJOIN MOOSE LODGE.

SUPREME BODY SEEKS TO PREVENT USE OF NAME.

Files Suit in United States Court for Damages, Charging Misrepresentations Made by Cregier Following—Petition for Access to Mails Started by Old Members.

While members of the old Los Angeles Lodge, No. 386, Loyal Order of Moose, were asking Judge Morrison yesterday to name a court commission to receive and handle its mail, the Supreme Lodge was filing in the United States District Court a petition for injunction to restrain the local lodge from using the name of "Moose" and asking $5000 damages for alleged misrepresentations made by the lodge against national officers.

Mrs. Georgia P. Bullock, attorney for the old Moose lodge, headed by N. Banks Cregier, dictator; filed suit against Postmaster Harrison and Ira K. Cummings. It is alleged that the postmaster, on order of Cummings, has tied up the mail of the old lodge. Acting Presiding Judge Morrison yesterday entered an order to show cause, returnable before Judge Finlayson Monday afternoon. The postmaster and Cummins, who is attached to the new Moose lodge, are sought to be enjoined from interfering with the receipt of mail by the old lodge.

Cregier attaches an affidavit to the complaint, asserting that many destitue families are suffering, because their wants are prevented from becoming known, through the tie-up in the mails.

The Supreme Lodge of the World, Loyal Order of Moose, is plaintiff in the suit filed in the Federal Court.

Los Angeles Lodge No. 386, Loyal Order of Moose, a corporation; N. Banks Cregier, J. C. Hagy, J. K. Renshaw, John R. Heflin, J. F. Crocker, S. Bernard, H. E. Dupue, C. D. Pike, Dr. R. N. Culver, E. Pelot, R. H. Edmunds and P. J. Peters are defendants.

It is alleged that the parent organization has been injured to the extent of more than $5000 by the alleged misrepresentation of the local lodge, and an injunction is asked restraining this old lodge from the use of the word "Moose." The old lodge has been "outlawed" by the supreme body.

It is alleged that the order was first organized in Louisville, Ky., in 1888, as the Social Order of Moose, reorganized as the Loyal Order of Moose in 1908, and incorporated under the laws of Indiana, as a fraternal and benevolent organization.

It is asserted that the order has 1500 lodges with a membership of 500,000; and that in California alone there are forty lodges with a membership of 20,000. The defendant lodge headed by Cregier, has 3000 members, it is claimed.

THE PERNICIOUS DOOR KEY.

Its Loss or the Failure to Find It Emphasizes the Greater Convenience of the Old Latchstring.

[Indianapolis News:] A door key is an inconsistent if not an altogether senseless affair. It may be all right in itself, but it is often used to lock doors, and a locked door is a very foolish thing. Some doors, you may remark, lock themselves, and a door key is necessary to unlock them. That might be a reasonable excuse for the existence of the key, but such a key, if it is not lost or on the wrong side of the door, frequently gets stuck and refuses to open the door. If there were no door keys, there would in all probability be no locked doors, and that would be a very enjoyable state of society.

With the door locked and the key inside, it is difficult for anybody except a burglar to get inside, and, of course, a burglar is the only person we want to keep out. Burglars can get in just as easily with the door locked as with it unlocked, but the rest of us are not so clever. You know yourself how it is. You have carried ladders and climbed into upstairs windows or have dropped through basement windows into the coal bin or have tried to go through transoms and been rescued by neighbors from an embarrassing if not a dangerous position. Everybody knows all about getting into a house without a key.

Sometimes you cannot get in at all. One morning a woman followed her husband to the front steps and the door slammed and the night lock was on and the key was inside, and her husband had caught the car. She was canning pears and had put them on the stove to cook while she was getting breakfast. They were still cooking and would soon be burning. The baby was crying for his breakfast. She could not get in. None of the neighbors could get in. Somebody telephoned to her husband, and perhaps it was not more than an hour before he got home with his key. An hour is a long time, and the pears and the baby were in a terrible state. It would have been better if there had been a burglar in the house. He could have turned off the gas and have fed the baby, and he might have opened the door. A good old-fashioned latchstring, always out, would relieve us of so much responsibility and would be so much safer.

Whittier.

BIG RATE WAR MAY SPREAD.

Insurance Hustlers Slashing Down to Nothing.

Board of Underwriters Back of the Old Liners.

Large Premiums Saved to Quaker Town.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, April 25.—The local insurance war started yesterday went merrily on all day today, and this evening no one would venture an opinion as to when the low rates would be withdrawn. The nearest guess was that the rates would be raised to a standard when all possible insurance here had been written up for three years. An immense amount of insurance was written today with little changing of money. Rates as low as 10 cents on $100 for a three-year period were reported as common.

The war was precipitated by the decision of the Board of Fire Underwriters of the Pacific Coast at a meeting in San Francisco earlier in the week. Complaints had been going to this board for some time that the non-board companies were cutting rates here and that the board companies were not getting their share of the Whittier business. In view of these facts, the San Francisco meeting cancelled all Whittier rates, which action left each company absolutely free to write insurance at whatever rate it desired.

Thursday about fifteen representatives of the board companies were here in an effort to get local representatives to agree to a uniform rate and to get agents who handled both board and non-board companies to handle only board companies. Local agents refused to do this and the rate war was on. Some new business was written, but the main business consisted in the cancellation of policies now in force and the reinsuring at almost any old rate. In the scramble each company got whatever rate and whatever business it could.

A representative of a well-known old-line company said today: "The companies that belong to the Board of Underwriters of the Pacific Coast have incurred vast expense in making maps and surveys of cities and in the establishment of fair rates, as well as in the dissemination of all map, rate, and survey facts. The board companies are in no sense a trust.

"The non-board companies have taken advantage of all the information obtained by us at great expense, an expense to which they contribute nothing, and cut these fair rates. This matter has been brought to the attention of the Executive Committee and when the condition in this local field became known the committee decided to permit a rate war. We will stay by it to the end."

None would venture to say just what that end would be nor when it would come. It is estimated that the annual premiums paid in this city aggregate $30,000. For three years this would make $90,000. With this war on, 50 per cent. or perhaps even 75 per cent. of this amount is saved to the property owners of this city. Apparently this is a case where the average, every-day citizen is the gainer.

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Optional.

CITY MAY SELL POWER CURRENT

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Attorneys in Report to Civic Women Say the People Have the Final Decision, While Alternate Proposition of Power Companies Would Not Require Casting Vote.

In reply to a request for information made by members of the Friday Morning Club as to the power of the city to sell current at wholesale under State Railroad Commission rates to the local power companies, a report by the attorneys of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation, the Southern California Edison Company, and the Pacific Light and Power Corporation has been completed. This report will be filed with the organization interested. It reads as follows:

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Active opening of an intensive safety-first campaign in the public schools of New York City is to take place shortly, under the auspices of the Safety First Society. Lectures are to be given in all the schools and it is planned to organize safety patrols among the pupils, the patrols to be composed of older boys selected by the teachers. Each schoolroom is to be provided with a large wall calendar, having a sheet for each month illustrating some form of street accident to which children are liable

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Pasadena.

BODY IS FOUND IN LONE WASH.

Identified as Man Who Long Ago Disappeared.

Chicken Thief's Conscience Harks Away Back.

Figuring on Plans for New Maryland Hotel.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, April 26.—The dead body of Louis Hermann of No. 72 West Walnut street, who disappeared from his home the afternoon of March 22, last, was found yesterday by J. W. Brown in a small canyon west of Linda Vista as Brown was searching for ferns.

No weapons were found near-by, but the undertakers and members of the family believe that the man committed suicide. He had been melancholy for some time. Investigation is expected to determine the cause of death.

Hermann was 60 years old and for many years was a partner of A. Meacham in a novelty shop at No. 14 West Union street. He was one of the oldest residents of the city and was well known by all of the pioneers. Some time ago he sold out his interest to his partner and from that time until he disappeared he had done nothing.

It was the suspicion of his family at once when he could not be found that he had become despondent because of lack of employment and killed himself. However, he was not in want. A search for him was started the day after he disappeared. Parties were organized and the mountains for many miles about the city were searched, but no trace of the missing man was found.

Hermann leaves a wife and four children. The body is now at the morgue of Ives & Warren. The Coroner was notified last night and the inquest will probably be held today.

RESTITUTION IS MADE.

Henry Newby, a prominent Pasadena banker, yesterday received an anonymous letter addressed jointly to his brother, Luther G. Newby, and their sister, Mrs. Emma Bell, written by a conscience-stricken man, whom they estimate to be an octogenarian, and in which he incloses $1.50 as his share in payment for a chicken stolen from their father. The elder Newby has been deceased for forty-four years and the Newby brothers figure that it must have been about sixty years ago that the hen in question changed ownership. The letter reads as follows:

"Dear friend: I write that I may settle an old account with thy father's estate, as follows:

"When I was a young man, with three or four other boys, one of us stole a chicken from thy father's flock. All are guilty. I send $1.50 to pay my share. If this is not enough, please let me know. If thee choose to divide with thy brothers, then do as Jesus says. Nice weather here. Fruit has set heavy."

The letter came from Oregon, under date of the 11th inst.

NEW PLANS ARE MADE.

Though nothing new has yet been announced in the way of financial arrangements to facilitate the building of a new Hotel Maryland, Myron Hunt, the architect who has been working on the plans for one since the fire, yesterday gave an idea of what it will be like if constructed.

The new building is to be five stories in height. The main lobby will be 112x50 feet in dimensions and there will be a ballroom 104x74 feet. An immense sun porch is another important feature. Lobby, ballroom, dining-room and sun porch are to be so arranged that they may be thrown into one large room. There is to be a court in front of the building similar to the old one, but larger. The hotel will also have a roof garden.

The entire space occupied by the building is to be 257 feet long and 185 feet wide. There will be a sixth story in the main part of the building, though the wings will be but five stories in height.

The insurance adjusters are now at work on the ruins of the hotel. It will probably be several days more before they will have completed their task.

CITY BRIEFS.

The City Commissioners yesterday went to Riverside to inspect the municipal swimming pool there, after which the one to be constructed here will probably be patterned.

It was announced yesterday that the annual reunion of the Pasadena pioneers will take place May 29.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena. —[Advertisement.

FARM EXPERT ASSIGNED.

Riverside Chosen As Headquarters for Additional Plant Bureau Representative.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, April 25.—With the placing of another representative of the Department of Agriculture here, additional recognition is given the importance of this city as a center for the operations of the department in the field of special investigation.

Levi P. Chubbuck, an expert in the office of farm management of the Bureau of Plant Industry, has been assigned office quarters in the new Federal building. His district includes Nevada, Arizona and New Mexico, in addition to California, and the work is now such that it has been found impracticable to handle it with headquarters so remote from the field as Washington.

CITRUS GROVE SOLD.

A notable transaction in the way of citrus fruit properties is the sale for $22,000 of the ten-acre grove at Victoria avenue and Adams street, known as the Carscaden grove, owned for many years by D. T. Hanna. The purchaser, Richard Frickie of Gardnersville, Nev., who recently purchased a ten-acre grove at Victoria and Central avenues, will make his



Mr. and Mrs. William Miller

Of Alhambra, principals in a double tragedy yesterday.

San Pedro.

SALINA CRUZ REFUGEES SAIL FOR LOS ANGELES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN PEDRO, April 25.—News was received today that the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company's big steamer Nebraskan had sailed yesterday for this port with refugees from Salina Cruz. The Nebraskan will be the last steamer of this line to sail from Salina Cruz as long as conditions require war risk on cargoes.

The steamer Columbian sailed for Salina Cruz yesterday for Balboa with balance of cargo of sugar from Honolulu. This means that the Tehuantepec route has been abandoned for the present and freight from New York will be received over the Panama Railroad by both the Luckenbach and American-Hawaiian lines.

News received here from Salina Cruz is that service over the Tehuantepec Railroad has been demoralized on account of labor conditions rather than actual warfare. There was a general exodus of Mexican laborers when the trouble broke out on the east coast. The cruiser Denver is at Salina Cruz.

The steamer Virginian is expected tomorrow or Monday from Salina Cruz with New York freight. She sailed April 19 before the trouble began. Wireless instructions have been sent to the steamer Nevadan, which sailed from here last Sunday to proceed direct to Balboa with her cargo for New York and make no attempt to land freight at the Mexican port. This will save war risk insurance of 1½ per cent.

The Crown City.

TEETOTALER COMPANY SOUGHT IN PASADENA.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, April 26.—Members of the Pasadena Camps of the Spanish War Veterans of America are already making preparations to organize a Pasadena company. Dr. T. Malaby will probably attend the meeting to be held by the Spanish War Veterans in Los Angeles tomorrow, and if a Southern California regiment is formed he says there is little doubt that Pasadena will have a company of about fifty or sixty men, that should it be called into service it could within a few hours' time be recruited up to a full company. The Pasadena Spanish War Veterans stand ready to offer their services if called on.

C. M. T. Lesslie, one of the veterans most actively interested, has conceived the idea of organizing in Pasadena a unique company in that he wants no men recruited who are not tectotalers.

"My experience in the Philippines was a sad one," he said yesterday. "One-half of the company was always doing the other half's work, as well as its own. If a company is recruited here I would favor that strict temperance be made the rule and that no men who drink at all be enrolled.

"I want to offer my services if they are needed and I did go so far as to draft a night letter to the President. I thought, however, that such action might be a little too hasty and so I have instead written to Congressman Bell telling him of the steps we propose to take in the organization of a company."

Lesslie served two years in the Philippines and was for six years a member of the National Guard of the State of New York.

Alhambra.

SHOOTS WIFE, KILLS HIMSELF.

Woman Hit Three Times; Recovery Doubtful.

Domestic Discord Results in Double Tragedy.

Brooding Over Financial Trouble Starts It.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ALHAMBRA, April 25.—William Miller of No. 1812 West Main street shot and seriously wounded his wife at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon and then killed himself.

Mrs. Miller was shot three times, one bullet going through the shoulder, one lodging in the shoulder and one in her head. Physicians at the Alhambra Hospital attending her consider her recovery doubtful.

Miller shot himself three times in a straight line with the heart, expiring about twenty minutes later. He was about 45 and his wife is perhaps 40 years old.

Domestic discord resulting from property and financial matters was the cause.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller resided in Alhambra about twelve years and were known and esteemed by a large circle of acquaintances. It is believed that constant brooding over his financial troubles caused a temporary aberration and that Miller was insane at the time he committed the deed.

There are no children or relatives in California, except Edward Paine, a brother of Mrs. Miller, in Los Angeles. Other members of the family reside in Owensboro, Ky.

Monrovia.

INVITATIONS TO MANY MAYORS.

LOCAL EXECUTIVE TO BE GUEST OF FOOTHILL CITY.

Twenty-seventh Birthday Anniversary in May to Be Gala Affair at Monrovia—Elk Delegation to March in Pageant—Youths Victim of Practical Joker.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MONROVIA, April 25.—Invitations to the Mayors of all Southern California cities have been sent out by the committee in charge of Monrovia day, and it is hoped that a goodly number will be present to head the monster parade in the morning of May 16, when Monrovia will celebrate her twenty-seventh birthday anniversary.

Mayor Rose of Los Angeles has already promised to head the list of municipal executives, and will be the guest of the city at the all-day carnival. A banquet at noon will be given the Mayors and the newspaper men at Hotel "Leven Oaks, after which all will be escorted to a reserved section of the grand stand for the big afternoon performance.

Plans for the celebration are progressing with unusual speed and the dozen sub-committees in charge of Rev. Ray D. Welch, general chairman, have lined up the varied "stunts" in excellent shape. Many out-of-town organizations are planning to take part, notably six military academies of Los Angeles and the vicinity. These include the Los Angeles, Page, Urban, Harvard, California and Santa Monica academies. All promised to send a company each, and today word was received that the Page Academy will send three companies and the Los Angeles Academy two companies and a full military band.

Yesterday a delegation from the Pasadena Elk Lodge was in Monrovia and completed arrangements for the Elks' part in the parade. In addition to marching in the pageant, the Elks will rent a building here Monrovia day and establish headquarters for visiting "Bills."

In all the entertainments of the day comedy will be king, and dozens of "stunts" of a ludicrous nature have already been provided for.

In connection with the rest of the celebration preparations, voting for Monrovia's queen is going forward briskly. The preliminary contest will be closed April 28, and the five highest contestants will then be entered for the finals. The young lady elected queen will receive much courtesy on the big day, including dinners, dances, theater parties, etc. The final queen's ball, to be held at Hotel 'Leven Oaks in the evening, will be the social event of the season.

THOUGHT ORDERS REAL.

Yesterday when Stanley Constans and George Allison, two young Monrovia men, received telegrams ordering them to report to the regimental headquarters of the Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., they were very much disturbed in mind, and at a loss exactly how to act. In the first place they did not belong to the National Guard of California or any other military organization, but on the other hand the messages were signed by a Monrovia man, who was formerly lieutenant in Co. C of the Seventh, and sounded official. The mystery was finally explained when it was found that the messages were sent by a practical joker who succeeded in giving his victims a bad half-hour.

Last night before the Brotherhood of the Methodist Church Dr. Lyman B. Sperry gave the last of a series of fifty addresses in Los Angeles county, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association. Dr. Sperry talked on "Social Hygiene" and gave his audience some excellent advice on the physical requirements of boys at the growing age, from 15 to 18.

REDLANDS HAIL STORM.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, April 25.—This city was visited by a severe hail storm, beginning at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon and lasting ten minutes. Hailstones as large as marbles fell until the streets were covered. Damage to the orange crop remaining on trees seemed imminent, but was averted by the short duration of the storm.

ENGINE TROUBLE MILE IN AIR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SANTA ANA, April 25.—This evening at 6 o'clock Glenn Martin, the aviator, passed over Santa Ana headed for San Diego. He was riding in his aeroplane known as an army scout.

Ten miles south of Santa Ana, a mile high, the carbon of his magneto blew out and he had to come to earth, landing in a bean field near Myford Station. He is going to continue his journey to San Diego in the morning.

Glendora.

POWER COMPANY TO BE NO MORE.

STOCKHOLDERS ASK COURT TO DISTRIBUTE PRO RATA.

Pacific Corporation to Take Over System—Board of Trustees Has Granted Franchise—City Officers Organize by Electing President and Making Appointments.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLENDORA, April 25.—The stockholders of the Glendora Light and Power Company at a meeting held today, passed a resolution petitioning the Superior Court for the dissolution of the company and empowering the board of directors to distribute, pro rata, the proceeds of the sale of the electric light and power plant. The distribution is to be made as soon as it can be legally done.

The Glendora Light and Power plant was taken over the first of April after an agreement of purchase by the Pacific Light and Power Corporation. After the order of dissolution by the Court, the plant will become an integral part of the general system of the Pacific Light and Power Corporation.

The franchise granted by the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendora to the new owners of the system for the distribution of electrical energy, calls for the extension of the service over the city as rapidly as demanded by the growth in population. The rate for lighting service was reduced, after the change of ownership, from 12½ cents per kilowatt hour to 8 cents per kilowatt hour. The reduction for power purposes was proportionately as much.

CITY ORGANIZATION.

The new Board of Trustees organized this week by the election of Dr. A. E. Englehardt, president. F. G. Dessery was reappointed city engineer and street superintendent; R. B. Bidwell, city attorney, and O. B. Long, city marshal and deputy city street superintendent.

COSTLY WATER WELL.

Fisher Oil Company Abandons Deep Well Drilled at Large Expense—Now Used for Water.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

FULLERTON, April 25.—After being drilled to a depth of over 5000 feet, without encountering oil in commercial quantities, the well of the Fisher Oil Company in this field has been sold to Dr. Davidson of Brea, who will use it to supply water for his ranch, on which the well is located. The well was disposed of for the price of the casing, and is said to have cost nearly $75,000 to drill. Work was in progress over two years.

Davidson has pulled out the inner pipes, thus getting a good supply of water for irrigation. The water rises in the pipe to within ten feet of the surface, and it promises to furnish his pumping plant with an inexhaustible supply.

The Fisher Oil Company is headed by Walter H. Fisher, the well-known capitalist of Los Angeles.

The St. Helens Petroleum Company has just brought in a new well on the lease of the Anaheim Union Water Company in La Habra Valley at a depth of about 3500 feet. There is over 150 feet of oil sand in the hole and the well is reported to be flowing at the rate of 1500 barrels a day.

S. McMahon, representing the William Grover Tank Company of Chicago, has arrived at Brea with a force of eight men and has commenced the work of constructing two steel tanks for the Birch Oil Company. The tanks are to be thirty-five by thirty feet in dimensions and each is to have a capacity for 200,000 gallons.

SOUTH PASADENA SEWER.

Construction Work Begun on Diamond Avenue—Big Dredge to Operate on Huntington Drive.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOUTH PASADENA, April 25.—Construction work on the sewer was begun this morning, Contractor Nickevich putting a gang of men to work on Diamond avenue just below Monterey road. Another gang will go to work Monday morning. On May 1 the company's big dredge will be brought here and will begin operations on Huntington drive. The work will be pushed through to completion as early as possible.

Contractor Nickevich will open an office in this city during the course of the sewer job, so that the work may be kept well in hand. Contractor Andrew Holloway, who will pave Huntington drive, Monterey road and Fair Oaks avenue, will follow up the sewer construction with several gangs of men so that his work will be completed soon after the sewers are laid.

The members of the art-history classes of the Huntington Hall school for girls gave a dramatic exhibition this evening at the school, in which the masterpieces of the famous European artists were portrayed in living poses. English, French, Italian and Dutch artists were included. Between the principal numbers, musical selections were given by the members of the music department. A short reception followed the programme.

Halstead Stiles, one of the two remaining members of the Jesse James' gang of highway and bank robbers, who has spent most of his life in prison, will speak in the Calvary Presbyterian Church Sunday evening. W. E. McVey, vice-president of the German American Bank of Los Angeles, and Jarette Aycock, assistant superintendent of the City Rescue Mission, will also speak at the service.



Miss Carrie Newell,

Who disappeared from Azusa on March 5 and has never been heard of since.

Azusa.

WOMAN MISSING; NO CLEW LEFT.

LAST SEEN IN MONROVIA ABOUT TWO MONTHS AGO.

Relatives Seek Miss Newell Who Went Visiting and Then Disappeared—Check on Glendora Bank in Her Possession Has Not Yet Been Cashed.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

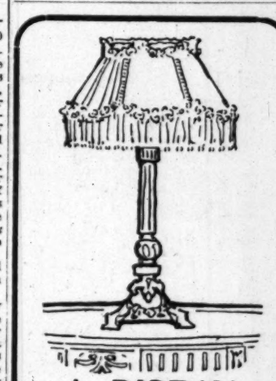
AZUSA, April 25.—Miss Carrie Newell, aged 43 years, who made her home with the two Neeley sisters of this place, disappeared on March 5, leaving a note, saying that she was going to see friends. She was seen at Monrovia on that day and then dropped entirely out of sight.

The Neeley women rested easily for a week, supposing her to have gone to her uncle, E. K. Pierce, in Azusa, when it was learned she had not been there.

On the evening prior to her departure she received a check for $15, drawn on the Glendora bank, and that check has never been cashed.

Miss Newell has been a devoted member of the Baptist Church and talked a great deal of going to a foreign field as a missionary. With this in mind, her relatives have made diligent search in all directions, including religious institutions of Los Angeles.

E. K. Pierce of this place will be thankful for any information concerning her.



A DISPAY AND SALE OF FANCY LAMPS!

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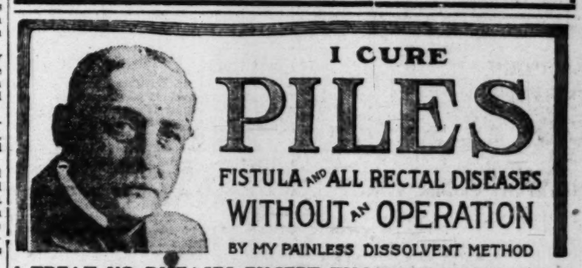
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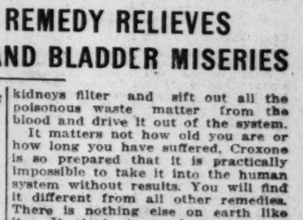
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Cities and Towns South of Tehachepi's Top—Los Angeles County News.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Safe in Mexico City.

A telegram was received on Friday from Mrs. C. E. Payne and her daughter, Mrs. L. F. Shaford, announcing to their friends in this city that they are safe in the City of Mexico and consider themselves in no danger.

Pennsylvania Society Ball.

A grand masque ball will be given by the Pennsylvania Society on Tuesday evening, in Fraternal Brotherhood Hall, to which all Pennsylvanians are invited to come in costume. The ball will be preceded by a short programme.

Killed the Serpent.

The seven-foot python which escaped from Grant Allman about a week ago, and which he valued very highly, was killed yesterday by several boys, within a few blocks of the house of Allman. The serpent was harmless and he was very anxious to get it back unharmed.

For Machine-Gun Recruits.

The machine-gun company will move to the new Armory in Exposition Park today. Fifteen recruits are needed and Lieut. Wortley will be on hand today from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. to receive applicants. Applicants must be not under 21 nor over 45 years old.

High School Orators.

James DeCamp won first place Friday night for the Los Angeles High School, in the oratorical contest, with Victor Kendrick of Lincoln High School, in the finals of the City Oratorical League. These two will now enter a contest with the winners of the county High School finals, for the county championship.

Military Ball Postponed.

The military ball planned by the drill team and band of Los Angeles Council No. 473, Y.M.I., scheduled for next Friday evening, has been postponed to Friday evening, May 8. It will be held in the new auditorium of the Knights of Columbus clubhouse, No. 614 South Flower street. The change was occasioned by the absence of Capt. James L. Irwin, organizer and drill leader, who was to be the guest of honor. Capt. Irwin is with the Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., at Calexico.

Ohioans Picnic.

With 200 members present, the East Liverpool Association of this city, composed of persons who formerly lived in or near East Liverpool, O., yesterday held a picnic at Sycamore Grove. The officers were re-elected as follows: Harry Beach, president; Charles T. Hard, vice-president; Edward Hassey, secretary; Mrs. Alice Bacher, treasurer. Talks were made by the president, the Rev. J. M. Houston and the Rev. L. F. Laverty. C. A. Schreiber, Mayor of East Liverpool, telegraphed his congratulations and the East Liverpool Booster Club furnished literature and a letter of felicitation.

Works for Sanatorium.

In the interests of a large sanatorium maintained at Denver by the Jewish Consumptive Relief Society, Rabbi Abraham Elman is in this city, visiting yearly subscribers, who include some of the most prominent Jews of the community, and enlisting new subscribers. He spoke yesterday before the congregation Beth Israel and is being assisted in his work by Los Angeles Jews who accompany him on his visits. The sanatorium is conducted on a non-sectarian basis, receiving patients of all nationalities and creeds and persons in all stages of the disease. Situated in the midst of fifty-six acres of land conducted as a farm, it is being developed into a large institution, and is said to be doing splendid work to forward the purposes of the society.

POWER ADVOCATE NETTLED.

Pertinent Question From Audience Regarding Part of Earl in Campaign Goes Unanswered.

A bonfire proved a greater magnet than a power-bond debate to residents in the vicinity of the Los Angeles High School last night. As a result, but a hundred members of the Northwestern Civic Association met there to hear Lorin A. Handley speak in favor of the bond issues and Col. H. V. Richardson and H. J. Goudge give reasons for voting "no" at the polls May 8. But those who attended fired many inquisitive questions relative to the part E. T. Earl is playing in the power-bond campaign.

"Isn't this power-bond question merely one as to whether a power company owned by a certain political boss and newspaper owner in this city shall gobble up the local power companies for his own benefit or whether they shall continue to be owned by the present companies?" was one question which F. C. Finkle, vice-president of the Property Owners' Protective and Improvement Association of West First street, wished to have answered. Finkle is still waiting for his answer.

Attorney Goudge pointed out that the ordinance calling the election did not specifically state that $1,250,000 should be set aside for completion of the aqueduct power plant, or for the completion of any municipal improvement. Once voted favorably, the city could use the money for purchasing water rights and many other things not contemplated in the present issue.

Several persons in the audience expressed concern over the proper handling of the funds if voted. Handley assured them there would be no "perversion," as he termed it.

AUTO WRECKS KITCHEN.

Driver Under Arrest, Pleads Engine in Lunch Wagon He Demolished "Went Dead."

Ralph Boyce, a lunch-wagon waiter, was injured, "Mike's Chili Kitchen" at Sixth and Flower streets is a wreck, and C. R. Reed, a salesman of No. 5800 South Main street is under arrest following a smash-up shortly after 10 o'clock last night.

Reed was coming east along Sixth street in an automobile, which was running at about thirty miles an hour, according to witnesses. He ran head-on into the lunch wagon, wrecked the place completely and knocked down Boyce, who was inside and behind the counter.

Boyce was taken to the Receiving Hospital for treatment for a badly-bruised leg and hand. Reed, after an examination at the hospital by Dr. E. A. Roome, was booked for running an automobile while intoxicated.

The cause of the whole accident, according to Reed, was the fact that the engine in the lunch wagon "went dead" and stopped the thing. He failed to adjust the brakes on his car, he states. He is certain he had had only three drinks.

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MADERO RELATIVES HERE.

Arrival of Party Diverted from Saltillo by War Cloud Causes Factionists Excitement.

Report of re-entrance of the Madero family into Mexico politics, occasioned by the presence of several relatives of the late Francisco Madero in Los Angeles, yesterday aroused considerable interest and some excitement among the local Mexican factionists. Two members in the Madero party, which arrived in the morning from New York and departed in the evening for San Francisco, were Mrs. Jesus Madero de Ampudia and her daughter.

Shortly after reaching here they were in consultation with Adolfo Carrillo, Consul for the Constitutionalists. He absolutely repudiated all report of their interest in present warfare, save as spectators and observers.

"They were on their way to Saltillo, Coahuila, at the outbreak of the trouble with the United States and merely changed their plans in order to remain out of the danger zone during hostilities," he said.

"They are not in any way connected with political intrigues or promotion of warfare, having retired from all of these things with the murder of their cousin, the late President Madero."

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[Advertising.]

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The friends of Elise Ladsons, late forewoman of Estelle Gilcher, will be glad to know she has opened a dressmaking establishment at 2623 South Vermont near Adams.

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City Steam Carpet Cleaning Works. Main 427; F6229. John Bloeser.

Mrs. Masson, the noted palmist of London, Eng., 322 S. Spring.

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Through a typographical error in the Broadway Department Store's ad. on Page 29, in Part III, of today's Times, the word "Lisle" was omitted from the heading,

"Silk Stockings 39c."

Although the descriptive matter which follows the heading, plainly indicates the goods as Black Silk Lisle, The Times prints this notice to emphasize the fact of the omission. The stockings are regularly priced at 50c and will be on sale Monday for 39c a pair, or 3 pairs for $1. Note that the ad should read.

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BEAR VALLEY ROAD.
[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, April 25.—Six members of the Tower family, four women and two men, in charge of A. E. Sterling, Jr., as guide, have returned from a trip to Bear Valley begun last Monday. They went on horseback over the Clark grade and encountered a number of big snow drifts. Snow fell Tuesday afternoon and early Wednesday, six inches in the valley and ten inches on the summit. According to Sterling it will take two weeks to get the roads into the valley into good condition. There are two gangs at work, one at Clark's and the other at the other side of the summit.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There is a telegram at the Postal for Mrs. K. Nadell.

THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 25.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.01; at 5 p.m., 29.91. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 51 deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 82 per cent.; 5 p.m., 59 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 9 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 8 miles. Highest temperature, 65 deg.; lowest, 50 deg. Rainfall for season, 23.11 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The barometer is comparatively low over the Great Lakes, and showers occurred in that region and westward into Wyoming. The easterly drift of this depression brought increased temperatures to Northern Illinois, the temperature at Chicago showing an increase of 14 deg. The greatest amount of precipitation, .44 of an inch, fell at St. Paul. The pressure continues high over the eastern as well as the western coast of the United States. It is cooler in Arizona and Southern Nevada, and frost is reported from Spokane and freezing temperatures occurred yesterday morning at Boise and Winnemucca. The weather will continue fair in Los Angeles and vicinity Sunday.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Sunday; light northerly winds.

For California south of the Tehachepi: Fair Sunday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity, Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Fair Sunday; light northwest winds.

Southern California: Fair Sunday; light west winds.

YUMA (Ariz.) April 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 20.60 feet.

Santa Ana.

MAN OF MONEY SUED BY WIFE.

SAYS SHE WAS LEFT STRANDED WITH FORTY CENTS.

Millionaire Miner Defendant in Sensational Action for Divorce. Trip to Europe Causes Rupture. Idle Mexican Caused Excitement and Fears of Blow Up.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, April 25.—Suit for divorce was begun today by Mrs. Minnie N. Taylor against Charles D. Taylor, millionaire mining man. Desertion and failure to provide are the grounds of complaint. This action follows three years of sensational litigation in which charges and counter-charges have been made.

Taylor made his pile at Goldfield. He married in San Francisco. About five years ago the family moved here and property worth $60,000 was bought. Plans were made for a big country home on the banks of the Santiago Creek. Taylor and his wife took a trip to Europe and while there they separated. Mrs. Taylor declared that her husband deserted her in Germany, leaving her with but 40 cents in her pocket. This was indignantly denied by Taylor.

Returning to Santa Ana, Mrs. Taylor brought suit for separate maintenance, asking for $2500 a month alimony. Before that time deeds were recorded here transferring the $60,000 property to Russell T. Joy, a friend of Taylor. Mrs. Taylor declared the transfer was made to defeat any attempt she might make to get support. Joy deeded to his daughter. An action to set aside the deeds has been in the courts for three years.

Mrs. Taylor is now seeking to secure a legal separation. Three years ago Taylor got a divorce from her in Oregon. The woman declared she had never been served with summons, and the Oregon court set aside the divorce. Judgment in that case gave her no alimony. She now seeks divorce on her own hook, and she asks $2500 a month alimony.

It is understood here that Taylor is now a citizen of British Columbia. Clyde Bishop and Williams & Rutan are the attorneys filing the divorce complaint that appeared here today.

UNDERMINES TRACK.

For a little while last night Santa Fe officials here thought there was danger of a trainload of United States regulars being blown up. E. C. Martin saw a young Mexican digging a hole between the rails. Martin informed the Santa Fe men, and an investigation was made. The hole was found filled up with soft earth. This earth was removed and in the bottom of the little hole was a cigarette stub, and nothing else. Either the Mexican was idling away time or he did not want to leave the cigarette stub burning on top of the ground.

A Santa Fe detective and F. J. Smith, the local agent, examined the hole carefully. It is six inches across and eighteen inches long, reaching under a tie. A small, round hole was made into the soft earth. The dewas experimenting with an idea of wa sexperimenting with an idea of determining if some explosive put in the hole could be set off by a passing engine.

However, nothing was found except the cigarette stub. The hole was dug near the McClay-street crossing. The Mexican rode a bicycle. E. C. Martin, who reported the matter, says he will know him if he sees him again.

HERMOSA BEACH PIER.

Celebration Planned for Middle of May—Auto Trip Inland Arranged for Advertising Purposes.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

HERMOSA BEACH, April 24.—The big pier celebration will be held May 16 and 17, and all arrangements have been completed by the committee in charge. The festivities will be held at the beach celebrating the completion of the handsome concrete pleasure pier, the ornamental lighting system and the strand walk.

A. L. Walton will manage the celebration, assisted by a committee composed of G. S. Thatcher, W. R. Andrews and John Sommerville. A programme of fireworks for both evenings, a mammoth choir, high-class races and a band from Los Angeles are favorably considered among other attractions. Nearly $1700 has been subscribed for the celebration and much of this has already been collected.

The Associated Chambers of Commerce representing the major portion of Southern California will participate in the festivities. The beach will don a gala day attire, streamers of various descriptions and banners galore waving in the ocean breeze.

The Hermosa Beach Auto Club has perfected plans for a two-day trip inland, probably on May 9 and 10. It is their intention to have about twenty-five machines in the parade and cover all towns of importance, scattering literature concerning the celebration.

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LEMVERG — McLEOD. Oscar Lemberg, 31; Nora McLeod, 26.

MAXEY—WORKMAN. Michel W. Maxey, 23; Isabel H. Workman, 18.

McCOOL—HOLADAY. Walter D. McCool, 25; Pearl M. Holaday, 19.

McGAFFEY—ROBINSON. Franklin G. McGaffey, 2[illegible]; Nell Robinson, 20.

REED — WOODWARD. Harry J. Reed, 50; Mary Woodward, 56.

REMAINE—STAUTY. Ellrey G. T. Remaine, 21; Ollie Stauty, 22.

SAPELLI—VILLANUERA. Felice Sapelli, 24; Minnie Villanueba, 25.

SEITZ—CRESSWELL. John F. Seitz, 29; Alice Cresswell, 22.

STABLER—RAMSEY. Dwight W. Stabler, 22; Bessie Rind R. Ramsey, 18.

WELTMAN—KITTO. Thomas F. Weltman, 23; Lily Kitto, 18.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ALLEN. Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Boy. 3433 East Second street. April 21.

ALLEN. Mr. and Mrs. James F. Daughter, 1[illegible] Mozart street. April 19.

BETHEL. Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. C. Daughter, 1704½ Toluca street. April 23.

BOWERS. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Daughter, 6[illegible] Moneta avenue. April 15.

BROWN. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Boy. 122[illegible] Fremont avenue. April 19.

BUSH. Mr. and Mrs. Harleigh L. Boy. 1041 Bonnie Brae street. April 23.

BYRNES. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard. Daughter, Samaritan Hospital. April 20.

CASADY. Mr. and Mrs. Perly A. Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital. April 20.

COURLE. Mr. and Mrs. Peter. Daughter, 6[illegible] Grand avenue. April 20.

COX. Mr. and Mrs. Homer G. Boy. Angeles Hospital. April 23.

CROZIER. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Daughter, 12 Gallardo street. April 16.

GHERMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Solomon. Boy, 439 Victor street. April 19.

GILL. Mr. and Mrs. Randolph E. Boy. 1[illegible] Vernon avenue. April 23.

GUYER. Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Boy. 1[illegible] Thirty-eighth street. April 18.

HALL. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin. Boy. 2[illegible] Pasco street. April 23.

HECHLER. Mr. and Mrs. Sieb N. Daughter, Good Samaritan Hospital. April 20.

HOFFMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman. Boy. 2[illegible] Seventy-fourth street. April 21.

HOFLUND. Mr. and Mrs. Axel R. Daughter, 10[illegible] Vermont avenue. April 9.

KRIZSAN. Mr. and Mrs. Albert. Boy. 234 Boyd street. April 16.

KUPPERSON. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob J. Boy. 7[illegible] South Gless street. April 22.

MANN. Mr. and Mrs. William E. Daughter, 2[illegible] Cincinnati street. April 18.

MANSFELDT. Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Boy. 7[illegible] Fourteenth street, San Pedro. April 22.

McINERNY. Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius. Daughter, Cali[illegible] fornia Hospital. April 18.

MENDOZA. Mr. and Mrs. Lee. Daughters, 2[illegible] Thirty-eighth and Santa Fe avenue. April 2.

NEGRETE. Mr. and Mrs. Nilo. Boy. 1341 Bee Hill street. April 19.

PACKMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Boy. 2[illegible] Elden avenue. March 31.

PETERSON. Mr. and Mrs. Earl. Boy. 2679 Griffin avenue. April 22.

POLITO. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph. Boy. French Hospital. April 21.

ROSENTHAL. Mr. and Mrs. Tobias. Boy. 619 Bonnie Brae avenue. April 21.

SAUNDERS. Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Boy. 7[illegible] West Seventy-fourth street. April 18.

SOTELLO. Mr. and Mrs. Philip. Boy. 1347 Third street. April 17.

SUES. Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Daughter, California Hospital. April 18.

TOWNER. Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Boy. 3[illegible] Kensington road. April 19.

TRADER. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Boy. 4[illegible] Sixty-sixth street. April 18.

WAGNER. Mr. and Mrs. Trute E. Boy. 1307 Thirty-ninth street. April 14.

WOOD. Mr. and Mrs. Earl K. Daughter, 1733 Fifty-third street. April 19.

WOODBURY. Mr. and Mrs. Moulton A. Boy. Angeles Hospital. April 24.

WOODWARD. Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Boy. 3[illegible] Grover street. April 11.

TAEGER. Mr. and Mrs. Ames J. Daughter, Good Samaritan Hospital. April 22.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BAXTER. Ethel M. against John H.

DAVIS. Francis L. against Grace.

FARNELL. Margie L. against William S.

MOFFET. William R. against Marie E.

PROAL. Eloda A. against Henry.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

HUFF. Martha M. from John C.

STEVENS. Edith E. from Joseph.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.
DANIVER, Annie. Los Angeles	10
DIAZ, Lucy R. Los Angeles	39
GARRISON, Ephriam. Los Angeles	74
HENDERSON, Roy G. Los Angeles	28
JONES, Joseph. Los Angeles	66
McNAMARA, Mary. Los Angeles	39
PAULSON, Magnus. Los Angeles	53
WHIPPLE, Thelma E. Los Angeles	7

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

BERTONE. In this city, April 25, 1914, Lucia Bertone, aged 35 years.
Remains at Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa street.

DININGER. At No. 311 North Rowan avenue, Wilhelmina Dininger.
Funeral, 10 a.m. Monday, April 27, at McAshall & Son, undertakers. Funeral private.

DWYRE. In this city, April 23, 1914, C. Gilbert Dwyre, aged 66 years.
Funeral services will be held at the chapel of Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa street, Tuesday, at 1:30 p.m. Interment at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

EGAN. At his home, No. 1640 Seventh avenue, Saturday, George Carleton Egan.
Funeral services from Bresee Brothers' chapel, 9 o'clock Monday. Interment at Evergreen Cemetery.

FISH. At No. 2206 East Seventh street, April 24, Adelaide C. Fish, aged 67 years.
Funeral from chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., Monday (Sunday) at 3 p.m.

JONES. At No. 257 East Twenty-third street, April 24, 1914, Joseph Jones, aged 62 years.
Funeral Monday, 2 p.m., from parlors of George K. Willett, No. 1138 South Figueroa street.

McCOMB. In this city, April 24, Helen McComb, aged 68 years.
Remains at parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co., 810 South Flower. Funeral notice later.

OBER. At No. 431 North Normandie, April 25, Mary V. Ober.
Remains at Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa street.

PEMBERTON. At his residence, No. 116 South Fremont avenue, Charles Thompson Pemberton, aged 74 years.
Funeral will be held in the chapel of Boyle Boyson Co., No. 1147 South Flower street, Monday, April 27, at 2 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to express to the different organizations and the many friends and neighbors, my deep appreciation for their many acts of kindness and beautiful floral offerings during my recent bereavement.
MRS. MARY A. JENKINS.

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LAMB—ELLIS. Lewis G. Lamb, 41; Luella P. Ellis, 27.

LEMBERG — McLEOD. Oscar Lemberg, 31; Mary McLeod, 26.

MAXEY—WORKMAN. Michel W. Maxey, 21; Louie H. Workman, 18.

McCOOL—HOLADAY. Walter D. McCool, 25; Eva M. Holaday, 19.

McGAFFEY—ROBINSON. Franklin G. McGaffey, 21; Nell Robinson, 20.

REED — WOODWARD. Harry J. Reed, 50; Electa Woodward, 50.

REMAINE—STAUTY. Ellrey G. T. Remaine, 21; Ophie Stauty, 22.

SAPELLI—VILLANUEBA. Felice Sapelli, 24; Micaela Villanueba, 23.

SEITZ—CRESWELL. John F. Seitz, 23; Alice Creswell, 22.

STABLER—RAMSEY. Dwight W. Stabler, 22; Rosalind R. Ramsey, 18.

WELTMAN—KITTO. Thomas F. Weltman, 19; Lily Kitto, 18.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ALLEN. Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Boy. 3433 East Second street, April 21.

ALLEN. Mr. and Mrs. James F. Daughter. 1906 Mozart street, April 16.

BETHEL. Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. C. Daughter. 1701½ Toluca street, April 25.

BOWERS. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Daughter. 4711 Moneta avenue, April 15.

BROWN. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Boy. 132 South Fremont avenue, April 19.

BUSH. Mr. and Mrs. Harleigh L. Boy. 1041 South Bonnie Brae street, April 23.

BYRNES. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, April 20.

CASADY. Mr. and Mrs. Perly A. Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital, April 20.

COURILE. Mr. and Mrs. Peter. Daughter. 4384 Grand avenue, April 20.

COX. Mr. and Mrs. Homer G. Boy. Angeles Hospital, April 23.

CROTHER. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Daughter. 511 Gallardo street, April 16.

GHERMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Solomon. Boy. 430 Victor street, April 19.

GILL. Mr. and Mrs. Randolph E. Boy. 1155 East Vernon avenue, April 23.

GUTTS. Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Boy. 1323 West Thirty-eighth street, April 16.

HALL. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin. Boy. 2461 Pomeroy street, April 23.

HECHLER. Mr. and Mrs. Sigh N. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, April 20.

HOFFMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman. Boy. 206 West Seventy-fourth street, April 21.

HOFLUND. Mr. and Mrs. Axel R. Daughter. 3825 Vermont avenue, April 9.

KRIDAIN. Mr. and Mrs. Albert. Boy. 214 Boyd street, April 16.

KUPFERSON. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob J. Boy. 104 South Gless street, April 22.

MANN. Mr. and Mrs. William E. Daughter. 2841 Cincinnati street, April 18.

MANSFIELDS. Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Boy. 279 Fourteenth street, San Pedro, April 22.

McINERNY. Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius. Daughter. California Hospital, April 18.

MENDORA. Mr. and Mrs. Leo. Daughters (twins). Thirty-eighth and Santa Fe avenue, April 20.

NEGRETE. Mr. and Mrs. Nilo. Boy. 1341 South Hope street, April 19.

PACKMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Boy. 1302 Eldon avenue, March 31.

PETERSON. Mr. and Mrs. Earl. Boy. 2670 South Griffin avenue, April 22.

POLITO. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph. Boy. French Hospital, April 21.

ROSENTHAL. Mr. and Mrs. Tobias. Boy. 619 North Boyle avenue, April 21.

SAUNDERS. Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Boy. 138 West Seventy-fourth street, April 16.

SOTELLO. Mr. and Mrs. Philip. Boy. 1307 East Third street, April 17.

SUES. Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Daughter. California Hospital, April 18.

TOWNER. Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Boy. 1801 Kensington road, April 19.

TRADER. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Boy. 404 West Sixty-sixth street, April 18.

WAGNER. Mr. and Mrs. Trute F. Boy. 1307 West Thirty-ninth street, April 14.

WOOD. Mr. and Mrs. Earl K. Daughter. 1702 West Fifty-third street, April 19.

WOODBURY. Mr. and Mrs. Moulton A. Boy. Angeles Hospital, April 24.

WOODWARD. Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Boy. 1629 Grover street, April 11.

YARGER. Mr. and Mrs. Amos J. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, April 22.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BAXTER. Ethel M. against John M.

DAVIS. Francis L. against Grace.

FARNELL. Margye L. against William S.

MOFFET. William R. against Marie E.

PROAL. Eloda A. against Henry.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

HUFF. Martha M. from John G.

STEVENS. Edith E. from Joseph.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
DANIVER, Annis. Los Angeles	80	9
DEAL, Lucy R. Los Angeles	29	23
GARRISON, Ephriam. Los Angeles	74	23
HENDERSON, Boy G. Los Angeles	28	23
JONES, Joseph. Los Angeles	65	23
McNAMARA, Mary. Los Angeles	29	23
PAULSON, Magnus. Los Angeles	53	23
WHIPPLE, Thelma E. Los Angeles	2	23

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

BERTONE. In this city, April 25, 1914, Luciano Bertone, aged 35 years.
Remains at Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa street.

DININGER. At No. 311 North Rowan avenue, Mrs. Wilhelmina Dininger.
Funeral, 10 a.m., Monday, April 27, at Marshall & Son, undertakers. Funeral private.

DWYRE. In this city, April 23, 1914, C. Gaffney Dwyre, aged 66 years.
Funeral services will be held at the chapel of Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa street, Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. Interment at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

EGAN. At his home, No. 1649 Seventh avenue, Friday, George Carleton Egan.
Funeral services from Bresee Brothers at 3 o'clock Monday. Interment at Evergreen Cemetery.

FISH. At No. 2306 East Seventh street, April 24, Adelaide C. Fish, aged 67 years.
Funeral from chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co. today (Sunday) at 3 p.m.

JONES. At No. 257 East Twenty-third street, April 24, 1914, Joseph Jones, aged 65 years.
Funeral Monday, 2 p.m., from parlors of George K. Willett, No. 1138 South Figueroa street.

McCOMB. In this city, April 24, Helen McComb, aged 68 years.
Remains at parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 810 South Flower. Funeral notice later.

OBER. At No. 431 North Normandie, April 25, 1914, Mary V. Ober.
Remains at Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa street.

PEMBERTON. At his residence, No. 116 South Fremont avenue, Charles Thompson Pemberton, aged 74 years.
Funeral will be held in the chapel of Booth & Boynton Co., No. 1147 South Flower street, Monday, April 27, at 2 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to express to the different organizations and the many friends and neighbors, my deep appreciation for their many acts of kindness and beautiful floral offerings during my recent bereavement.
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ERROR DESTROYS AUTO.

Owner Looks for Gas Leak with a Match and Finds It; Damage Fifty Dollars.

"Mr. Smith tried to find a leak in his presto-lite tank with a match. He did. Damage $50."

Thus tersely and vividly Motorcycle Officer Fred Haver reported an explosion and fire which nearly destroyed an automobile belonging to George W. Smith of No. 630 East Adams street. The fire occurred at about 6 o'clock last night. It was extinguished before much damage had been done.

Editorial Sheet—News, Views and Business

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THE MARCH OF EVENTS.

XXXIIIRD YEAR. SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 26, 1914. POPULATION: { By the Federal Census (1910)—315,192 / By the City Directory (1912)—415,000

Precautionary.

POLICE ARMY READY AT THE PLAZA TODAY.

Chief Prohibits Agitators' Meeting and I.W.W. Appear Defiant.

No More Outdoor Mexican Gatherings in Los Angeles Until Relations of the Two Countries Shall Have Become Normal Is the Order, Strongly Backed. Sharp on the Trail of Intending Dynamiters.

A FORCE of 250 policemen will be mobilized at noon today to quench the gathering of vicious I.W.W. and Mexican agitators scheduled for 3 p.m. at the Plaza. Chief of Police Sebastian announced yesterday that no outdoor congregating of Mexicans will be allowed in Los Angeles until the relations of the United States with Mexico shall have become normal. The anarchistic I.W.W. appear inclined to defy the authorities.

Upon the heels of other orders cautioning saloon-keepers regarding the sale of liquor to Mexicans and to pawnbrokers to withdraw displays of firearms and other weapons in their windows, the Chief yesterday afternoon flatly prohibited the meeting of the Latin branch of the I.W.W. called for this afternoon to "protest" against America's stand in Mexico.

The City Council, following the Christmas riots, set aside a space north of the Plaza as an "open forum." No meeting of any kind will be allowed there today, the Chief holding that to do so would jeopardize the peace of the city. Sunday, he says, will be the crucial day of the local Mexican situation. This day will find the Mexicans thronging the Plaza district, and only a spark is needed to inflame their impulsive patriotism, the Chief adds. The pernicious activity of the I.W.W. to take advantage of the national pride of the Mexicans and incite them to violence is the greatest menace the police have to watch.

When the Chief's order reached the I.W.W. headquarters at No. 335 Aliso street yesterday afternoon the big blackboard announcing the meeting was pulled in and set back of the bare lounging benches which constitute the principal furnishings of the hall.

MAY ATTEMPT IT.

But, regardless of the police order, it is possible that the meeting will be attempted.

"We will meet here tomorrow afternoon," said the spokesmen for the crowd of swarthy loafers. "We will hold our meeting here and then decide whether we shall go to the Plaza and demand our right to free speech. Yes, then I will speak. The invasion is not economically right. Why? Oh, I don't know. The Socialists and the Labor Temple held protest meetings. Why not us? We want to go up there and talk to educated people and show them what slaves they are."

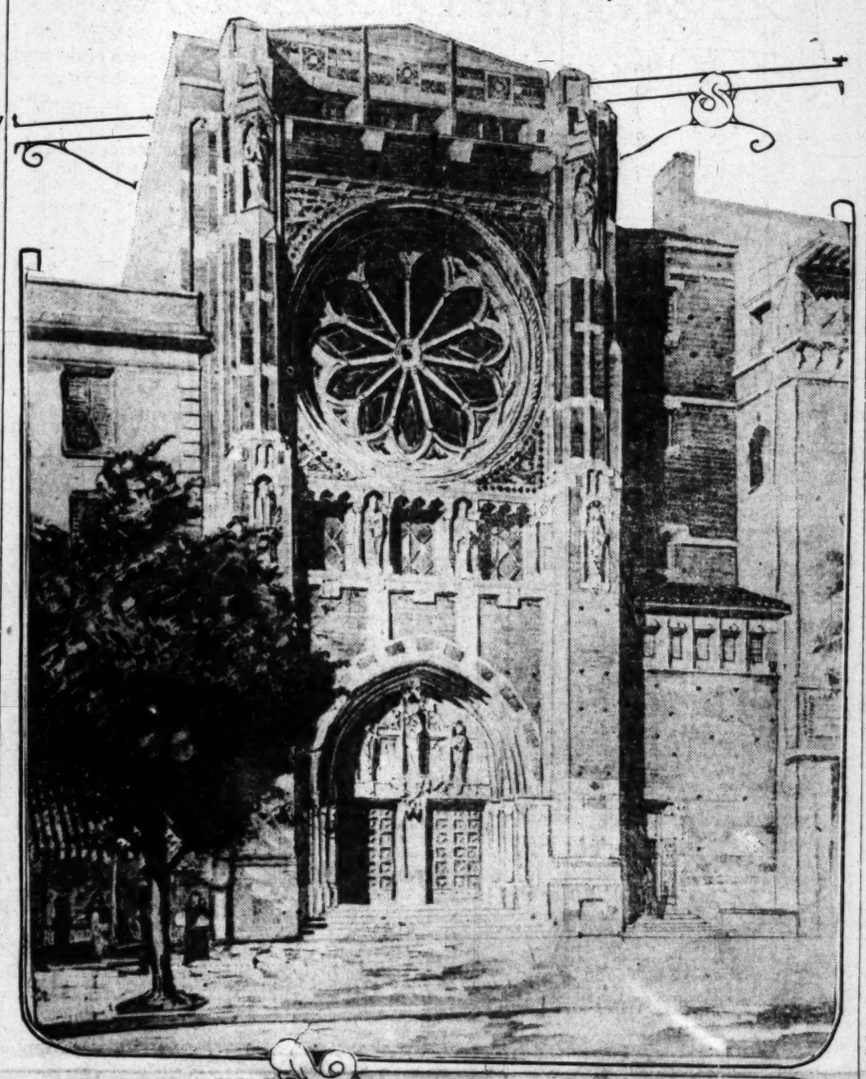
The branch at Aliso street is the one to which the Mexicans belong. It was stated there yesterday that 300 members are "affiliated."

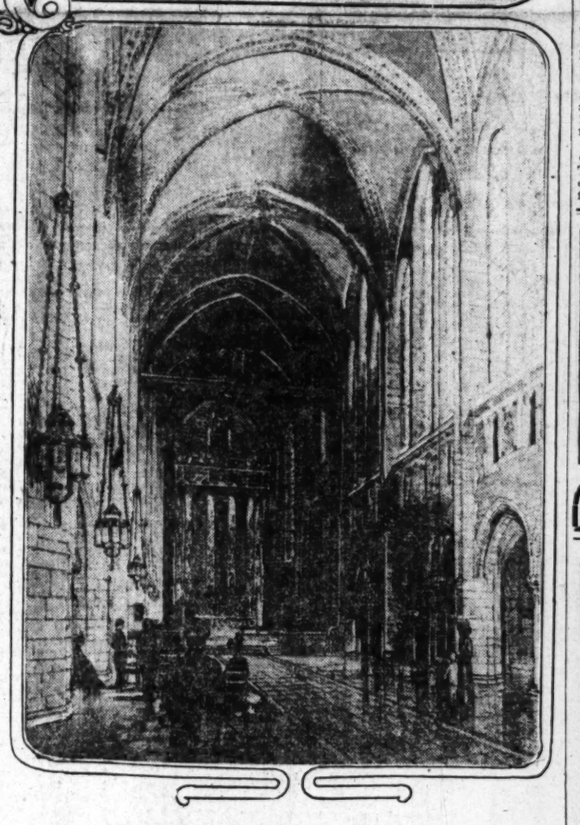
If this gang moves toward the Plaza it will find police there almost man for man. The Chief made his final arrangements last night. In addition to the twenty-five policemen in Sonoratown, the traffic squad numbering fifty will patrol the Plaza under Lieut. Butler. At the Central Station there will be 175 special officers under Capt. Home. The Chief will be in his office all day ready to take personal charge. At the first sign of trouble the emergency men will be rushed to the Plaza in special machines, in addition to the police cars. All the policemen will be equipped with clubs and heavily armed.

Investigation to learn the identity

(Continued on Eighth Page.)

Great Pro-Cathedral to Be Reared by St. Paul's.





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A Neighbor's Protest.

UNREST CAUSED BY REST HOTEL.

LEGAL FIGHT TO OUST SIERRA MADRE ASYLUM BEGUN.

Complainant Names Boy Who Imagines He Is a Brass Band and Women Patients Who Pose as September Morns as Some of the Annoyances He Is Subjected to.

A legal fight to oust the Rest Hotel Company, characterized as a haunt or asylum for lunatics, at Sierra Madre, was started yesterday with the filing of a complaint by George H. Woodruff, an attorney, and resident of that city.

Woodruff, whose property adjoins that of the alleged asylum, asserts that his wife and children are terrified by the peculiar antics of the inmates. He sets out at length these alleged vagaries, specifying particularly one man who attempted to enter his home and when barred out, kept guard in Woodruff's orchard for four hours.

When the asylum authorities were appealed to by telephone, Mrs. Woodruff was advised to lock up the house until the patient could be captured, the complaint alleges.

A boy named Earle, who imagines he is a brass band, annoys Mrs. Woodruff by dancing and loud singing. Women patients who have a mania for appearing unexpectedly as September morns are cited by Woodruff as samples of the strange things his children are subjected to.

Formerly the abode of the asylum was a tourist hotel. It was abandoned for hotel purposes and later occupied by the Rest Hotel Company. The suit, it is intimated, will bring out disclosures during the trial. The defendants named, beside the hotel company, are C. B. McCartey, Lyman A. Mills, Mary E., Charles E. and James Lyman.

Next Year.

GRAND GOTHIC PILE FOR EPISCOPALIANS.

COMPLETE plans for the grand edifice to be reared by the parish of St. Paul's Episcopal Church on the site of the present frame Pro-Cathedral on Olive street between Fifth and Sixth have been received by Bishop Johnson and Rev. William MacCormack, dean of St. Paul's. The architectural firm of Cram, Goodhue & Ferguson of New York has the undertaking in charge. Accompanying the drawings are perspectives of both the front elevation and the interior of the great new Pro-Cathedral, designed to be the most beautiful church building on the Pacific Coast.

Approximately $150,000 will be expended in the building, according to the present plans of the vestry and the diocese. Some details yet remain to be perfected, but the parish hopes to have the church completed and ready for occupancy in 1915. The architectural designs and specifications are now practically in shape for a call for construction bids.

The parish and diocese having definitely decided early last year to undertake building on the present site, Cram, Goodhue & Ferguson, generally recognized as the leading ecclesiastical architects of the country, were commissioned to prepare plans of a design, preferably Gothic, to occupy eighty feet of the 149 feet of frontage owned by St. Paul's on Olive street. The instructions were to plan a strictly downtown church, an edifice that, while laid out on the practical lines demanded on account of the enormous value of the ground to be occupied, would, in its environment of great business blocks, offer the contrast of a quiet dignity and beauty of design and constitute a restful retreat for worshipers and all others who might wish to leave the thronging streets and enter.

The architects have planned a structure which, according to the churchmen, possesses all the qualifications named. Occupying the south eighty feet of the church property, the pro-cathedral is to extend back to the line of the present parish house, which, being a brick building and of more permanent construction than the old church in front, will be left intact. The front of the new building will be attractively faced with stone and will have effective ornamental features. The interior will be practically one great open room with cloisters along the sides and an open ceiling of unusual height. Substantiality, impressive dignity and an air of permanency will characterize the whole.

The vestry plans to lease the north sixty feet of the plot for a term of fifty to ninety-nine years to a corporation that will agree to build on the site an office block following in its street front design lines somewhat in keeping with the church itself. In this building the parish and diocese hope to reserve offices for their own use, thereby making it possible to confine the uses of the church itself to purposes of worship alone.

Bishop Johnson and Dean MacCormack are jointly in charge of the building enterprise, as the structure will be a diocesan as well as a parish institution, serving both as a church and a cathedral.

Heavenly.

ORPHANS FIND A FAIRY HOME.

Boys' Plea Touches Hearts of Childless Rich.

Pasadena Palace Opens for Brother and Sister.

New Mother Weeps at Sight of Their Poverty.

One week ago Roy and Gertrude Stone, brother and sister, 10 and 8 years old, were in the big world, fatherless, motherless and homeless. A sad misfortune had taken away all love and protection, leaving them stranded in childhood with no opening in the blank wall of the future.

Roy and Gertrude were at the headquarters of the Childrens' Home Society of California, No. 2414 Griffith avenue, waiting for the door to somebody's heart and home to open. The Times printed their pictures and their prayer that they might not be separated.

A week ago Gertrude wore a faded blue frock. Her hair was tied with a bit of black ribbon. She was barefooted. Just then life did not seem to have much for her, but her blue eyes were bright and hopeful.

Roy's clothes had been generously patched. With freckled hands in trousers pockets, with bare, brown legs and tousled hair, he showed to the world a face alight with vigor and intelligence.

The story of the brother and sister without a home unlocked the hearts of a childless couple and yesterday the door of a rich man's mansion in Pasadena opened to receive Roy and Gertrude. The man and his wife called at the Childrens' Home in a motor car for the boy and girl.

WEEPS AT POVERTY.

After the children had been received in their adopted parents' big car, an attendant of the home ran out with a little bundle of clothes.

"Here are the children's things," she explained.

The new mother looked at the worn garments and tears came to her eyes.

"We won't take them along," she said. "I'd rather not see them."

The children were taken direct from the Griffith-avenue institution to a downtown department store and a complete wardrobe was purchased for each.

Then Roy and Gertrude were taken to their new home. The car passed between rows of pepper trees, up a long driveway and there before them was the fairy palace that was to be their dwelling place. They saw a great lawn, bordered with flowers, and in the center a silent house that had not known the patter of little feet.

The faded blue frock and the trousers with the patches are no more. They have faded into the past. Last evening Gertrude was dressed as befits a daughter of the rich. A soft, white frock with a blue sash clung to her slender body. A wide hair ribbon stood high on her head and she wore dainty slippers and hose. Roy was dressed in a becoming blouse. Once he forgot and tried to put his hands in his pockets, but there were no pockets. He looked down at a pair of new shoes and tried to wiggle his toes as he did when he was barefoot.

"TAKE A ROMP!"

"Take a romp over the house, children," their mother said. "Please make a little noise and be happy. I haven't heard either of you laugh yet, but I think you will pretty soon."

The adopted parents did not wish their names to be known.

"Just say for us," the woman said, "that over in Pasadena there is somebody who loves God and little children."

Two other children, both boys, at the headquarters of the Children's Home Finding Society found homes this week. George, 4 years old, whose picture was shown in The Times with those of Roy and Gertrude, was adopted by a prosperous rancher in Laurel Canyon. Another boy, 7 years old, was adopted by a local business man and his wife.

CARRY FLAG ON YOUR CAR.

In pursuance of the patriotic proclamation of the Mayor, requests were issued yesterday by Secretary S. L. Mitchell of the Automobile Club of Southern California that all club members and automobile owners in general display American flags on their cars today, in sign of fealty to Old Glory. General compliance was indicated in responses from club members yesterday.

BURIED UNDER SAND.

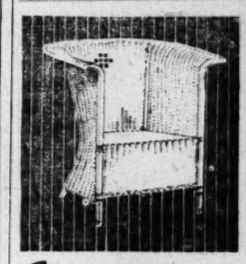
Workman Suffocates When Twenty Tons of Dirt Pour Over Him in Sewer Ditch—Rescue Efforts Fail.

With his head in a sewer pipe and twenty tons of dirt on his breast, Charles Bronson suffocated in a cave-in of a sewer ditch at Santa Fe avenue and Sacramento alley yesterday before rescuers could supply air. He was employed by W. J. Eggert in laying sewer pipe along Sacramento alley.

He was on his back, with his face half hidden in the end of the sewer pipe inspecting connections, when the earth tumbled upon him. Not a sound was heard. The sand trickled down, constantly increasing its tragic weight, while the laborers above toiled terribly to throw the dirt away before death should come to their comrade.

As fast as the shovels tossed the sands away they kept returning to the attack, rolling back too fast for the shovelers to cope with the uncontrollable material.

After more than fifteen minutes the men reached their comrade. They looked at him, and notified the Coroner that a tragic death had occurred.



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Trousers for women is Fashion's latest decree. Not bifurcated skirts, nor the Turkish effect, but just trousers.

True, there is one concession to sex difference in dress, since over the masculine garment will be worn a divided skirt of the same material.

But revealed rather than concealed by the skirt are trousers, cuffed, creased fore and aft and cut on the general lines of the peg-top affairs that men wore before they began squeezing their extremities into the narrowness of English patterns.

The new garment masks under the name of the trouserette skirt. It is to the woman pedestrian what riding trousers and boots, with a long-skirted coat, are to her equestrian sister. It is the antithesis of the hobble skirt, an opposite mode of Fashion's caprice.

However, the question in point is whether the women like them. Will any be willing to discard the draped and the pagoda effects for another their brothers have rendered familiar?

If in doubt, ask Miss Mabel Haller, the Los Angeles exponent of the innovation, who luxuriated for an entire afternoon in the freedom of the trouserette skirt.





Yes, women are to wear 'em.

How the trousers anad the divided skirt over them look on Miss Mabel Haller, their advocate in Los Angeles. When raising the skirt or taking a high step the trousers become conspicuous.

"This is the best ever," she says, enthusiastically. "You can't realize just how much freedom in walking men have until you yourself have worn a trouserette skirt. I will recommend that the forty girls of the walking club to which I belong adopt the trouserette skirt uniform for their long 'hikes' out in the country. In this suit I can walk ever so far without becoming fatigued. I am going to wear a trouserette suit this summer if no one else does. I think all the girls of the club will, too, after they have tried walking with one of them on.

"The ordinary narrow skirt makes 'hiking' impossible. Wear a wide one, one might suggest. This is just as impracticable, since the wide skirt is in the way and the additional fullness adds to the weight.

"The girl who shops instead of tramping may wear a trouserette skirt and step the highest steps on street cars without fear of rending her garment, and tread the rounds in ever so many shops without fatigue."

Tells Secrets.

"THE TIMES" SCHOOL OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

THERE are tricks to every trade, and yesterday The Times class in domestic science learned one of the head baker's pet tricks, or for that matter, several of his tricks, for the class was taught how to make quick icings. All sorts of hurry-up frostings—chocolate, vanilla, maple and all flavors.

Confectioners' sugar was the base of the quick frosting and if every one knew how easily the sweet covering is made, there wouldn't be much chance for a frostless cake to disport itself in public undraped.

Mrs. Bertha Haffner-Ginger, who is in charge of The Times class, demonstrated westerday how the various sorts of icings were made and then served them on lady fingers or macaroons, and the members of the class declared quick frosting a revelation.

"First, one must see that all the lumps are smoothed out of the sugar," said Mrs. Haffner-Ginger, and she suited the action to the words, "then have about two tablespoonfuls of boiling water to each large cup of sugar, be careful not to use too much water. Add it slowly to the confectioners' sugar and keep the water boiling. It is surprising how quickly and easily you can beat up a nice icing."

Making the icing at home, Mrs. Haffner-Ginger says, is such a saving if one has to purchase bakery goods. If the price one pays for a fancy cake is put in a good plain loaf cake, the quality of the cake is so much better and the icing can be so easily and cheaply added to the plain cake.

At the last lesson one of the members brought a small glass of preserves for Mrs. Haffner-Ginger to sample and criticize and when the Cook Lady proceeded to "sample" the fruit very freely, various members of the class promised to bring her other samples as she seemed to enjoy them so much.

"There is nothing like tasting someone's else cooking," said Mrs. Haffner-Ginger, as she smacked her lips over the delicious preserves, "and the wise wife will keep this in mind and see that her husband has an occasional meal downtown, so he will more fully appreciate the home cooking, and likewise if more husbands would always arrange for "wife" to have a restaurant meal each week, she would be more contented to cook the other part of the time."

Mrs. Haffner-Ginger, has traveled much and has spent many days dealing with the problems of the housewife, so she is more than wise in the ways of the average woman's mind, and her advice is well worth with quaint bits of philosophy and some times some very pointed remarks on men, women and affairs, so the talks always have an added spice regardless of what part of the menu the lesson happens to deal with.

The cooking class meets each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m. The lessons are free to all.

SCHOOLS COMPLIMENTED.

Board of Education Invited to Exhibit High School Room at Panama-Pacific Exposition.

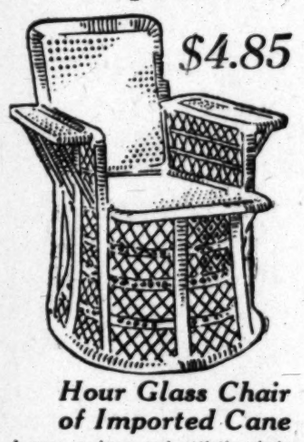
A high school room, furnished entirely by students, will be the Los Angeles contribution to the educational fine arts building of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, if the invitation of Robert Harshe, assistant chief of the fine arts exhibit, is accepted by the city Board of Education.

High school students, according to Mr. Harshe's request, will make the furniture, weave the rugs and fashion art pottery for the room, as well as decorate it with their drawings and paintings.

It is suggested also that a portion of the Los Angeles exhibit may be sent to Paris for the 1916 exposition. School authorities consider this invitation a great compliment to Los Angeles schools, as such a room would be a leading feature of the educational exhibit. The matter has been referred to Supt. Francis for report as to practicability and cost.

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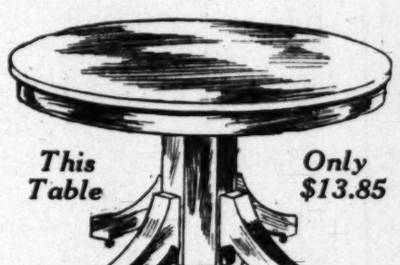


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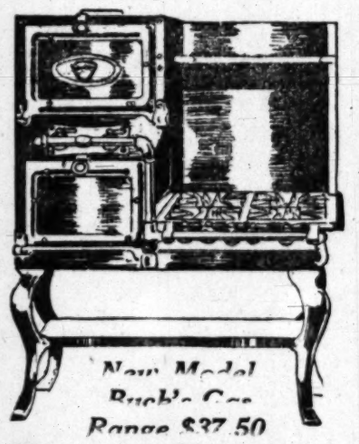
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New Draperies

Verdure tapestry cretonnes, reproductions of goods worth $5.00 per yard, this week.....45c
36-inch figured taffeta cretonnes—for cushions or hangings—all the new tints and attractive patterns, per yard 60c
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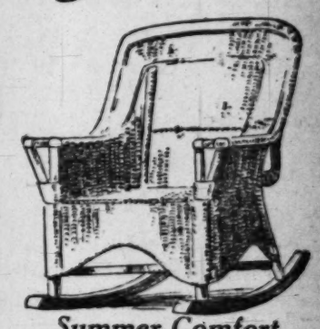
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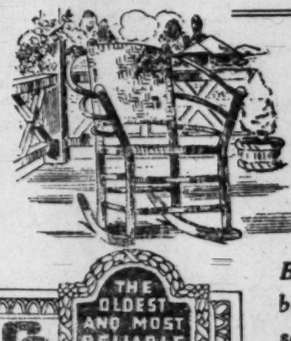
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The progress of registration clearly shows that, as formerly, the Republicans are dominant in California. It is certain that the "Progressives" will not be able to elect any candidate for State office. It is morally certain that they will be unable, together with the other minor parties, to divert naturally Republican voters in sufficient numbers to let in the Democrats. The Johnson-Eddie-Earl party is nothing more nor less than a Democratic Aid Society. Real Republicans are leading the Johnsonites over 160,000 in the registration returns to date. The Democrats are far ahead of the "Progressives," who are trailing in the third hole. The registration returns show that the Republicans have reassumed their dominant position in the State. Thousands who register as Democrats will vote the Republican ticket. Soundthinking Democrats fully realize that "Progressive" success at the polls would be a calamity. The Democrats are as anxious to smash the fake reformers as are the Republicans. Old Republicans who temporarily allied themselves with the hosanna shouters are returning in droves. The registration shows it. The vote in November will find them back in the ranks of the Old Guard. There is no reason why they should not be back. What can be alleged in the interest of progress or patriotism against the Republican party? What step forward in the line of what it is the fashion to call "social justice" (an expression which really has no definite meaning) has not been first taken by the Republican party, whether in State or National affairs? What is there now which any true patriotic citizen desires which is not favored by the Grand Old Republican Party? No Republican need apologize for the deeds of the Republican party since the day of Abe Lincoln. And the sane, loyal, level-headed men and women of this great State, who are tick and tired of "Progressive" legislation and theories, which have nearly wrecked the business and farming interests of the State, are going to vote the Republican ticket. California must rid herself of the freaks and pests who are retarding the onward march of California with their insane statutes and high-sounding clap-tap.

The underhanded attempt to induce the Grand Parlor of Native Sons, just adjourned in this city, to adopt a resolution indorsing the administration of Gov. Johnson met with the prompt and emphatic rebuke it deserved. The very effort to slip such a resolution through the highest council of a great fraternal organization was in itself a political trick of the cheapest kind. And the bosses of the Armageddon outfit of near saints are built just that way. Charlie Murphy, Grand Sachem of Tammany Hall, in his palmiest day never attempted such a trick to shove over one of his henchmen. It is through cunning of this kind that the "Progressive" party has managed to exist as long as it has. Is the "Progressive" cause so sadly in need of bolstering that its job-holding emissaries must resort to tactics of this kind? And the man who tried to put it over is a former secretary of Gov. Johnson's and later appointed to the Superior Bench by the same Johnson. And they shout "reactionary." Bunk.

Gustave A. Brenner, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, called on the Watchman yesterday. Chairman Brenner has just completed a tour of the State and is confident that the entire Republican ticket will triumph next November. Mr. Brenner declares that the Northern Republicans are willing to step aside in favor of the Southland in the selection of a candidate for Governor. The south has not named a Governor for sixteen years and Brenner and the Northern Republicans think it about time for us to do so.

"The straight Republican ticket will come down to the Tehachepi at least 50,000 ahead of the 'Progressives,'" said Brenner. "If Southern California stands fast by the party (which it undoubtedly will) Johnson and his mates will be snowed under an avalanche of votes. The Young Republican movement throughout the State is splendid and means victory. We are far ahead of the 'Progressives' in registration in San Francisco, in fact, the 'Progressives' are behind the Democrats. There are more Republicans registered than Democrats and 'Progressives' combined. Alameda is the only county in the State where the 'Progressives' lead, and the Republicans are steadily gaining. Mike Kelley, the Johnson boss of Alameda, is a cunning politican and has, with the aid of Johnson's pie-counter and the taxpayers' money, built a powerful machine. Alameda will be found in the Republican column the morning after election. The women Republicans are doing a splendid work throughout the State. The women are just as active as the men, which is saying a good deal. The laboring men and women are enrolling under the Republican banner. The Republican party has done more for the working people of the country than all other parties combined and the cheap buncombe and glittering promises of Gov. Johnson cannot swerve them. Every county in the State has a good working organization in addition to the young men's clubs and women's leagues. It looks fine and when the voters pick their candidates—and they will pick the strongest and best men in the party—all the tearful bellowings of Johnson will be unable to stem the rising tide that is headed his way." Chairman Brenner called on Vice-Chairman Robert Sweeny and a number of other leading Republicans yesterday and discussed matters of importance.

William Prendegast, Comptroller of New York City, and the man who nominated Theodore Roosevelt at the Chicago Bull Moose convention will deliver an address on "True Republicanism" at the Lyceum Theater in Los Angeles, the evening of May 7. Prendegast is back in the G.O.P. ranks. He frankly admits he was bamboozled by the Perkins-Hanna-Flinn-Earl gang. And he was not the only one. Prendegast is now touring the country in the interests of the party that has made this country the foremost nation of the earth. He believes, with Senators Cummins, Borah, Bristow, Works and other statesmen that the Republican party should be reformed, if necessary from within and not by tearing down and destroying the most beneficient political organization of all time. He's dead set against a third party, first and all the time, especially when such third party is founded on personal ambition, passion and malice. Prendegast is a great orator and thinker. He was some great gink, in the type of the Express and Tribune, those heralds of holiness when he placed T. R. in nomination, but now they yowl "He's a bandwagon politician and really a reactionary at heart!" Can you beat it?

County Assessor Ed Hopkins is a candidate to succeed himself, and unless all signs fail he will succeed. Assessor Hopkins has made good. He is efficient and understands his job every way. He is his own boss, which means a whole lot in these boss-ridden days. He has lived in Los Angeles a quarter of a century. He was appointed Assessor in 1907 to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Ben E. Ward, whose chief deputy he was at that time, and afterward elected for the succeeding term of four years, expiring January 1, next. He is president of the State Assessor's Association and is prominent in city and county affairs. Under his personal supervision and methods the assessed valuation of all classes of property in this county has been made as nearly uniform and equitable as is possible under the present laws and conditions. This was fairly proved at the session of the County Board of Equalization last year, when less than 500 revisions of values were asked out of more than 750,000 valuations. He was then publicly commended by the Board of Equalization for the equitable results obtained by his office. City Assessor Walter Mallard may run against Hopkins.

Congressman Knowland of Alameda, Republican candidate for the United States Senatorial nomination, left Los Angeles last night for Washington, D. C. Knowland will fight it out with Samuel Shortridge for the G.O.P. nomination and the winner will go to the mat with James D. Phelan, Democrat, and the victor of the famous Rowell-Heney mess-up. Even the "Progressive" bosses admit Knowland or Shortridge will be the next Senator from California. Rowell and Heney aren't vote-getters in any sense and the winner of this pewee scrap at the primary is in for a fine lacing. Knowland is an aggressive campaigner and very popular. He is only 40 years of age and has served sixteen years in Congress. Before going to Congress he was a State legislator.

"Republican victory is at hand in California," said Mr. Knowland yesterday. "The would-be destroyers of the Republican party are doomed. When they disfranchised over 200,000 Republicans in this State last year they sounded their death knell. Real Republicans never forget and many Democrats will join with us in administering the punishment due the tricksters. It was the most outrageous act ever perpetrated in the history of this country."

Judge Gavin W. Craig, candidate for presiding judge of the Appellate Court in the Second Distrfict, will address the Women's Republican League tomorrow afternoon in the Coulter building at 2:30 o'clock. He will talk on "Republicanism." The public is cordially invited.

These weekly meetings are largely attended, and instructive and interesting addresses are delivered by popular speakers. After Judge Craig's address the women will hold a regular business meeting.

Members of the State and County Central Committees in the eight counties south of the Tehachepi will hold a joint meeting at the State headquarters in the Coulter building on May 7 at 2 p.m. Important business will be transacted. After the meeting the committeemen will attend the Prendegast rally in a body.

Postmaster Harrington Brown. Nuff sed.

POISON BREW FAILS.

Woman Who Sought Self-Destruction Restored in Spite of Deadly Mixture Prepared in Caldron.

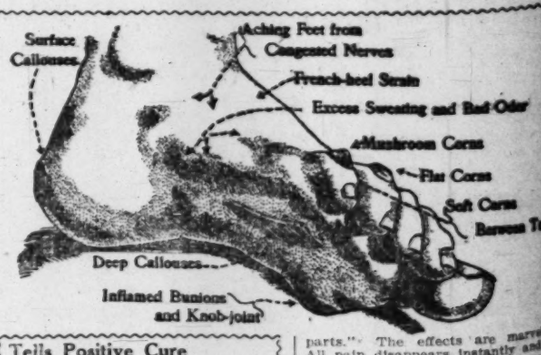
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Around and around she stirred them until the bubbling water and from the heads of the matches all that was deadly. With a skimmer that she used in separating cream from milk, she withdrew the sticks and then continued the brew for several minutes.

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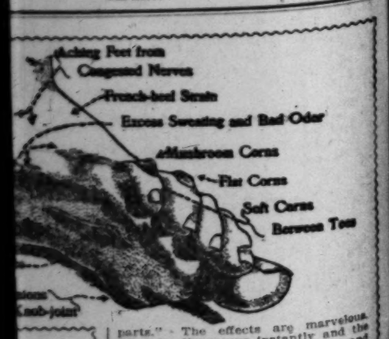
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Jolly and Original.

SMART GOWNS, FRENCHY PLOT.

Fashion Play at Midwick Is Gorgeous Success.

Prominent Society Women Out in Force.

Dinner Served While Actors Entertain.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

The Midwick Country Club was a scene of unrivalled gaiety all day yesterday, which reached a grand climax when two dozen charming society women from Los Angeles and Pasadena presented a gorgeous fashion play in the evening.

Being modest and diffident they decided that the audience would bear up more bravely if they viewed the play and ate an epicurean dinner at the same time, so a stage was erected at the end of that large artistic dining-room. There was such a rush for tables that they had to be crowded into every available corner of the room and overflowed under the archways—just like New Year's Eve at the Alexandria. Nearly 300 members and their friends sat down to dinner, hosts and hostesses including nearly all the well-known society people from both cities.

Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner was originally responsible for the idea and Mrs. Brackenbridge stage-managed things. It was certainly a huge success and the audience was infected with the utmost good spirits, witty and caustic criticisms being freely exchanged as the performers appeared in their wonderful creations of a mode.

The scene was a dressmaker's establishment of luxurious standards, Mrs. Brackenbridge playing the modiste with inimitable cleverness—an American of low caste who had "got on," been to Paris and discovered how things were done over there, and imitating them with shrewd business acumen. This gave her a chance to be sumptuously slangy in her altercations with the "Buttons" and magnificently Frenchy in her dealings with her clients. Mr. Avery McCarthy ably assisted as a tailor, haughty and servile by turns. Mr. Dartworth achieved glory as the "buttons," and Miss Dorothy Bailey as a French maid with a passion for dusting.

To this establishment come the shoppers. Mrs. McGowan in the guise of a Madame Malaprop, a virulent climber, intent upon fitting herself out with a really stylish wardrobe for all occasions; Mrs. Miner, an aristocrat, carrying a long French cape and lorgnettes; Mrs. Barham, Mrs. Ralph Williams and Henry Davis. The latter as a wily old aristocratic roue.

That gives the opportunity for parading the models on ravishing dimunitins, whose parts were performed by Mrs. Earl Anthony in adorable neglige, cream charmeuse, with gold brocaded coatee and gold lace cap; Miss Emily McBride in the shortest of cotton tub frocks, blue and white, and Mrs. McClure in a similar morning dress in yellow cotton crepe with a black sash.

Then came Mrs. Avery McCarthy in a fascinating tennis frock of white and pink, and Miss Elizabeth Sherk, the golf girl in white, with yellow sweater, etc. Mrs. Pierre Letchworth showed us how to be irresistible riding astride—in brown suede and a pongee East Indian helmet—and Mrs. Watson dressed for side-saddle in broadcloth breeches and a black and white check coat was the essence of chic.

The Ramsey sisters exemplified the charm of the tailored suit in its more dressy and ambitious phase—Miss Katherine in dull blue and Miss Marjorie in green, with lots of lace.

Trotteur dresses were likewise of elaborate make and texture, but not in colors—Mrs. Harrison Guthrie in black charmeuse and hat, with white chiffon vest, and Miss Sally McFarland in black taffeta, with touches of white, black hat, escorted by a pure white Pekingese dog.

Mrs. Earl Armstrong and Miss Jane Stimson showed off the reception dresses, each more wonderful than the other, and Miss Eileen McCarthy was quite fascinating in a garden party dress of white with pink roses. Mrs. Howard Huntington's garden party dress was of white net, ruffled to the waist, the edges of pale blue satin. She wore a crushed strawberry sailor hat and a blue parasol, which proved to be a delightful combination. Mrs. Robert Sweeney in white chiffon and crystals and long streamers in a ravishing pink hat and a pink parasol was another lovely model.

Miss Helen Jones in a debutante dress of white lace, with gold embroidered lace draperies, and Mrs. Russ Spalding in velvet of rich yellow made a pretty contrast, and Miss McCarthy also showed off a lovely evening wrap in blue and silver brocade.

Mrs. Sam Haskins in an evening dress of flesh-colored satin, white tulle, a touch of turquois, and ropes of handsome pearls gained much applause, and Mrs. Montague Ward had a great reception in a blue wig and a gown of cloth of gold brocaded in soft colors.

Hosts and hostesses of the evening were entertained from half a dozen or thirty friends each at the various tables were Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mr. and Mrs. Jardine, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Evans, Lee Guyer, Mr. and Mrs. Blanchhorn, Dr. and Mrs. Barnwell, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Forrester, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tevis, Mr. and Mrs. William Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Armstrong, Mr. Workman, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Murray, Mrs. Laurence Burck, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harris, Russell Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ayer, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Carlee, Mr. and Mrs. N. Wigton, Mr. and Mrs. A. Scott Ormsby, Miss Florence Dwight, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hook, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Seaver, Mr. and Mrs. McGowan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sweeney, Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Braley, Mr. and Mrs. Franc O. Wood, Dr. and Mrs. Kaathoven, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rogers, Roger Topp, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Forster.

Each host decorated his own table, floral adornment was luxurious and beautiful. After the play the actors and actresses descended to the dining-room and had dinner at two long tables presided over by Mrs. Brackenbridge, amid the unmerciful chaffing of the gay company. Of course the evening ended up with the inevitable dance.

Tomorrow evening Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ramsay will entertain at the clubhouse with a dinner dance for about a hundred guests—an affair which will be very exclusive and charming from all accounts.

FINE EXHIBIT.

Elementary School to Show Indian Room With Furnishings Made by Pupils—Circus Also.

An Indian room, containing Indian baskets, blankets and pottery, a wigwam and canoe, all made by the youngsters, is a feature of the Sixty-second-avenue school exhibit, to be held on Thursday.

Also a circus wagon, constructed by the sloyd boys and containing such of the children's pets as can dwell in harmony and not eat each other up.

A room in the school basement will be fitted up for animal exhibit, consisting of pigeons, chickens, dogs, cats and a pet pony and a goat or two.

A dramatization of "Evangeline" by the ungraded room will be given, and the glee club and orchestra will play throughout the day.

May Day.

SPRING BECKONS FOREST SPRITES.

PAGEANT TO WELCOME BIRTH OF GLADSOME SEASON.

Hundreds of Pretty Girls to Participate in Festival Breathing of Woodland Glen With Elfs and Fairies and Queens and Music and Dances.

With thousands of tiny lights, blinking forth from garlands of flowers, and hundreds of pretty girls in a spectacular pageant, the student body of the University of Southern California will this year celebrate May Day with an elaborate programme.

Screened from the public gaze by spreading canvas the young people and their friends will join in a festival that has been planned to compete with similar pageants of the eastern colleges.

Beginning at noon with a box lunch which is to be served to the students and their guests, the faculty and wives, the day will be one long to be remembered. The box lunch will be served by twenty attractive Dutch maids, who will transport the boxes in wheelbarrows gaily festooned with gold and red roses—the college colors. During the lunch hour the Spanish Club of young men and women will give several songs and dances and a double stringed quartette, which the faculty has promised, will make the scene a festive one.

The May Day carnival will begin at 7:30 p.m., when the campus will be thrown open to the visitors. An hour will be allowed for the guests to enjoy the various attractions of the campus, such as the fortune-telling booth, the various refreshment booths, when te various refreshment booths, when the entertainment proper will be given.

Thousands of tiny lights have been strung and a score of young men and women have been busy for a week perfecting plans. There is to be an elaborate stage setting, representing a woodland glen, into the dusky shadows of which a tiny brown elf wanders. He strikes a stone and the myriad lights blaze forth; then come the trumpeters to announce the May Queen, who appears escorted by her four maids of honor. She is crowned, and the fairies of the breezes dance in her honor; then the Grecian maids dance the May pole dance and with intricate steps entwine the magic wand with ribbons; then the woodland violinist comes forth enchanting the forest sprites with his music and tiny poppies dance a spring song to his music, and when the fun is at its height, the elf waves his wand and the enchanted scene melts into the darkness.

After the programme the guests will be entertained by the Ukulele Club, who will present a Hawaiian scene, and by the University of Southern California orchestra.

Miss Gertrude Pentland is general manager of the May-day festival, Miss Mildred Finch chairman of the Entertainment Committee, G. Trevor chairman of the Advertising Committee, Miss Edna Cox dancing instructor and Miss Mary Wilkes is in charge of the May-pole dance.

For the first time in the history of the University of Southern California May festivals, the Queen is to be selected by vote of the student body. A secret committee is to select five of the most queenly girls attending the university From these five the student body by vote elects a queen and the other four are selected as maids of honor.

The following will take part in the poppy dance: Jefferson Hauser, Ruth Weinenger, Lenore Ong, Laura Rowe, Mary Church, Fay Kirk, Rita York, Widney Watson, Rosemary Tennceson, Agnes Barnhart, Hazel Wilkenson and Mildred Cowdery.

In the dance of spring breezes: Phyllis Brick and Lylah Hall.

In the May pole dance: Mary Wilkes, manager; Rita York, Fay Kirk, Dorothy Dyar, Nellie Wybark, Leonore Bredull, Myrtle Bailey, Queen Masters, Marie Buck, Dorothy Betts, Margery Hoffman, Bertha Bond, Lily Kincaide, Mildred Cowdery, Margaret Snowden, Mary Church, Widney Watson, Camille More, Rosemary Tennesson and Helen Clarke.

Senator John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, who was the Democratic leader in the House before Underwood, says:

"The poor, dear, old foolish Democratic party is going through the same game that she can be generally trusted to go through soon after she gets into power.

"That is the Democratic party, true enough," he continued. "That is its history. That is what led Speaker Tom Reed to say in 1894 and 1895: 'You can't last long because you are not accustomed to governing anybody or anything; you cannot govern the country because you cannot govern yourselves. You are incompetent.'"

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Such an assortment of broken lines and discontinued models of well known makes, as you will not see duplicated in many a day. In coutils and fancy brocades. A broken lot of sizes. Take advantage of this wonderful $1.00 Corset Sale; you can actually save many times more than the purchase price.

Inspect Them Monday

Compelling Values in Suits, Hats, Waists and Accessories

Combs and Fancy Barrettes Phenomenally Reduced

Monday's selling prices on this large collection of plain and fancy back-combs, push combs, barrettes and novelty bandeaux, represent enormous savings on original prices. Every item presents an economy well worth taking advantage of.

Reduced to 10c
Back Combs
Imitation amber and shell back combs.

Reduced to 25c
Back Combs
Fancy Bandeaux
Push Combs
Barrettes
Shell and amber back combs, dainty fancy bandeaux, push combs, with plain or carved top, plain and fancy designed barrettes.

Reduced to 50c
Push Combs
Imitation shell and amber push combs.

Reduced to 75c
Barrettes
Back Combs
Imitation shell and amber barrettes and back combs; gold inlaid, and studded with rhinestones.

Other Lots Reduced to $1.50, $2.50, $3.50 and $5.00

The broad collection embraces barrettes, combs and bandeaux in beautiful gold inlaid designs; artistically studded with rhinestones or simili pearls. On every item the reductions are large and the selling prices often a mere fraction of the regular.

Great Reduction Sale

Suits, Dresses, Coats and Skirts

Smart Suits Reduced to $18.50 and $25

The above surprising price features are on garments you would expect to see priced much more. Suits of wool poplin, serge, ratine, crepe epingle and diagonal. The broad color assortment includes navy, Copenhagen, green, tango, black and white check, black and white hairline and other wanted shades.

250 Dresses Reduced to $10.95, $14.95 and $18.95

Dresses for All Occasions

Shown in wool crepe, charmeuse, taffeta, eolienne and crepe de chine. Also combination dresses of wool and taffeta. The color assortment includes navy. Copenhagen, tango, brown, reseda, Russian green, wistaria, purple and black. Made with the bouffant or tunic effect.

Sale of Coats
$12.50, $15.00, $18.50
Street Coats
Auto Coats
Silk Coats

Sale of Skirts
Surprising Values at $6.50
Black or Navy Serge
Black & White Check
New Fashionable Models

Children's Coats Reduced to $6.50

Shown in black and white check and black charmeuse. One of the most advantageous economies offered this season in children's smart coats.



"Ville" Model $18.50

JUST RECEIVED

A new shipment of Women's Washable Cotton Dresses. Crisp creations of splendid style which we have priced at $6.50, $7.50, $8.00, $10.00, $12.50 up. Inspect them Monday.

Substantial Reductions on Smart Spring Hats at $7.50 and $9.50

(Copies of French Importations)

Until you have seen these exquisite copies of Continental models you cannot realize the surprising degree of value to be obtained at so modest a price. These hats at $7.50 and $9.50 are positively remarkable values. Only inspection can give adequate appreciation. Visit our second floor Millinery Salon Monday.

BASEMENT MILLINERY

Trimmed Hats $3.45 and $4.95

Splendid values at prices much under value.
Untrimmed Shapes $1.00 up
Flowers 15c up

Silks & Dress Goods

Black in High Favor

The trend of fashion this season, has accorded black a prominent position, to the extent that a woman's wardrobe is incomplete without a dress of one of these fabrics enumerated below. We would also emphasize the fact that black goods of every description are extremely scarce. An inspection of our complete stock is solicited. The following fabrics are here in abundance:

Black Silks

Crepe de Chine, $1.50 up to $4
Charmeuse, $2.00 up to $6.00
Black Taffeta, $1.25 up to $3.50
Satin Cachemire, $2.50 up to $3.00
Taffeta Radium....$2.50
Ripple Crepe, $2.50 and $3.00
Boris Crepe....$3.50
Mikado Crepe....$2.25
Moire ....$1.25 up to $5.00

Black Dress Goods

Of greatest merit among our broad collection embrace the following:
Silk and Wool Poplin, $1.25 up to $3.00
Tussah Carina, $1.25 up to $2
Wool Epingle....$1.50
Broadcloth, $1.50 up to $4.00
French Serge, $1.00 up to $1.75
Wool Taffeta, 75c up to $1.50
Wool Poplin, $1 up to $2.50
Wool Crepe $1.00 up to $2.50
Brocaded Poplin, $2 up to $3
Waffle Crepe, $1.50 up to $2.50

Sale of Linens

At Popular Prices.

72-Inch Damask, $1.50

A fine quality German Silver Bleach Damask of soft finish. Shown in a good heavy weight.
22-inch NAPKINS TO MATCH, Doz., $4.00.

Damask Pattern Sets $10.00

The cloth measures 2x2½ yards, the napkins, 24 inch. These are shown in a splendid quality of pure satin damask. In the latest circular designs.

Damask Dinner Napkins, Doz. $3.25

23½x23½-inch napkins. In a good quality pure Irish linen. A broad choice of small designs including snowdrop, Fleur de Lis, daisy, pansy, dot, and small wreath designs.

Hemstitched Damask Tea Napkins, Doz. $3.00

Made of a good quality German linen, fully bleached. A variety of new and dainty designs.

Art Department, Aisle 4.

A Sale of Special Importance To Every Woman Who Loves BEAUTIFUL LINGERIE

Our Half-Yearly Clearance Sale Hand-Embroidered Finished Garments

The Royal Society, Artamo, and Pacific Embroidery D M C Packages.

Our art department sells great quantities of unfinished stamped pieces, and it is necessary for us to carry for reference and exhibition a very large variety of the finished pieces.

Monday, we place on sale, all that have served their purpose to be closed out at **extremely low prices.** They are made of the very finest qualities of white voiles, batistes, nainsooks, crepes and lawns, exquisitely embroidered by hand. It would be difficult to imagine a more beautiful collection. The following are typical:

Princess Slips and Combinations at $6.00
Night Gowns at $4.00, $5.00 and $6.00
Corset Covers at $2.50 and $3.00
Chemise and Drawers at $2.50
Waists and Dressing Sacques at $3.00
White Aprons at $1.50 and $2.50
Boudoir Caps at $1.00, $1.50 and $2.50
Children's Dresses at $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00
Infants' Dresses at $3.00 and $4.00.

All on Sale Monday
Art Department—Aisle 4

Exclusive "Ville" Models In Smart Spring Blouses

Lingerie Waists at $1.50, $1.95, $2.50, $2.95, $3.50 and Up

Exceedingly attractive models made of such materials as voile, crepe, organdie and fancy voile; in figured or striped designs. There is also a variety of imported models, in the daintiest of hand embroidery on batiste. Even at the lowest prices, the models are most desirable.

BLACK BLOUSES

In Silk—$3.95, $5.00, $6.50 and $8.50.
In Crepe de Chine—$5.00, $6.50 up to $12.50.
In Georgette Crepe—black, trimmed with white, at $5.00.
In Black Chiffon over White—$5.00 up to $30.00.
With the present popularity of black, the above special values in black waists should obtain quick sale. All are new models, in desirable new materials.

Net Blouses at $2.95, $3.50, $5.00, $6.50 Up

In fine, tucked net. Artistically embroidered and effectively combined with lace or chiffon.

Georgette Crepe Blouses at $5.00

An especially desirable model shown in white, maize, tango, mauve, peach, flesh and gray shades; trimmings are of fine embroidery tucked and plaited net. Other attractive models in fine shadow laces are shown in a price range of $6.50, $8.50, $10 and up.

Wash Fabrics for Summer Wear

Imported Ratine Suiting, Special at . . . $1.00

An unusual collection of ratine suitings at a special price. The color assortment includes mixed colorings, black and white stripes, checks, and plaids. In all wanted combinations and sizes. An excellent assortment to choose from. 40 inches wide. On our Special Aisle Tables Monday.

In Our Basement Salesroom

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A Special Feature

For Monday Only Suits at $8.75

Fifty suits shown in sizes from 16 to 44. Made from fine all wool fabrics. In a very smart model with kimono sleeves, and attractively tailored skirt. Monday sale price, $8.75.

Summer Undermuslins Underpriced

Corset Covers, Drawers, Skirts, Combinations, Princess Slips and Gowns—Grouped for easy choosing. On special display tables, Monday.
Made from fine soft nainsook, cambric, crepe and other desirable materials.

Corset Covers and Drawers at 25c, 35c, 49c and 75c

Princess Slips at 95c, $1.19 and $1.45

Skirts at 49c, 58c, 75c, 95c, $1.19, $1.45 and $1.95

Gowns at 49c, 75c, 79c, 95c, $1.00, $1.19

Combinations at 49c, 75c, 95c and $1.19

Net Corsets For Summer Wear..... 50c

An interesting item Monday, is this assortment of new corsets at 50c. We have just received a shipment of these excellent quality corsets. Made in medium low bust, with strong flexible stays, hose supporters, etc. Neatly trimmed at top, with blind embroidery edging. A great value at 50c.

As a Particularly Interesting Feature for Monday— A Special Lot of 35 Dozen Soft Nainsook Gowns, Special at 75c

This Monday only special is a most remarkable value. Made from an excellent quality, fine soft nainsook. In slip over style. They are made with exceptionally pretty imitation hand crochet yokes. The short sleeves are trimmed and slotted with neat Torchon and maltese laces. Made by one of the most reputable manufacturers. Every gown cut full width and length to size, and filled seams. No 'phone orders. Limit of 3 to a customer.

A Special Feature for Monday Only. Crepe Gowns and Combinations at 49c

The combinations are made from plain white crinkled crepes and striped plisse crepes. Neatly trimmed with fine Torchon laces. The gowns are made from an excellent quality, plain crepe, with neat small stripes. Spendid values at 49c.

A Remarkable Feature for Monday Only.

Genuine Convent Hand-Embroidered Chemise at 49c.

Imported by us direct from France, and sold every day at much more than our low sale price. Made from a fine soft grade of longcloth. Daintily hand embroidered with pretty eyelet designs. Convent edged yoke and sleeve holes. Every garment is absolutely new, clean and perfect. Merely to make our Undermuslin Sale more interesting. Limit of 3 to a customer. No 'phone orders. Monday only at 49c.



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These suits are fully guaranteed in style, material, workmanship and fit. The patterns are carefully selected for spring and summer wear and include the popular blue or black worsted with white pencil stripes, plain gray worsteds and fancy patterns in tweeds and cheviots. Monday and Tuesday only. Don't miss this special.

"Double Service" Suits with 2 pairs of trousers. Spring styles. All wool materials, at $13.50 and $15.00.

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SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Board of Public Works yesterday determined upon a policy regarding such members of departments under its jurisdiction as may go into military service. It desires to carry such men on the city's pay rolls if possible while they are absent in service.

Tomorrow is the last day within which to pay city taxes without the addition of a 5 per cent penalty. More than $1,000,000 remains to be paid in out of the $5,623,363 on the assessment rolls.

It was announced at the City Hall yesterday that if the Council decides to take a fifty-foot strip north of First street instead of south of the street, for the proposed new connection with the hill district when the tunnel is built, a thirteen-story hotel building will be erected at the southwest corner of First and Broadway.

Nicholas L. Rigby, once owner of a valuable business corner, brought suit in the Superior Court yesterday against the American Baptist Home Mission Society to recover annuity money which he alleges is due him as a part of the contract under which he turned over his property.

Charles W. Gaston, who asserts that he is the smartest man in the world, was sent to Patton yesterday by the Lunacy Commission.

FIRST FRUITS.
FROM TUNNEL PROJECT.

One of the first movements for a great development to be inspired by the construction of the proposed tunnels through Bunker Hill was disclosed at the City Hall yesterday, when Councilman Snowden announced that contingent upon the city deciding to take a fifty-foot strip from the north side of West First street, between Hill and Broadway, instead of from the south side, for the new connection with the hill district, a thirteen-story hotel building will be erected at the southwest corner of First and Broadway by C. C. Moore, president of the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Newman Essick is the representative of Moore in Los Angeles and he has now gone to San Francisco in connection with details of this proposed hotel project.

Snowden stated yesterday that this is but the first of a number of large projects that are being planned for the north end, incident upon the starting of work on the tunnels.

FINAL CALL.
LAST DAY FOR TAXES.

Tomorrow is the last day on which taxes can be paid without the addition of a 5 per cent. penalty. At midnight tomorrow the penalty will attach. All of yesterday forenoon there was a rush of taxpayers at the City Tax Collector's office, and this will continue all day tomorrow. Undoubtedly the mails will also bring in a very large grist of tribute payments.

The original charge on the assessment rolls turned over to the Tax Collector was $5,623,363.01. At the close of business on Friday night there had been collected $4,522,592.88, leaving uncollected the sum of $1,100,770.13.

Yesterday there was paid over the counters $64,603.94, leaving to be settled tomorrow $1,036,166.19. The office, however, has a large amount of mail containing remittances that have not yet been checked up, and tomorrow's mail will probably bring in close to a half-million dollars.

Pacific Electric Objects.

An ordinance of intention has been passed providing for the improvement of portions of Los Angeles, Commercial and other streets. This calls for the repaving of Los Angeles street from First to Commercial streets with hydraulic concrete base and asphalt wearing surface. The provisions would require the Pacific Electric Company to relay its trackage with grooved girder rails. The company objects and in a communication to the Board of Public Works yesterday it stated that the tracks are in good condition and usable for probably five years yet, as the major portion of its northern-division cars are now routed over San Pedro street. It is stated that the improvement proposed would require the relaying of 1115 linear feet of tracks at a cost of from $18,000 to $20,000. The company asks that the proceedings be balanced. The board has no jurisdiction and the subject will be referred to the City Council.

Municipal Notes.

The Civil Service Commission will hold an examination May 9 of candidates for the position of solicitor for the Municipal Employment Bureau's women's department. The position requires a woman of good address to interview employers and obtain places for women making application. The salary is $90 a month.

Some members of the Council, Board of Public Works and the City Engineer have made a tour of inspection over the route proposed for the projected outfall sewer. The City Engineer's department is working on plans for the sewer, which it will be necessary to start soon.

Proceedings have been abandoned for the improvement of Allesandro street, from Elsinore to Los Feliz road, based on protests by a majority of property owners.

Opening and widening of Hoover street have been provided for under two ordinances of intention passed by the Council. One of these covers Hoover street from Vernon avenue to Fifty-seventh street, and the other from Slauson to Manchester avenues. Property owners have until May 14 to protest.

An ordinance is being prepared for a conduit district on Sunset boulevard, between Main and Marion streets, that the conduits may be laid before the paving is done.

North Park avenue will hereafter be known as Serrano avenue. The change applies to the street from Santa Monica avenue to Fountain avenue.

Although the legal department of the city rules that Los Angeles is not legally bound to pay taxes on its property in Inyo county, the Council has given authority to the Public Service Commission to pay this year under protest.

At the City Hall.

FIRST-STREET BORE DEMANDED.

CITY COUNCIL ASKED TO RUSH ONE TUNNEL.

Association's Executive Committee Gives Reasons for Pushing Half of Work Now and Contends that Objections to Such Procedure Are Not Well Founded.

The Executive Committee of the First-street Tunnel Association yesterday presented to the City Council a demand that proceedings be instituted at once for the construction of one of the bores for the proposed two-bore First-street tunnel. The communication was referred to the special Tunnel Committee. It is signed by John I. Dillon, J. M. Snodgrass, R. D. Mining and E. S. Todd, and says:

"The undersigned members of the Executive Committee of the First-street Tunnel Association, being deeply interested in bringing into closer connection sections of the city now separated by Bunker Hill, and sincerely desiring to aid, in a humble way, the Council in its onerous task, offer the following suggestions and petition.

"We are persuaded that a tunnel with two bores should be constructed on First street, beginning at Broadway, one bore for pedestrians and general traffic, the other for the use of the street cars. We believe that the tunnel for the general traffic might and should be begun at once, leaving the street car company to build later as in the Hill-street tunnel the street car company built first and the city afterward.

"On examination the objections urged against immediate prosecution of the work seem to disappear.

"It is urged that right of way for street cars and pedestrians from Broadway to Hill must first be obtained and that condemnation proceedings are often prolonged.

"By the amended Vrooman Act (1913) it is made optional with the City Council to defray the expense of boring a tunnel and of securing a roadway, by a single assessment or by two assessments at different dates. Separating the two, the actual boring of the tunnel could proceed while the legal proceedings were under way.

"It is objected that all communication between Broadway and Hill streets would be closed during this condemnation proceedings.

"Building a bore for traffic on one-half of First street leaves the other half, including the sidewalk, undisturbed for traffic and pedestrians.

"The street car tracks must be provided for.

"The tracks with little expense or trouble can be pushed over to the undisturbed half of the street.

"The plans for the First-street tunnel are not ready.

"We are in receipt of information that the plans for the First-street tunnel are in substantial readiness, and have been for some years, owing to the action of a former City Council.

"In view of the above facts, we respectfully petition your honorable body at an early day to institute proceedings for the construction of one of the bores of the First-street tunnel."

At the Courthouse.

SUES CHURCH FOR ANNUITY.

AGED PARISHIONER FORMER OWNER OF VALUABLE SITE.

Lot Deeded, He Alleges, to Mission Society With the Proviso that He Should Be Paid Five Per Cent. of Its Value at that Time Every Year Thereafter.

Nicholas L. Rigby, now old and practically penniless, owned, twenty years ago, the southeast corner of Second and Los Angeles streets, worth at that time $37,500. He deeded it to the American Baptist Home Mission Society for a life annuity of 5 per cent. on the value of the property, and within a year the society sold a portion of the lot for $22,000.

Rigby, then a mission worker and having every confidence in the alleged agreement to pay him an annuity of $550 a year, felt that he had provided for himself as well as doing a good turn for his church.

He alleges in a complaint filed against the society yesterday to compel the organization to pay him the balance of $7450 now due, that he was paid the annuity for two years and paid part of it in 1907, but that since then he has received nothing.

The society, it is alleged, will set up that there was no such fund and repudiates the agreement which Rigby says was made through W. W. Tinker, an agent of the society and local missionary, now deceased.

The suit is in the hands of Stewart & Stewart, who propose to vigorously press Rigby's claims. Proof will be produced, the attorneys say, to show that Rigby deeded his valuable property to the society on the annuity basis and that he expects to receive it as long as he lives.

NO RECONCILIATION.
DECREE GRANTED.

To assist them to get together and live happily Judge Jackson continued until yesterday the divorce suit of Martha M. Huff against John G. Huff. Two boys comprise the family, and whenever there are children Judge Jackson never fails to seek a make-up.

His efforts failed this time. Huff's attorney stated that his client apparently had disappeared and that his mother was grieving over it. The decree was granted on the ground of non-support, the mother given the custody of the boys and Huff ordered to pay $20 a month for their support.

ATTORNEYS LECTURED.
MUST BE PREPARED.

Judge McCormick read a lecture to attorneys yesterday who come into court without first preparing their cases. The lecture was the result of calling the quiet title suit of Luciel Bolden against James A. Ryan, administrator of the estate of Martin J. Ryan, and Roland C. Swaffield, special administrator.

Recorder Logan had been asked to bring in certain information covering a few years, but his investigation went back twenty-five years with the result that he discovered the plaintiff had owned the property that length of time and had not, as it was set up by the defendants, homesteaded before filing a deed. In view of this discovery Judge McCormick continued the case until tomorrow.

SENT TO PATTON

The smartest man in the world was sent to Patton by the Lunacy Commission last Friday. He is Charles W. Gaston, who made the assertion himself, and who everybody at the commission agreed was a smart man.

Gaston admitted there were two things he did not know. One was how to solder aluminum. The other was to transmute brass into gold. He is an inventor. He is also, as he asserts, the only atheistic Spiritualist in captivity.

NO INJURY DONE. The suit of the Merchants & Insurers Reporting Company against Hugo Schroeder, Joshua E. Youtz and J. C. Belton, to compel them as directors to return dividends amounting to $34,000, paid to stockholders, was decided in favor of the defendants by Judge Smith yesterday. It was alleged that the dividends were not paid out of the proceeds of the sale of the capital stock. The court found that no injury had been done the stockholders and that it did not impair the value of the stock.

DECIDES SUIT. A quiet-title suit to a triangular strip on San Pedro street between Sixth and Aliso streets, in extent only six inches wide by seven feet long, was decided by Judge Shenk yesterday in favor of J. W. Watson as to ownership, but in favor of I. D. Dehail as to the right under agreement with the former owner to construct his building six inches on the strip. This agreement acted as an estoppel. The strip was the result of the widening of San Pedro street.

INCORPORATIONS. Consolidated Orchards Company, incorporators E. F. Pinkham, F. B. McKevitt, J. R. Pinkham and Edward G. Kuster, capital stock $250,000, subscribed, $500; Pacific Reduction company, incorporators Charles D. Crouch, James W. Gridley, Sidney J. Parson, Fred C. Fenner and Howard J. Potter, capital stock, $1,000,000, subscribed, $500; Hawxhurst Manufacturing Company, incorporators James S. Bennett, Charles Greenberg and R. E. Wilson, capital stock $100,000, subscribed, $30.

Home-Grown.

GIVES MILLION ROSES FOR MAY-DAY FETE



Miss Boal, her dog, and her roses,
In the wonderful garden at Glendale.

MISS MARGARET ELLEN BOAL of No. 510 Rockglen avenue, Glendale, will furnish 1,000,000 Cecile Brunner rosebuds for the celebration which the Million Club has arranged for May Day at Washington Ball Park as a benefit for the Humane Society for Children. Miss Boal made the offer yesterday.

A million baby roses to make several thousand little tots happy. That doesn't seem like a very big undertaking for the tiny pink buds that everybody loves, but the growing and gathering appears at first thought like a stupendous undertaking. It takes a trip out to the Boal home to realize how huge the clusters of blooms hang and that hundreds of buds can be gathered with one cut of the shears.

"It does the roses good to be cut," explained Miss Boal in answer to the thanks of the club members. "I wouldn't think of accepting money for something that would make the youngsters happy," and she drew a long branch of buds toward her with a caressing motion.

It is this real affection for the roses she grows that has helped make Miss Boal's garden a success; this and the sheltering hill under whose protecting slope the tiny home with its big rose garden is situated.

The small frame house which Miss Boal had built on her two-acre tract is unpretentious, but comfortable, but the garden without flaunts thousands of blooms that would cost almost a fortune in the downtown shops. There are 600 American Beauty rose bushes in full bloom and huge hedges of wonderful pink baby roses —Cecile Brunners.

"When I was a girl," Miss Boal told the club members, "I used to long for all the roses I could carry. Now I revel in the hundreds of blooms. At night I wake and find the air heavy with their fragrance and it has made me take a new lease on life."

Miss Boal says that she bought the little place in Glendale just two years ago with money which came from the settlement of an estate. The entire sum which she received was $5000, only a small part of what she had expected would be her share of the estate. She was discouraged and disheartened and ill from worry —a woman close to 50 years of age with only the small nest egg to provide for her future life. Then it was, she says, she gambled for the first and only time in her life.

A penny was tossed up to decide whether she would buy a large house and a small plot of ground or a tiny house and a large piece of land. Fate decreed that the frame house should win. It has proved to be a very attractive dwelling with its background of splendid live oaks, and Miss Boal, who was an invalid at the time the cottage was built, is now in perfect health, thanks to the open-air life she has led.

"I don't play bridge, nor tango," said the owner of the rose garden yesterday, "unless my dancing up and down the path watching my roses bloom comes under the head of the hesitation waltz, but I am enjoying life to its fullest. I guess I never really lived before." This from one who has traveled in every part of the United States and Europe is a broad recommendation for rose culture.

Miss Boal says she finds her days crowded so that she hasn't time for any excitement except the study of law. Her Blackstone, Lassie, a beautiful white collie, and the wonderful roses which she brings to perfection occupy her hours.

Lassie, the collie, has the intelligence that marks the thoroughbred. She follows her mistress everywhere and helps carry in the cut flowers whenever she is allowed to do so. Miss Boal puts a small piece of paper around the stems, then Lassie willingly carries up the path to the house all the roses she can get in her mouth. Generally, Miss Boal uses a wheelbarrow to bring in the "crop" of fragrant blossoms, but she always gives Lassie her share of the load, so the faithful dog can be doing her part toward keeping the rose ranch going.

Miss Boal's father was William P. Boal of Fairchilds, Mo., and she is a descendant of Martin Luther on her mother's side. She was brought up surrounded by luxury and until '98 gave no thought to work as a means of gaining a living. At that time she lost her parents. Since then she has suffered the loss of her property through several lawsuits and two years ago she found that $5000 was all she could count on for the remainder of her life. Then she turned to the roses.

"I haven't made much yet," she confided, "only expenses, so far. But I have 10,000 new rose plants and 600 bearing bushes and a fortune of enjoyment in my other flowers. I am going to make this a specialty farm and when I have become "Judge" Boal, I will settle down to enjoy old age. You see I'm only 50 now, so I look for many happy years more."

DEATH OF PIONEER.

Veteran of Civil War and Founder of the Town of Beaumont Passes Away in This City.

George C. Egan, founder of the town of Beaumont, died in this city on Friday evening, where he has resided for the past five years, at No. 1649 Seventh avenue. He was a veteran of the Civil War and soon after the close of the conflict he came to California and located at Wilmington. Later he removed to Spadra, when it was a stage station on the San Bernardino road, and from there he went to Beaumont and laid out the town on a tract of land he owned there. He next went to Pomona and went into the grocery business, and thirty-nine years ago married Miss Laura Dunlap of the well-known family of that name in the Yucaipa Valley above Redlands. He retired five years ago and came here to live with his two daughters, Mrs. L. G. Thomson and Mrs. Leila Monks. He also leaves a son, C. C. Egan of Ryan. The funeral service will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the chapel of Bresee Brothers and interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery.

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Silk Dresses at $5

Remarkable Sale Monday—$10 Models

THERE are many charming new styles in this collection of dresses at $5. Fine chiffon and all silk messaline. Shades of tan, green, tango, black, navy and pretty pin stripes. Tier skirts; lace frilled yokes. All sizes to 44. A value Monday that has not been equaled before this season.

$15 DRESSES $7.95
Sale Monday Only

THERE are beautiful dresses of taffeta, messaline and silk poplin. Two-tier skirt with frilled neck and lace yokes. Choice of tango, brown, green, Copenhagen and navy.

$4 DRESSES 95c
Sale 8:30 to 9:30

PRETTY tub dresses of ginghams, lawn and French percales. Several styles. Many trimmed with lace, embroidery and bands. None to dealers. Limit one to a customer.

New $15 Coats for $7.50

Balmacaan, Cutaway and Belted Effects

A SPECIAL New York purchase of 100 coats affords a wonderful value here Monday. Fine serges, smart stripes, checks and mixtures in tan, blue, green and tango. Silk braid and button trimmed. Latest styles for spring and summer.

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Another Big Value

Balmacaan, cutaway and new English coats for only $5.95. Splendidly tailored garments of serge, diagonals and mixtures as well as pretty checks and plaids.

$25 COATS $11.95
The Most Favored Weaves

French serge, honeycomb, diagonals, chinchilla and other novelties. Shades of tango, green, Copen, tan and white. Choice of many new styles—$19.50 and $25 coats $11.95.

Fine Suits at $7.95

New $15 and $19.50 Spring and Summer Styles

YOU WILL BE AMAZED when you see the handsome suits we include at $7.95. Smartly tailored, clever new styles for spring and summer. Fashioned of fine serge, diagonals, pin stripes and fancy mixtures. In all the most favored shades.

$10 SUITS $5
Satin Lined

ANOTHER value of unusual interest. New two and three-button cutaway styles in tan, gray, mahogany and navy. Satin lined coats. Regular $10 Spring suits for $5.

$19.50 SUITS $10.50
High Class Spring Styles

THERE are more than twenty new styles in this big lot suits at $10.50. French serges, diagonals, basket cloths, twills and novelties. $19.50 and $25 models for $10.50.

$4 and $5 Silk Waists for $1.39

Big Hour Sale, 8:30 to 9:30. None to Dealers

THERE are a number of styles in this collection of silk and chiffon waists at $1.39. Choice of navy, Copen, lavender and gray. Also messaline in gray and black. Made with lace yoke and drop shoulders.

$4 SKIRTS $1.69
Sale 8:30 to 9:30

New dress skirts of all wool serge in black, gray and navy. Also fancy striped material. Button trimmed. None to dealers. 8:30 to 9:30, only $1.69.

$1.25 WAISTS 39c
Sale 8:30 to 9:30

A clean up of odd lots and slightly soiled lingerie waists. Styles of lawn, madras and linene. Lace and embroidery trimmed. $1.25 to $2 lines, 1 hour at 39c.



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Pretty $2 Models $1.50



TWENTY dozen in this assortment. The popular medium size with round crown and drooping brim. Good serviceable hats suitable for either misses or women. And the price is much under value.

And Panamas at $3.50

These are straight brim, slightly upturned and sailor styles. Also a number of larger hats with drooping brim. Good serviceable hats suitable for either misses or women. And the quality Panamas you would expect to see priced to as high as $5. Really a wonderful value at $3.50.

Narrow Brims & Sailors $5

Many pretty styles are represented in this assortment. Wide sailor shapes and narrow brim effects. Another with long back and a third with slight drooping brim. Telescope crowns and other popular features. There are also many broad brim styles in this lot.

Pretty Trimmed Panamas $3.98

This is one of the most wonderful values our millinery department has offered this entire season. Genuine Panama hats tastefully trimmed with flowers, wheat and ribbon. In medium-size styles with round crown, also the popular drooping brim effects. Sale at $3.98.

Sale Lace and Emb'y—75000 yds

A New Lot Wonderfully Priced

STARTING the week, we are placing on sale an assortment of laces and embroideries that will be the wonder of every woman who sees them tomorrow. Such values are seldom offered even here.

New 25c Shadow Laces 10c

CONSISTING of edges and insertions up to 5 inches wide. In pure white, cream and ecru. Many pretty floral and conventional patterns. Much in demand for pleating and trimming summer dresses, and other purposes.

10c Val. Laces 5c

Real French and German Val laces in edges and insertions. Dainty floral, dot, spray, and mesh designs. Some matched sets are included.

5c Wash Laces 2½c

Consisting of French and German Val, torchon, pillow cases, Cluny, Medici and novelties in edges and insertions up to 2½ inches wide.

25c German Torchon Laces at 10c

This is a value that will appeal to every economical woman who sees it. Every piece is new and fresh. Put up in bolts of 12 yards each. In pretty designs for trimming underwear, etc. Bolt 10c.

50c Dress Nets 25c

In all wanted colors, 40 inches wide. 1½ yards make a pretty waist. Much in demand for wear over fancy camisoles. Sale at 25c.

$2 Silk Flouncing 98c

Of beautiful chantilly laces up to 27 inches wide. In black and white. Floral and other new patterns. For evening gowns, etc.

75c to $1.50 Embroidery 39c

CONSISTING of 45 and 27 inch flouncing, 22 inch allovers, 18 inch corset covers and demi-flouncing of Swiss, batiste, voile and nainsook. Embroidered in floral and other pretty patterns. Sale at 39c.

19c Embroidery 8 1-3c

Consisting of edges, beading, bands and galloons up to 6 inches wide. Of sheer Swiss, nainsook and Hamberg. Strong handloom edges.

35c Embroidery 19c

Consisting of corset cover and demi flouncings, 18 inches wide. Of Swiss and nainsook in floral, eyelet, blind and openwork patterns.

$1 to $2 Embroidery Only 69c

Handloom and real St. Gall embroidery flouncings, 45 and 27 inches wide. Beautiful floral and eyelet patterns embroidered on Swiss and nainsook. Extra strong edges. Extensively used for making summer dresses.

25c Embroidery 10c

New clean embroidery in edges, bands, beading and galloons up to 10 inches wide. Pretty floral and conventional patterns. Sale at 10c.

Demi-Made Dresses 79c

One dress consists of 2¼ yards, 27-inch ruffled flouncing, 2¼ yards beading, 2¼ yards of edges and one yoke. $1 and $1.50 demi-made baby dresses, 79c.

Shop 8:30 to 9:30

Rare Values—No Phone Orders

50c TO $1 SILKS—Fine messaline in shades of Alice, brown, gray, tan and black. Also fancy taffeta and foulards. 8:30 to 9:30 ..... **25c**

25c AND 35c SUMMER SILKS—Plain and fancy effects, 24 to 26 inches wide. Big line of colors and white. 8:30 to 9:30.. **15c**

20c BLACK SATEEN—Fast colors, 30 inches wide. None to dealers. Limit 10 yards to a customer. 8:30 to 9:30 ..... **9½c**

10c BATISTE—White or in plain light and dark colors. Mill lengths. Sale 8:30 to 9:30, yard... **5c**

10c BLEACHED CAMBRIC—Yard wide, soft smooth finish. 8:30 to 9:30, only **5c**

12½c DRESS PERCALES—Yard wide. Big line of patterns and fast colors. Sale 8:30 to 9:30..... **5c**

12½c ENGLISH LONGCLOTH—Yard wide. Fine quality for underwear and gowns. 8:30 to 9:30 ..... **5c**

REMNANTS, 15c TO 25c DRAPERY — Silkoline, cretonnes, burlap net and printed Swiss. 8:30 to 9:30, yard... **6¼c**

$1 AND $1.50 CORSETS—A clean up of odds and ends and "seconds." Plain and trimmed. Good range of sizes. Sale 8:30 to 9:30 ..... **50c**

75c AND $1.00 HOUSE DRESSES — Broken lines, fine percale and prints in light and dark colors. Made with high or low neck. 1 hour.... **39c**

MEN'S 50c WORK SHIRTS—Blue denim and chambray and light colored percales. Sizes 14 to 17. Limit of 4. 8:30 to 9:30, at **25c**

MEN'S 10c SOCKS—Heavy cotton in black, tan, blue and gray. One dozen pairs, 8:30 to 9:30, for **50c**

CHILDREN'S 10c LACE HOSE — Made with double heel and toe. Sale 8:30 to 9:30 only... **2½c**

WOMEN'S $2.50 FOOTWEAR—Broken lines of boots, pumps and oxfords. Of patent colt, gunmetal and vici kid. 8:30 to 9:30 ..... **59c**

BOYS' 25c AND 35c UNDERWEAR — Shirts and drawers of fine balbriggan. Long sleeves, ankle length. Ages 6 to 16. 8:30 to 9:30 ..... **19c**

300 Children's Dresses 98c

New $1.75, $2 and $2.50 Styles



THERE are more than 100 dozen dresses in this assortment ranging in size from 6 to 14 years. Fine repp dresses in blue and white, ginghams in striped or checked patterns, and plain percales in tan or blue. Dozens of styles including low neck and kimono sleeves with collars and trimming of contrasting materials. Also new blouse styles with belt. $1.75 to $2.50 dresses Monday at

98c

Children's Spring Hats 98c

A Clean-Up on Second Floor

EXTRA quality milan braid in white with ribbon and flower trimming. Also a number of hand made hats in light pink, white, blue and tan, of lacy braids trimmed with pretty bows. For sale in our millinery department, 2nd floor, Monday only 98c.

Gloves 98c

Some of our best $1.25 silk gloves; 14 inches long with silk covered clasps. Double tips. In black, white, tan and gray.

50c Beads 25c

A big assortment of choice new beads in popular amber, ox blood, green and black. And red and black engraved wood with nickel links.

Hats at ½

Boys' sample hats priced from $1.50 to $5, at exactly half price. A big assortment of styles. Sizes to 6¾. Latest spring straws. 4th floor.

Boys' Pants 69c

Of brown or tan corduroy with double seats. Have formerly sold for $1 and $1.25. Also navy serge, gray diagonals, brown and plain colors.

Wom's $1.50 Union Suits $1

Heavily Mercerized—Fine Ribbed Quality.



SILK LISLE union suits for women that are seldom sold for less than $1.50. Low neck and sleeveless styles trimmed around neck and armholes with French hem or silk ribbon tape. Knee length, cuff or umbrella style. In sizes 4 to 9. Sale in women's underwear department, main floor.

Union Suits 25c

Women's jersey ribbed union suits marked 35c each. Low neck and sleeveless style with cuff and umbrella knee. Well made garments.

Underwear at 19c

Women's 25c and 35c fine ribbed cotton and silk lisle vests and pants. Vests are high neck and short sleeves or low neck and sleeveless style.

50c Underw'r 25c

Jersey rib lisle vests and pants. Pants knee or ankle length. Also union suits with high neck and short sleeves. Double stitched seams.

Children's 25c Union Suits 10c

Of swiss rib cotton. Low neck and sleeveless styles, well finished with linen tape. Pants are knee length with drop seat. Sold for 25c nearly everywhere. Clean-up of slightly soiled underwear for children.

$1.50 Hose 75c

Full fashioned silk thread hose for women. High spliced heel, double sole and lisle elastic garter top. Black, tan, red, champagne, etc.

50c Hose 39c

Women's heavily mercerized silk lisle hose. All full fashioned. With high spliced heel and double sole. Lavender or gilt elastic top.

25c Hose 12½c

Silk lisle and gauze weight cotton hose for women. With reinforced double hem top. In colors of pink, blue, lavender, plain black, etc.

SILKS & DRESS GOODS

1200 yds. $1.50 to $2 Silk Crepe, 98c

THESE are the soft crepy silk materials so popular this season for full costumes and waists. 36 and 40 inches wide. In beautiful shades of duck wing blue, gobelin, taupe, new blue, wistaria, leather brown, king's blue, American beauty, and others.

$1.25 Imported Pongee at 49c

Just 25 pieces of this extremely popular silk. Real imported all silk pongee in the much-sought natural color. 32 inches wide. Easily washed. No phone or mail orders at this price.

$2, $2.25 Bengaline Silk $1.39

All full yard wide in the wanted large or fine cord effect. Of a deep rich black that is so much in demand for suits or coats this season. Excellent weight and firm weave.

$1 Yard Wide Black Silk 75c

Just 25 pieces of 36-inch all silk, black, soft, swiss taffeta and heavy messaline. All deep rich black and a splendid wearing quality. One of the best values we have to offer. Sale 75c.

$1.50 Crepe de Chine Only 89c

The much-wanted brocaded silk and wool crepe de chine. All 38 inches wide. In beautiful shades of old rose, baby blue, Alice blue, Nellrose, pink, emerald, cream and pure black.

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20 bolts of new light weight coating, 54 and 58 inches wide, will be on sale tomorrow at $1.19. Such popular weaves as cheviots, vicuna cloth, diagonals, serge and basket weaves. In new shades of light, medium or dark tan. All wool.

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Yard wide waist and dress lining. Included are Webster percales, majestic satin, marvel silk and heatherbloom. Over 50 shades to choose from. Also pure black.

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Including 36-inch Suskana satin, soft chiffon for slips and coat linings. In plain shades of castor, light and dark gray, golden brown, navy, black, white and cream.

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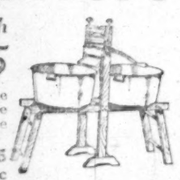
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Full size pure white crocheted spreads. Medium weight and plain hems. A big assortment of pretty patterns. Sale at 95c.

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81x90 Elmdale bleached, seamless sheets. Soft finish. Heavy weight and wide hems.

$1.10 Sheets only 79c

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12½c Cases 8 1-3c

42x36-inch bleached cases sold regularly for 12½c each. Very soft finish. Made from standard grade muslin. Sale 8⅓c.

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Bedding

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Full size double woolnap blankets in pure white, tan and gray. With pink and blue borders and shell stitched ends. A wonderful value.

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Another full size blanket of best cotton. In tan, gray and white with neat colored borders. A good serviceable blanket and a real bargain.

$6.50 Mattress at $3.98

These are either ¾ or full size cotton felt mattresses. Good, well made mattress weighing 30 pounds. Roll edges and square tufts. Sale $3.98.

$10 Iron Bed at $5.98

Full or ¾ size enameled iron beds with two-inch continuous posts. Supplied with ⅞-inch fillers. A good strong serviceable bed. Sale $5.98.

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60c Nets at 29c

45 to 48-inch bungalow nets in white and Arabian colors. Mission and Colonial patterns and beaded glass effect.

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Excellent quality, 50 inches wide. In Arabian and white colors and filet, crafters and open patterns. 75c bungalow nets 35c.

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All yard wide, fancy voiles and marquisette in white and Arabian. Many pretty designs, figured border effects, etc. Sale 15c.

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New 75c Golf Shirts Only 50c

Made of good heavy percale in neat pin stripes and fancy figured effects. Sizes 14 to 17. Coat styles with cuffs attached.

19c to 25c Lisle Socks 10c

Silk lisle full fashioned socks for men. Have double sole and toe and high spliced heel.

Pajamas $1

Real $1.50 pajamas for men. Of heavy madras and soisette in neat pin stripe effect.

Underwear 35c

Men's broken sizes of 50c to $1 underwear. Of lisle and Egyptian cotton. Sizes 30 to 44.

Union Suits $1

Men's $1.50 silk lisle and Cooper spring needle union suits in white and ecru.

Mesh Underw'r 19c

Balbriggan and openwork underwear for men. Regular 25c quality. White and ecru.

Union Suits 69c

Men's $1 spring needle rib union suits in ecru and white. Long and short sleeve style.

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DISTRUST OF VILLA.

In old McGuffey's Fourth Reader little boys learned that "truth itself is not believed from one who often has deceived." Gen. Villa is a hard fighter, but he does not enjoy a reputation for veracity. Indeed, few of the Mexican leaders have won fame for their ability to stay put. Villa's protestations of friendliness for America must be proved one day at a time, and he will be under watch every one of those days.

MASTER OF THE CANAL.

Col. Goethals is business from the word go. His prompt action in placing the Canal Zone on a strict war footing was the best of judgment. The danger to the locks does not lie upon concerted action of an enemy, but in the deviltry of a few, perhaps of only one, and the guards should have the right to shoot on sight if it takes that severe action to protect the Canal. In a disturbed situation nothing is so peaceful as martial law.

GHASTLY WASTE.

The Mexicans wilfully destroyed Nuevo Laredo by fire. Property loss amounts to half a million. Their soldiers did not do this, perhaps, and that is exactly why every border town should be protected to the fullest extent by United States troops and the militia. The bitter waste of Laredo is a fair sample of what has been going on in that country. Worst of all, there has been a tragic waste of children's lives. The little people have died by the thousands because they have had no milk.

WAR AND PANICS.

The war with Mexico, and the local, commercial and financial problems that will grow out of it, offer an additional reason for not voting for the power bonds at present. To vote to issue the bonds and then not be able to sell them would not improve our credit or enhance our prosperity. The financial systems of Europe and America are so knotted in sympathy that a disturbance in one city affects a far-distant city. Witness the fact that the war against Mexico produced a panic on the Berlin Bourse.

NIGHT LIFE.

It is interesting to note that an effort will be made on the part of one or two societies to study the night life of Los Angeles. We suppose this will include contiguous territory, for if our friends of honorable intentions intend to follow in the wake of some of the joy riders they will have to cut their trail at many points between nightfall and dawn. City people who follow the night life usually ride away from home for their merrymaking. We doubt if much of the dangerous night life of any city appears on the surface. Its gambling and light love-making do not seek cafes and public resorts.

NASTY, BUT HARMLESS.

One of the Buenos Ayres papers says: "The policy of the United States will revive the distrust of Latin-America." Bless their feverish little hearts, their suspicions need no revival. They have always been in a state of active disturbance. Latin-America never rests. It never takes a vote of confidence in anybody, least of all in a friend. They are good down there when they have to be, and they have not and never will have the strength to let them be anything else. The trouble with a small enemy is that he can be so annoying without being dangerous.

NURSING AN AMBITION.

It is a curious fact that children are likely to be exactly what their parents are not. The reason is that a child often entertains the unexpressed ideas of the parents. Your child is likely to be what you wanted to be—not what you thought you could be, or what in your day-dreaming you pictured lightly that it would be good to be, but what, down in your heart of hearts, you most longed to be and the thing from which you were turned aside by circumstances you thought you could not control. In this way grown-ups go around wishing vocation upon their offspring.

THE FATHERS KNOW.

From the beginning of time the mother of the home has done most to nourish the moral nature of the children. Every man remembers with profound gratitude the instructions in right living which he received from his blessed mother. As for daughters, they have been almost wholly dependent upon the word of mother for their knowledge of life ahead of experience. It might well be the reverse. Surely it is the father's privilege and duty to talk to his children out of his broader experience in the world of men and action. He knows where the pitfalls lie as the wife and mother never could. He knows the danger signals all along the line. Not a day goes by that he does not witness on the streets evidences of moral depravity which hurt the heart and shock decency. Mother knows nothing of all this. She knows how to plead for the good, but she cannot understand the evils that are to be warned against. The father who is remiss in this duty is failing a precious opportunity to spare his children pain.

THE TREASON OF LAWLESS LABOR UNIONS.

A bloody war between officers of the law and members of labor unions is now being fought in Colorado. The strikers are entrenched, armed and murderous. It has been necessary to call out the militia and for them to fight. This is one of the shocking situations such as have been paralleled in Colorado before, and the war at Trinidad is not less frightful than was the strike at Cripple Creek some twelve years ago. Now, as then, agitators and professional trouble-makers, seeking to establish a unionized monopoly in labor, are responsible.

The trouble began and developed in this manner: The Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, generally known as the C. F. and I., controls the mines and Trinidad and vicinity and owns the great steel works at Pueblo. The C. F. and I. employs many thousands of men, and it has consistently maintained that men should be hired with regard for their ability to do the work and not for any regard to their union membership. Some time ago the miners asked for an increase in wages. The company gave an increase. Then, instigated by the agents of Gompers and Moyer, the miners demanded that the company employ none but union men. The company refused, and the miners went on a strike. The company brought in other miners, whereupon the strikers resorted to the usual methods of the unionites and began a campaign of violence. The militia was called out to protect property and lives and establish order. The lawless strikers have declared open warfare, and the entire region about Trinidad is terrorized.

The C. F. and I. managers have announced that they will maintain their right to hire what men they please. They have said that if necessary they will close down the mines and mills of the company, sacrificing every dollar of invested capital, rather than to submit to the tyranny of the unions. The C. F. and I. is making a stand for its liberty, for its constitutional rights, for its very existence.

Its action in this trouble has been entirely negative; it has made no move that was not for the protection of its property and the right of its workingmen to be independent and free from the tyranny of agitators and union bosses.

Experience has taught the big employers of labor that when such men as Gompers, Moyer, McCarty, Tveitmoe obtain control of a plant, a factory or a mine, that the workingmen are kept in a constant turmoil. It has been learned from experience that it is better to make the firm stand against the first encroachments of lawless unionism than to allow it to get a foothold.

So at Trinidad it has come about that the lawless unionites have been willing to take to arms and kill their fellow-men. They have set up an armed rebellion against the government. They have driven out families and threatened lives. They have turned peaceful mining towns into communities of terror and have shot at the officers of the law. They have tried to abrogate the individual liberty of workers to make them the slaves of union boodlers, the tools of dynamiters. Such is the treason that lawless union bosses have always been guilty of; such is the treason that they are engaged in at Trinidad; and such is the treason that they will never cease to stir up until all the workingmen of the nation come to an understanding of their rights and liberties and crush these professional trouble-makers and anarchists.

GOD BLESS OUR SOLDIER MEN!

"Gentlemen may cry 'Peace, peace,'" as said an American patriot three half-centuries ago, but it is war—unless mediation puts a stop to hostilities— and war is exactly today what it was when another American patriot said it was hell.

Our brave soldiers are marching to the front; some of them are already there; some have already fallen. We are in; and, if war goes on, how many more shall fall and when we shall come out, God Almighty only can foresee.

These brave American soldier men are going, if the war continues, where bayonet-thrust and saber-stroke fall thick and fast and heavily, small arms hiss like poisonous serpents and where bullets fall like hail upon a roof, where great cannon belch forth flames and pour out their shot and shell with the irresistible impetus of thunderbolts. Too bad! Too bad!

They are going into a country full of tropical diseases, a country of deserts and mountains where the torrid sun pours down with the heat of Tophet. If the war—which should have been avoided—continues, we shall have to send an army of 300,000 brave Americans, and tens of thousands of them will never return to their native land. Other tens of thousands will come back maimed and wounded, broken in health. While they are in the war they will suffer from excruciating fatigue, from griping hunger and from burning thirst. The agonies of war for dying and for those who escape are incomprehensible and indescribable.

American citizens one and all, fellow-countrymen, let us bend before the throne of grace this Sunday morning, and pour out from hearts full of patriotism and pity our prayers to Almighty God on behalf of these brave soldier men who have gone to uphold the dignity of the country!

Let no one with mind befogged by too fine theories be ashamed to pray for God's consolation and strength to our brave soldier men in the field. God is the God of peace, and peace reigns everywhere where God's laws are obeyed and where His spirit controls. War is always made in rebellion against God, and yet He is the God of war as well as the God of peace. He is the Lord of Hosts and the God of Battles.

How fitting it would be that in every church in the country today Kipling's grand Recessional should be sung! It expresses the thought that is inspiring these words:

"For heathen heart that puts its trust
In reeking tube and iron shard,
All valiant dust that builds on dust,
And guarding calls not Thee to guard,
Lord God of Hosts be with us yet,
Lest we forget, lest we forget!"

We say soldier men, but fellow-citizens, do not forget the sailors on the fleet and the marines on shore, "soldiers and sailors, too."

A doubter has said that God is always on the side of the heaviest battalions and the biggest guns. History points in a thousand instances to the falsity of this statement—where in battles God's promises to His people have been kept, running like this: "One of you shall chase a thousand and ten of you shall chase ten thousand."

The Heroism at Home.



PROBLEMS OF THE WAR.

The conditions which environ and control our war with Mexico are peculiar and unprecedented. We are not fighting with a recognized nation which acknowledges obedience to either international law or any law of humanity, but with bodies of bandits held together by the cohesive power of their expectations of plunder.

Huerta, Carranza, Villa and Orozco are leaders of banditti. They do not fight for the existence of a nation, for the honor of a flag or for the maintenance of a principle. They are engaged in a contest in which they have absolutely nothing to lose and everything to gain.

Along a border of more than 1000 miles there are many rich cities, including Galveston, El Paso, Nogales, Calexico, Yuma, Tia Juana and San Diego. The Mexicans can concentrate their forces for a secret and sudden dash upon any one of these cities with a view of looting the banks, stores and warehouses, while we will be compelled to heavily garrison our frontier towns at great cost, and there are in Mexico no corresponding border towns for us to attack. Nor will the enemy be likely to give us a pitched battle of any importance anywhere, but will content themselves with guerrilla warfare. Vera Cruz we have taken; the City of Mexico we will doubtless take with less resistance than Santa Ana offered to Gen. Scott.

And when all this shall have been accomplished, what next? There will be no government with which we can treat, no commander-in-chief whose surrender will mean anything. Conquest will bring us new problems and fresh perplexities, and no man, not even Woodrow Wilson, is quite wise enough to tell what it will be best to do, or even predict what there will be to do.

WHY OUR SHIPPING SUFFERS.

Great Britain and her colonies pay nearly $10,000,000 a year in subsidies to ocean vessels. In 1908 France paid $13,423,737; Japan paid $5,413,700; Italy, $3,873,917; Spain, $3,150,612; Austria-Hungary, $2,984,530, and Germany $2,301,029. In addition Germany and some other countries give preferential rates on their railroads to merchandise for export, while United States roads give preferential rates to imported goods. Then the great difference in wages between the United States and other nations, the more stringent requirements of our laws for accommodations and food to seamen, the higher cost of constructing vessels here owing to higher wages and higher rates of interest, explain why this country does not carry even 10 per cent. of its ocean-borne commerce.

The Democrats in Congress, under the leadership of Oscar W. Underwood, put a provision in the tariff law to differentiate in favor of American vessels to the extent of 5 per cent. in tariff rates on imports. This would have lowered duties 5 per cent. on goods brought in American ships and would have stimulated a demand for ships under the American flag. But, says the Protectionist of Boston, that provision of the law was obnoxious to foreign shipping interests, and the administration, led by President Wilson (was it and he English-ruled and English-led?) endeavored to nullify it.

The provision in the law in regard to the American Panama Canal, exempting American coastwise shipping from tolls, was said to be for the purpose of aiding American shipping. Secretary Redfield, Secretary Wilson, Mr. Harrison, now Governor-General of the Philippines, and many other administration leaders, voted for that clause, but President Wilson wants it repealed.

Some foreign governments repay the tolls paid by their merchant vessels passing through the Suez Canal and may do the same at Panama. The United States ought not to do so, according to British ideas, because of the treaty with that country. American shipping in the foreign trade has been declining for a great many years for lack of protection. It will continue to decline, notwithstanding the enormous expenditure on the Panama Canal, for the same reason.

Ambassador Page was nearly technically right in saying that this country had dug the canal unwittingly, for the benefit of British shipping. That was not the intention, however, of the United States. Our coastwise shipping, protected from foreign competition, has expanded more rapidly than that of any other nation and freight rates have accordingly declined. That shows the benefit of protection. But if our coastwise shipping must, as President Wilson wants, pay Panama Canal tolls (our own canal, built with our own money) our shipping will suffer more from the competition of the subsidized Canadian and foreign vessels. They can bring goods from both Canadian and Mexican Pacific ports to the United States and can take from their ports of Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, St. John, etc., American goods to the Pacific Coast. It is a national calamity that this country refuses to help its shipping in the same way that foreign nations do, but such is the fact, and we suffer accordingly.

New York and Philadelphia importers have begun a suit to compel the government to enforce the clause in the tariff act of 1913 which grants a reduction of 5 per cent. in the rates of duty on imports in American vessels. The board of United States General Appraisers granted the demand and an appeal was taken to the United States Court of Customs Appeals. There can hardly be a question that the decision will be upheld, but President Wilson, no doubt, will use his power to have the clause repealed by Congress.

Although he spoke as a friend of American shipping during the Presidential campaign, President Wilson takes advantage of the first opportunity since election to overrule the attempt on the part of Congress to do a little something toward the upbuilding of our merchant marine.

THE GIVERS.

WALT MASON IN THE TIMES.

The great, fine men are oft obscure; they have no wide, resounding fame, that experts warrant to endure until the finish of the game. Old Clinkenbeard is such a man, and though he has no store of yen, he's always doing what he can to help along his fellowmen. He has no millions to disburse, but when he meets a hungry guy, he digs a quarter from his purse, which buys the sinkers and the pie. The gifts of bloated millionaires mean nothing of a sacrifice; they sit around in easy chairs and count the scads they have on ice; if Croesus gives ten thousand bucks to help some college off the rocks, he still can have his wine and ducks—he has ten million in his box. The widow's mite, I do not doubt, in heaven made a bigger splash than shekels Pharisees shelled out from their large wads of ill-gained cash. And so the poor man, when he breaks the only William in his pants, to buy some widow tea and cakes, is making angels sing and dance. In fertile soil he's sowing seeds, and he shall reap a rich reward; for he who gives the coin he needs, is surely lending to the Lord.

Reducing Cost of Living.

[Chicago Record-Herald:] "It is costing me three times as much to live as it did five years ago. I tell you it isn't right. Our whole economic system is wrong."

"Perhaps you have more expensive tastes than you had five years ago."

"Not at all. We are being robbed, that's the long and short of it. They tell us the farmers are not getting it. The packers say it isn't their fault. The railroad people claim that they are not overcharging us, and whenever you try to fix the blame anywhere you are solemnly told that it must be somewhere else. Nevertheless, prices keep going up right along, and they try to make us believe that it is nothing but our own extravagance that makes it so hard for us to get ahead. Take your own case. Don't you find that it is costing you a lot more to live than it did five years ago?"

"No. It isn't costing me as much."

"For heaven's sake explain yourself. Tell me how you manage it."

"It's very simple. One of the women to whom I was paying alimony got married again about three years ago."

Her Kind Offer.

[April Lippincott's:] James K. Hackett, the actor, tells the story of a merchant who had been traveling some months and upon his return was informed of the death of a valued friend.

A few days later he called on the bereaved widow to offer his expressions of sympathy. During the visit he remarked:

"I was a good friend of your late husband. Is there not something of his which I could have as a memento of him?"

She raised her velvety brown eyes to his, which a few moments before were moist with tears, and said:

"How would I do?"

Hints to the Militants.

[Chicago News:] If the militants must slash something they might at least practice on those cubist paintings where the innocent bystander cannot tell the difference.

AISY COME AND AISY GO.

BY EUGENE BROWN.

As the German barber deftly secured a strangle hold with a Turkish towel on the bronzed neck of Dennis Casey, the retired plumber, and prepared his cutlery for the usual treatment he genially remarked:

"Id looks like Chonson."

"Aisy there, Karl; ye got me where I can't squeak, and thin shoot that at me? I'll be after taking gas if ye have any in the place. Av coorse it looks like Johnson, ye dachshund. Whin a rig'lar Progressive sees anything from a hoptoad to a brewery chimney it looks like Johnson to him. He sees Johnson whin he hangs up his pants and hits the hay; he hears him crow in the middle of the night, and he tastes him with his ham and eggs f'r brikfest in th' moornin'. If ye hang up a wall map of the impyreal kingdom of California y'r Progressive frind will cross himself and say: 'Tis a foine likeness ye have of our imminent hayro, Hiram Johnson.' D'ye smoke? Thry one of these Johnson seegars. They're made from th' foinest alfalfa, by a mon that wore a union suit. Ar're ye hungry? Thry Johnson oats. They make min strong. Have ye had your Johnson toddy? Sure three of thim will make ye crazy enough to kiss your own wife. Is your liver unaisy? Thry Johnson's peerless pills. They slape while ye ate."

"Chure! I know dot," exclaimed Hofmeister. "I have alretty yet der Chonson champoo. Id maigs your hair come oud."

"Av coorse it makes it come out," interrupted the ex-plumber. "Wan application will give y'r dome thay refined and intillictual appearance of a biled egg and if ye take two ye can hear th' wheels whirr on th' inside."

"Vell, anyvay, it iss dot Herr Chonson is a goot man. He vas had a great hett."

"Av coorse he has the big head. He has thot to save th' rist of ye fr'm thinkin'. If ye're a Progrissive ye don't have to do a dommed thing excipt make a noise like moose in a bear trap. Y'r principles are all laid out for ye on th' dresser like a set of brushes. Ye don't have to vote, but if ye do your ballot is already made out for ye and mayhap 'tis already counted. If there's a phrimary illiction to selict th' candidates for th' people th' Progrissives are ready for ye. Six months before th' phrimary day they say: 'We prisint to ye our regular candidate, that bould and fearless thribune of the masses, Hiram Geewhizz Johnson.' Th' dirict phrimary is so-called because it is diricted by Hiram Johnson. If ye should lose your brains by th' explosion of a premachoor blast th' doc will maybe pour in a noggin of chopped feed or spaghetti and sew ye up. 'Twill do y'r thinkin' for ye just as well. All that's nicessary is to be a goat n' follow th' blazed trail of th' grand bucko, Hiram Johnson—in the absence of th' imminent explorer, Theaydore Von Rosenfeld, who is thrappin' parrots in Brazil—where th' nuts come from."

"Py gracious!" exclaimed the barber, enthusiastically, "I bed you he comes back to go mitt der fight. He should be a cheneral yet."

"There won't be any war till he does come back," said Casey. "It's not a real war until Theaydore gets in th' midst of it with his gleamin' teeth and bloody fountain pen. But, hivin' be praised, until he does return we are proticted from invasion by that thrue pathrite, Hiram Johnson, who will now favor th' audience with a chune on th' solo cymbals. Tur-rn on th' gas, Mike. On with the dance, let joy be unconfined!"

"Chust the same, unser Chonson is a chiant. He iss a man vat maigs der gorporations bay der taxes," remarked the German, insistently, as he whisked some lather out of Casey's eye with his thumb.

"Sure he makes 'em pay. He makes everybody pay. There's a tax on everything but whiskers now and he'll be after having that soon. He needs the money. He's costing ye millions more than any other mon that iver had th' job and yet he laves his desk to stump th' State and tell th' definceless voter he's worth the money. It's a case of aisy come and aisy go. Ye hand him forty thousand yellow simoleons on a goold platter and say: 'plase take it, Mr. Johnson.' 'Sure,' says he, 'but therill be no book-keepin'. And there isn't. Ye never know what he spent it for. It's not that way with yersilf, Hofmeister. If ye should take me out and blow yersilf for tin cints' worth of th' foaming brew that inebriates and gives three cheers y'er wife would know it whin she got your invilope and would fall on your neck and cry, 'Karl, ye have another woman!' But if ye happen to be a Progrissive Governor ye can go to th' market of a Saturday night and buy everything from soup to nuts and nawbody can pinch ye. Ye know how it is now if ye take th' can-opener and crack th' childers' bank for th' price of a seegar, but y'r man Johnson can ride on horseback through th' State threasury with a sack on each arm and take what he wants.

"And if he happens to be tired from too much thravelin' or talkin' he can whistle for a commissioner or a bood of uncontrol to bring it to him. Sure, if ye are a Progrissive Governor ye have a saycret sarvice fund of five thousand bucks a year and no foolish book-keeper to bother ye. Ye can spind tin dollars a day for red neckties or bury it all in a hole in the barn flure and there's nivir a wan to say a wur-rd. 'Sure 'tis for th' good of th' State,' says Hiram, as he slips a thousand-dollar bill into the pocket of his ould vest and hangs it up in th' closest. 'It looks for rain,' he says, as he sits at his window. 'Tony, step over to th' threasury and get me seven thousand dollars in yellow boys.' There's no tellin' what may happen. Some careless voter has spit on the flure,' he says. 'Tell Jawn to take the measure for a new set of rugs and bring me four thousand dollars' worth of goold spittoons.' And so it goes. Sure it's a nice aisy life, running up and down th' State listenin' to your own beautiful voice and tellin' th' dear people what a daisy ye are. 'Tis me idea of a plisint time, Karl, to have nawthin to do but spind other people's money and not even give them a resate for it."

"Id looks like Chonson," insisted the barber, phlegmatically, as he dusted the powder off of Casey's ear with his towel.

"Ye'll be paying your taxes tomorrow, maybe, Karl," said Casey, "and for the love of hivin' have your fotygraft taken at the collector's windy n' sind it to your frind Johnson."

"I bed you," replied the Teuton tonsorialist, with a genial smile.

Welding Copper.

[Indianapolis News:] A process of welding copper with the oxyacetylene flame has been developed by a German inventor. He has found it necessary to use larger torches than for iron welding, but in general the process is similar, except that he employs a liquid welding paste and a special copper welding wire. The paste prevents the formation of oxide. The process has been used for welding copper plates up to an inch in thickness. The process is being used in the principal copper works of Germany with great success.

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Richard Harding Davis's description of the summoning of the officers of the Fifth Brigade at Galveston recalls Lord Byron's famous poem, "There Was a Sound of Revelry by Night," depicting a state ball in the city of Brussels, when Lord Wellington and his aides were called from the ballroom to the bloody field of Waterloo.

Secretary Daniels quoted the famous letter that President Lincoln sent to Mrs. Bixby when he learned that she had sacrificed five sons on the altar of freedom in sending his condolence to the mother of the Cambridge boy, who was killed at Vera Cruz. That Bixby letter has stood the test of fifty years. It is the highest expression of graceful, eloquent sympathy and pity.

THE UNITED STATES MARINES.

Suppose we get word of a rumpus
The consul's unable to buck;
That the Greaser is trying to bump us,
Or the Boxer is running amuck;
That the Cuban falls down on his solo;
The Liberian's caught in a jam;
That the Moro is out with his bolo,
And it's up to your Uncle Sam.

What then?
Oh, just send the Marines;
Give 'em their guns and a handful of beans,
Back out the transport and turn her around—
And the divil a cheer for the outward bound,
Panama to Peking—it's all on their beat,
Sweating in sunshine or shaking in sleet;
It's just part of the job for the doggone Marines,
Always the first on tumultuous scenes.

You don't see a lot in the papers
About the historical corps,
But when foreigners start cutting capers
They learn that its living—and more.
Whether a cutter can land 'em—
And if it is too shallow they'll wade—
They go, and few try to withstand them,
For they've learned that it's safer to fade.

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Back out the transport and turn her around—
See the Leathernecks grin to be outward bound,
It's the doggone Marines that land the first punch,
Panama to Peking—afloat with the fleet—
The World is all they patrol for a beat;
And whenever there's trouble you'll find the Marines,
For they start with the bell for tumultuous scenes.

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Richard Harding Davis's description of the summoning of the officers of the Fifth Brigade at Galveston recalls Lord Byron's famous poem, "There Was a Sound of Revelry by Night," depicting a state ball in the city of Brussels, when Lord Wellington and his aides were called from the ballroom to the bloody field of Waterloo.

Secretary Daniels quoted the famous letter that President Lincoln sent to Mrs. Bixby when he learned that she had sacrificed five sons on the altar of freedom in sending his condolence to the mother of the Cambridge boy, who was killed at Vera Cruz. That Bixby letter has stood the test of fifty years. It is the highest expression of graceful, eloquent sympathy and pity.

THE UNITED STATES MARINES.

Suppose we get word of a rumpus
The consul's unable to buck;
That the Greaser is trying to bump us,
Or the Boxer is running amuck;
That the Cuban falls down on his solo;
The Liberian's caught in a jam;
That the Moro is out with his bolo,
And it's up to your Uncle Sam.

What then?
Oh, just send the Marines;
Give 'em their guns and a handful of beans,
Back out the transport and turn her around—
And the divil a cheer for the outward bound,
Panama to Peking—it's all on their beat.
Sweating in sunshine or shaking in sleet;
It's just part of the job for the doggone Marines,
Always the first on tumultuous scenes.

You don't see a lot in the papers
About the historical corps,
But when foreigners start cutting capers
They learn that its living—and more.
Whether a cutter can land 'em—
And if it is too shallow they'll wade—
They go, and few try to withstand them,
For they've learned that it's safer to fade.

A frolic? A fight?
Oh, just send the Marines;
Give 'em their guns and a handful of beans,
Back out the transport and turn her around—
See the Leathernecks grin to be outward bound.
It's the doggone Marines that land the first punch.
Panama to Peking—afloat with the fleet—
The World is all they patrol for a beat;
And whenever there's trouble you'll find the Marines,
For they start with the bell for tumultuous scenes.

—[Manila Cablegram-News.

Miles of Blossoms.

ACRES OF ROSES, MORE TO COME.

Gardens Promise Big Show for Next Year.

New Plants Add to Glories of Old Collections.

Contestants for "Times" Prizes Working Hard.

The wealth of beautiful roses now in bloom in Southern California presages a glorious spectacle next year when all the Southland will be decorated with green foliage and bright-colored flowers to greet hundreds of thousands of visitors from all parts of the world.

There are more roses in bloom this year here than ever before, but there is good reason to believe that next year's production will far exceed it in quality and quality. Added to the plants now blossoming will be the hundreds of thousands of new bushes recently planted and hardly yet arrived at the blooming stage. The Times gave away to its subscribers 40,000 strong, 2-year-old plants, including some of the best varieties of the recent introductions from Europe. These will be insplendid condition by next spring and many of them are already beginning to flower.

In Los Angeles dooryards, in suburban communities and all through Southern California the spirit of floral decoration has spread among the people. Dooryards are being cleaned and beautified and rose bushes have been set out in greater profusion than ever before. Nurserymen say the demand was never so great as last winter and that the supply of many varieties was exhausted early in the season. Next fall and winter more will be planted and most of the new bushes will be recent varieties of superior type.

Vistors next year will be greeted by millions of roses of all hues and the superior form, color and size will emphasize the advantages of Southern California climate equally as much as the great quantity of blooms.



Competing for one of "The Times" prizes.

Section of W. P. Bemus's rose garden, No. 5732 Harold Way, Hollywood. He has seventy-five fine bushes which are producing a wealth of beautiful blossoms this spring.

FOR NEXT YEAR.

Most amateur rose growers are working and planning for 1915. Many a rose garden which now presents only a few blossoms is a potential prize-winner in The Times rose-garden contest which will be decided next spring. One contestant writes that her garden has not begun to make much of a showing yet, but that she has sixty rose plants in the ground and proposes to set out more this fall.

Among the entrants fully 50 per cent have new collections, although in the list are many with some fine old collections of bushes that have attained great size and producing power.

The prizes will be awarded toward the close of next spring's flowering season and in accordance with the verdict of a committee of competent judges. The first prize will be $200 in gold; second prize, $75 in gold; third prize, $50 in gold; fourth prize, $25 in gold; fifth prize, $25 worth of choice rose bushes; sixth prize, $20 worth of choice rose bushes; seventh and eighth prizes, $15 worth of choice rose bushes; ninth and tenth prizes, $10 worth of choice rose bushes.

Following is the list of contestants, including growers from many cities and towns in Southern California. There is no entrance fee and nobody is barred except persons directly connected with The Times and commercial growers. Entries should be made on the form printed in this issue of The Times or otherwise. Each entrant should give full address, plainly written.

ROSE GARDEN CONTESTANTS.

R. F. Gehm, No. 2027 Kennebec street; Mrs. N. J. MacFarland, No. 2343 West Twentieth street; Mrs. J. M. Gowlin, Rural Route No. 13; Susan Macdonald, No. 1421 Logan street; Rev. E. S. Chase, No. 224 North Soto street; F. F. Cross, No. 2608 Michigan avenue; J. A. Elliott, No. 815 West Fiftieth street; A. W. Wright, Wineville; Alice Slaughter, No. 6616 Thorne street; Miss C. M. Gwendolyn Georges, No. 2332 Ewing street; A. C. Youngling, Compton; Mrs. A. Kirkwood, R.F.D. 682; Mrs. Eva Wood, No. 2029 Pacific avenue; Mrs. Louise Canto, No. 1127 North Normandie street; Grace E. Slater, Ocean Beach; Emma A. Howe, No. 1031 East Twenty-seventh street; Mrs. Abie B. Fellows, No. 140 West Eighty-third street; Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, No. 627 West Eighteenth street; Jessie Angue, El Monte; H. A. Pitman, No. 246 Ellenwood drive, Eagle Rock; F. C. Bell, No. 227 West F street, Ontario; Mrs. M. Harden, No. 7613 Vermont avenue; Mrs. F. C. 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This form should be cut out, properly filled, and mailed as soon as possible:

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From Smiles to Tears.

TRAGIC TRUTH TOLD IN JEST.

Aged Driver Killed When Car Is Smashed.

Three Other Occupants Receive Serious Injuries.

Collision With Car Follows Merry Parting.

Off to a week-end outing, with an old man piloting the machine as he read a book of directions, an auto load of people was struck by a street car at Washington boulevard and West avenue yesterday and Newell S. Hitchcock, 71 years old, Ocean Park Heights, was killed.

Those injured are Mrs. W. H. Allured, 47 years old, Collita and West avenues, four ribs crushed, severe injuries about head and back; her daughter, Mildred Allured, 17 years old, concussion of the brain, painful injuries to body; Mrs. P. D. McCulloch, Belleview Terrace Hotel, a tourist from Hot Springs, Ark., crushed ribs, concussion of brain and minor injuries.

It was a joyful parting that had a tragic end. The women had assembled at the Allured residence, to await the arrival of Hitchcock, who was coming from his Ocean Park Heights home to take the party to a ranch in La Crescenta, in which all were interested. They were to be gone for the week-end.

As they rode away, many jests were passed about the ability of Hitchcock to handle the car. Old, he was unfamiliar with the working of the machine, and was enjoying the experiment keenly. He remarked flippantly: "Oh, you'll all get killed if you go with me."

All laughed. It was then ten minutes past eleven o'clock.

Farewells were said. Good-byes were waved. On the porch of the Allured home stood Scott Allured, 19 years old, bidding his mother and sister adieu. So merry had been the leave-taking that he stood on the porch, smiling as they started away. Up to the last they had continued to treat Hitchcock's ability with the machine, lightly. So, Hitchcock got out his book of directions, half in earnest, half fun, to continue the joke.

The son stood there and waved three times, as his sister and mother waved to him.

Then he stood, anchored in anguish, unbelieving, shocked into muteness. The motor car had swerved into the path of the street car.

He heard the crash two blocks away. He saw forms hurtle through the air. The screams of a woman came to him, and the heavy groans of terrible pain.

Unconsciously he looked at his watch. It was twelve minutes after eleven o'clock.

When Hitchcock was taken to the Receiving Hospital, he was already dead, his skull having been fractured.

The women were removed to the hospital in three ambulances that were dispatched to the place of tragedy.

Motorman Reynolds and Conductor Christsen of the car that struck the light machine were taken to the Central Police Station for interrogation. They were not placed under arrest.

Hitchcock was a retired ranchman and owned considerable property.

DISTRICT APPEAL SESSION.

The April term of the District Court of Appeal will convene tomorrow, and three days will be devoted to disposing of the thirty-five cases on the calendar. The attention of the court the first day will be largely devoted to criminal cases appealed from the superior courts. The consideration of the calendar will take three days. There are no especially important cases to be argued or submitted on brief.

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Everybody chooses "Wyeth's" Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush and draw this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time, which requires but a few moments. Do this at night and by morning the gray hair has disappeared and after another application it becomes beautifully dark and appears glossy, lustrous and abundant. It certainly helps folks look years younger and twice as attractive, says a well-known downtown druggist.—[Advertisement.

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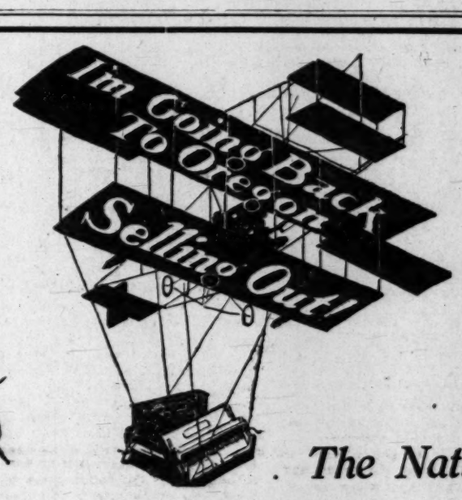
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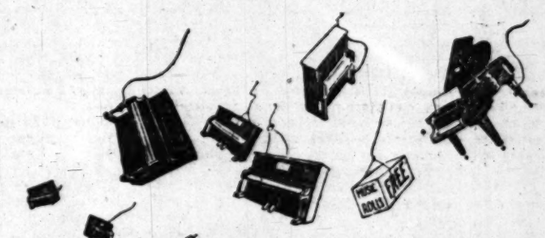
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No ordinary laxative or constipation remedy is of much value in these severe pains, for the trouble is probably due to the bile hardening in the gall bladder, and this requires an entirely different remedy for relief. Mr. C. M. Williams of No. 134 East Congress street, St. Paul, Minn., had symptoms of this kind and had made arrangements, on the advice of four doctors, to have an operation performed. A friend, however, suggested that he first try Fruitola, a California remedy which is well and favorably known for these symptoms. Now Fruitola, unlike most other remedies, is taken in one dose, as quick and positive action is necessary in such cases. Mr. Williams took a dose of Fruitola and passed sixty small stones which he believes were gall stones. He has never had any doctors, to have an operation per of these cramps or pains since.

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of the conspirators that threatened to dynamite the Federal Building and the International Bank Building yesterday brought to light evidence showing that the hasty policing of those buildings by armed guards was not a useless precautionary measure. That the plot had been formulated and ready for execution but for the providential "leak" by one of the members was established by special agents of the Department of Justice.

The identity of the man who telephoned to Adolfo Carrillo, representative in Los Angeles of the Constitutionalists, and asked him whether the destruction of the Federal and bank buildings would be pleasing to the Mexican cause is suspected.

This man is a Mexican and apparently well-to-do. His arrest is expected at any time. In fact, Washington has been officially notified to that effect. It is believed that his arrest will divulge the identity of his co-conspirators.

The Federal Building was still guarded last night.

The Southern Pacific and Santa Fe yesterday employed a large extra force of officers and sent them to vital points on the lines, such as tunnels and bridges. They carried blankets with them prepared to camp on the spot.

SONG OF THE MARINES.

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You will find them very needy
Of marines—that's what we are;
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Or we dig a magazine,
Though our job-lots they are manifold
Who would not be a marine?

Our flag's unfurled to every breeze
From dawn to setting sun,
We have fought in every clime and place
Where we could take a gun;
In the snow of far-off northern lands
And in sunny tropic scenes,
You will find us always on the job—
The United States Marines.

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American Marines, the First in Vera Cruz, Always Ready to Jump in Where There's Trouble and Shoot Their Way Through—How They Have Fought for the Nation from Pole to Pole.

TO STRIKE one dizzying, blinding, skull-cracking blow almost before the enemy realizes that the fight is on, is the object of the United States if the use of force becomes necessary in dealing with any other country, far or near. To this end it maintains the Marine Corps, an organization of versatile, all-round fighting men whose business it is to hover in the offing of any trouble zone ready to be catapulted into the midst of any action at a moment's notice, as they were at Vera Cruz a week ago. They are the mighty punch up Uncle Sam's sleeve, such as always rests in the biceps of the trained boxer, inconspicuous in times of quiet, but sure to draw first blood when the melee is on. They are the riot squad of the nation, always ready for instant action on any of the lands and seas of the whole world.

There are 10,000 of these marines and just now most of them are in or near the port of Vera Cruz, where they met the emergency with characteristic energy. They were ready, and what they did and the way they did it is history.

These marines can do many things. They are entirely competent to operate railroad trains. It is a part of their business. If bridges and tracks have been torn out, they are again competent to rebuild them. They restore telegraph communication as they go. And they leave a clear path behind them anywhere.

THEY CAN SHOOT.

The marines are armed with army Springfield rifles of the latest type, as their primary means of warfare. With these they are highly trained as marksmen. Half of their number can hit a man half a mile away eight times out of ten. The Mexicans are notoriously poor marksmen and their guns are inferior to those of the marines. The invaders carry many field pieces, the three-inch navy landing gun, their own three-inch semi-automatic and a five-inch, and the deadly fast-firing machine gun. These again are effective at a much greater range than are similar pieces of the Mexicans. The marines figure they are able to defeat a Mexican force four times their size before that force can get near enough to be in range with the inferior arms. The deadly fire of the small arms of the marines gives their enemies, accustomed to battle with most ineffective antagonists, the surprise of their lives. With these advantages and the love of a fight which swells in the breasts of all these youngsters from the States, they and the bluejackets and the army may be depended on to go to the very heart of Mexico City, if necessary, and perform whatever task awaits them.

The War College at Washington has every detail of their handling worked out. It has figured on every man, every ration is provided for his sustenance, every detail of his journey inland arranged. Topographical maps of every inch of land to be traversed are in readiness. So exact are these maps and this information that the force could be halted ten miles outside Mexico City on a dark night and the big guns of the invaders so trained as to drop shells on the President's palace or the arsenal or any other point in the city. The guns would be aimed by mathematics, the shells thrown over the intervening hills and dropped in the darkness upon marks that had never been seen by the gunners.

POWER IN EMERGENCY.

The marines do the emergency work of the nation from pole to pole. They have been doing these very things in many expeditions into many climes through the last two decades. It was a similar situation which they handled when they pushed to Peking during the Boxer uprising. The difficulties overcome were as great as when Waller's battalion made that astounding march across the hitherto impenetrable Island of Samar in 1901. There was an expedition to Panama in 1902 and in 1903 there was another; and one to Abyssinia, one to Guantanamo and one to Korea. In 1905 the marines poured oil upon the waters in Santo Domingo and in Panama by showing the mailed fist. In 1906, 2500 marines were thrust into Cuba, where they disarmed the rebels, brought about peace and sat on the lid until all was secure. They saved the city of Bluefields, Nicaragua, in 1910, and the foreigners residing therein. In 1912 a brigade of 2800 men was again thrust into Cuba, where they quickly terminated a serious uprising of the blacks in Oriente province, where 3000 men had been killed and where the germ of a long civil war was already planted.

IN NICARAGUA.

The most recent active duty of the marines, aside from their present work in Haiti and Mexico, was in Nicaragua, where a brigade was sent in August, 1912, under command of Col. Joseph H. Pendleton, to put down a revolution. This force included the battalion commanded by Maj. Butler, at that time stationed in the Isthmian Canal zone and now at Vera Cruz. After several skirmishes by detachments of this force, the relaying of railroad tracks and repairing of bridges was completed between Corinto, Massaya and Granada; the engines were overhauled and communication by rail was reopened, the railway being operated by marines. The rebel forces refused to surrender and evacuate their strongly fortified position at Coyotepe. An attack was therefore made on October 31, 1912, by two batallions of marines and one battalion of sailors, under the immediate command of Col. Pendleton, and this was followed on October 4 by an assault. The effectiveness of the fire of the marines and their business-like manner of executing the job may be summarized in the statement that in forty minutes the "soldiers of the sea" took from a superior force a position which had been for many years believed to be impregnable and was commonly called the "Gibraltar of Central America. But four Americans were killed in this brilliant assault.

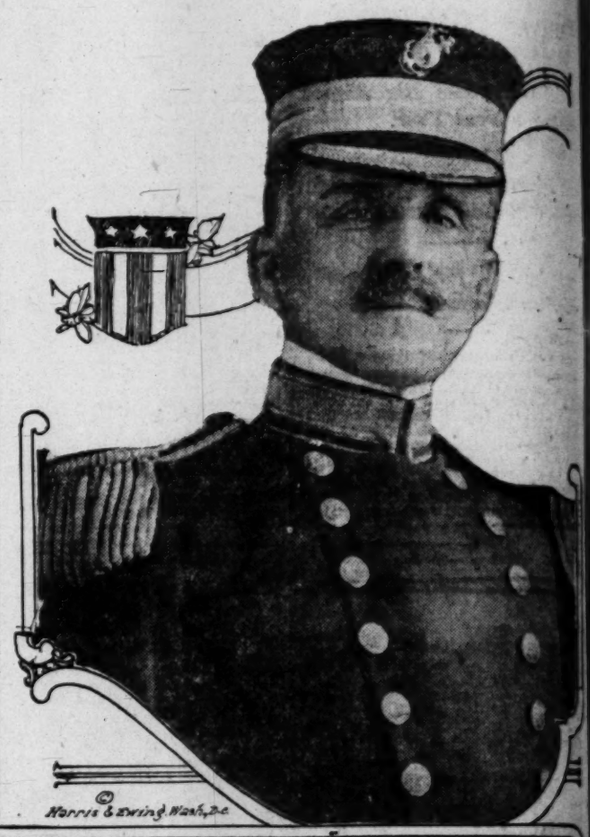
In these days of high-powered, long-ranged rifles hurling their missiles of destruction almost as far as a man is visible, such decisive victories as that at Coyotepe do not come without the most careful and persistent preliminary schooling of the marine in all that pertains to his profession. The recruit of today is not the hero of tomorrow. There must be many days of grinding preparation before he is "turned over for duty."

ON THE RANGE.

The final stage of preliminary training is given on the target range after the young marine has mastered the care and nomenclature of the rifle and has had aiming and sighting drills and gallery practice. The actual range work includes firing over distances of 200 to 1000 yards at targets with bullseyes varying with the distance from eight to thirty-six inches in diameter; rapid fire at distances of 200 to 500 yards, five shots

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Our "Soldiers of the Sea" on Land.



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Marines and homes they carry.



Mounting guns in wilderness.



Into Nicaragua in 1912.

First ashore and fighting at Vera Cruz.

United States marines and their method of operations. As they went into Nicaragua two years ago they, with the bluejackets and the army, may now go to Mexico City. Maj-Gen. George Barnett, above, is commandant of the Marine Corps, which is made up of ten thousand men.

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Get Your Badge.

CLOSE WATCH ON CHAUFFEURS.

Passenger - Conveyance Law Is a Stringent One.

Ship-Like "Sightseers" Must Wait at the Park.

Ordinance Now in Force, but Grace Granted.

Secretary McKeag of the Police Commission is now ready to issue permits under the new ordinance regulating public passenger-carrying vehicles. The ordinance is now in force. It is the intention of the traffic department to allow a reasonable time within which to secure the necessary permits for operation of public vehicles and then to rigidly enforce the ordinance, which is similar in its provisions to that now in effect in the State of New York.

It requires a sworn description of each machine used in the public passenger-carrying business, and that those be filed with the Police Commission. It also requires all public chauffeurs to file applications—a new feature of the business in this city. Chauffeurs will receive numbered badges which must be worn on the right breast of the outer garment at all times while engaged in driving public machines, and must also carry an identification card upon which is a personal description of the holder, with his photograph, a duplicate of which is on file with the Police Commission, bearing his signature. Also the signatures of the secretary of the board and the City Clerk, and stamped with the official seal of the city.

WOMEN GET THEM.

Over 200 such applications have already been issued, two of which are for women drivers. Permits have also been issued to date for nearly 400 machines to be used in the public passenger-carrying business.

Under this ordinance no public passenger machine may stand upon any street in the business or congested district without obtaining a permit to do so, which permit can only be granted upon written consent of the tenant occupying the premises where the stand is desired. The securing of desirable stands is a matter of considerable rivalry among men engaged in this class of business, the policy of the board being to give preference to the men longest engaged in the business, to married men over single men, and to those with no objectionable police record relating to previous misconduct of this business. Heretofore there has been no adequate check on public drivers who continually violated the traffic ordinance.

Not more than ten such vehicles will be allowed to stand in any block, no stands at all being issued for the side streets, First, Second, Third and others being considered as too narrow for such purposes. Stands must be at least fifty feet apart.

"SIGHTSEERS" OBJECT.

A feature of this new ordinance is that vehicles having a carrying capacity of more than seven persons will not be allowed to stand as various stations as heretofore, but will be compelled to line up along Central Park on Hill street between Fifth and Sixth, or get outside of the business district. This has caused considerable resentment among the owners of this class of machines, (sightseers) as they consider themselves discriminated against.

The Board of Police Commissioners has the right to revoke any permit, which it is expected will have a decided tendency to reduce the number of public machines engaged in nefarious work, this having caused the police department considerable trouble in the past. Practically all crooked work, wherein automobiles have featured, has been traced to public passenger-carrying machines.

It is the intention of the traffic department under Lieut. Butler, to allow a reasonable time for the securing of these permits, and then to rigidly enforce the law upon those failing to comply with requirements.

A BOOK THAT SHOULD BE IN EVERY HOME.

The remarkable offering of The Los Angeles Times of the famous song book entitled "Heart Songs" should interest every Times reader. The book contains 400 of the world's greatest songs, and never before has sold for less than $2.50 per copy. For a limited time, however, this splendid book can be obtained by Times readers for 98 cents (by mail, 10 cents extra for postage,) the bare cost of distribution, and one coupon clipped from the daily or Sunday Times. One of the coupons is printed elsewhere in this issue.

"Heart Songs" is not a mere collection of music and words, but it is a song book with a soul. Every song in this wonderful book has had some sacred memory, some touching experience, some sweet and hallowed association connected with it in the hearts of thousands. It is their song of joy—of sorrow—of thanksgiving—of love—of bereavement—of all the tender sentiments that lift the human heart in worship to its maker.

It is for this by inspiration that this unique volume is entitled "Heart Songs."

Already more than 100,000 copies of this unique volume have gone into the homes of the people of the United States at the publisher's retail price of $2.50 per volume. The merits of the book are such that the sales are steadily on the increase, and in the ordinary course of business the book will obtain an enormous circulation.

"Heart Songs" is one of the great books of the century. It will charm, entertain and instruct every member of the family. It has 500 large pages including over 400 selections, words and music, and is now being distributed by The Times to its friends and readers at a nominal price.

The book is now on display at The Times main and branch offices, First and Broadway and No. 619 South Spring street, where additional information can be obtained relative to this splendid offer.

PROTECTION FOR THE CANAL.

Chamber of Commerce Representative Assured of Governmental Vigilance in Imperial Valley.

Willis H. Booth, who is in Washington representing the Chamber of Commerce with reference to protecting the Imperial Valley water system, has been given assurance that adequate precautions against depredations on Mexican territory will be taken.

A telegram received yesterday by the chamber from Booth says that Mr. Marshall, acting for the Secretary of the Interior, has left Yuma for the Imperial Valley to supervise work on the Alamo River and to aid in safeguarding the system.

They Hit Quickly.

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being fired in twenty seconds; skirmish fire, in which the targets are silhouettes, representing kneeling and prone men, starting at 600 yards and advancing on the target with a fixed number of rounds to be fired at each halt, those at the 200 and 300-yard firing points being five rounds in twenty and thirty seconds respectively.

So are established the grades of efficiency in marksmanship, these being, first, expert riflemen; second, sharpshooters, and third, marksmen. The expert riflemen consist of men who have successfully completed the marksman's and sharpshooter's courses and have finally passed the most difficult test of all. The Marine Corps is proud of its present remarkable showing in having 44 per cent of its personnel qualified in one of these three classes.

The Marine Corps was organized in 1775, is the oldest branch of the military service, and has an unbroken record of continuous victories on land and sea in every war in which the United States has been engaged.

AN OLD-WORLD MARCH.

As early as 1803, the marines made an astonishing march from Alexandria across 600 miles of the desert of Northern Africa, stormed the fortifications of Derne, and, for the first time in history, unfurled the Star-Spangled flag of the new republic over a fortress of the old world. In commemoration of this brilliant achievement, the word "Tripoli" was inscribed on the banners of the Marine Corps and its officers still wear the coveted sword of highest honor, the Mameluke hilt with the ivory grip and its golden guard, the sword of the Mamelukes, these fighting men of Egypt, who supported them in this dire campaign.

The Atlantic fleet has recently been engaged in winter maneuvers in the West Indies. This has been advance base work with particular reference to the defense of Panama and the meeting of a powerful enemy in those waters. Two regiments of marines have taken part in it and have demonstrated their ability to meet difficult situations. On the island of Culebra, for instance, that advance base farthest to the east at the end of Porto Rico, they landed an expedition in the surf, scrambled up precipitous cliffs where there was not even a bush, drilled holes in which were placed bolts as a basis for the attachment of blocks and tackle, and pulled their field guns over the cliffs and were ready for an expedition inland. These maneuvers called forth particularly hearty approval from Admiral Badger, who was commander-in-chief of the forces in West Indian waters. It also called attention to the commander of the marines, Col. George Barnett, and, largely because of the showing he made, he has since been raised to the grade of Major-General, commandant of the Marine Corps, the highest rank in the service.

Patriotism.

"WAR POLICY" OF WORKS BOARD.

SOLDIERS TO GET LEAVE OF ABSENCE WITH PAY.

Indefinite Conge Granted Col. Schreiber in Order that He May Perform Military Duties—Similar Action to Be Taken on Other Department Employees Who Go.

The Board of Public Works yesterday established its "war policy" in regard to what steps shall be taken in the cases of employees of departments under the jurisdiction of this board who go to the front for military service. Such men will be given indefinite leaves of absence and will be continued on the pay rolls, subject to approval of the Civil Service Commission.

The precedent was set when the board granted to Col. W. G. Schreiber an indefinite leave of absence. Schreiber was called a few days ago to take National Guards to Calexico. No action providing for his leave of absence was taken at that time.

Later, Secretary Dee of the Civil Service was called into conference with the Board of Public Works and the proposed policy was discussed. This was followed by yesterday's action. Col. Schreiber is to be continued on the city's pay rolls during his absence.

There are eight men in the departments under control of the board who are subject to military call. In case there is a call for volunteers, it is probable that many others may respond. President Handley and Commissioner O'Brien yesterday declared themselves as being in favor of continuing every one of these men on the city's pay rolls during their absence, if possible, and having their places open for them when they return.

"I feel that it is little enough for the city to do to carry these men on the rolls while they are offering their lives to the country," said Commissioner O'Brien. "They do not get large salaries here and certainly the pay they receive as soldiers will not compensate them for the offer of their lives for the sake of their country."

Col. Schreiber is the head of the Bureau of Opening and Widening. His chief deputy is Maj. R. I. Follmer, who is chief of staff for Gen. Wankowski, and subject to call at any time. Should Maj. Follmer be called to the front, the chief deputyship would devolve upon Ernest E. Day.

The subject will be before the Civil Service Commission next Tuesday, at which time it is also probable that the same proposal as applied to the police department will be considered. It is also probable that the Council tomorrow will consider the subject of making these provisions applicable to all city employees.

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Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

No Alliance.

WILL NOT JOIN WITH HUERTA.

CARRANZA SO TELEGRAPHS TO LOCAL CONSUL.

One of Two Messages Says Constitutionalist Chief Is Negotiating With Washington and Has Declared that He Will Not Fight Against United States.

Gen. Carranza, chief of the Constitutionalist army in Mexico, does not intend to fight the United States, according to the cipher messages he has been sending his local representative, Consul Adolfo Carrillo. Three telegrams were received here yesterday from the first chief of the Constitutionalist cause.

The first of these announced that Gen. Carranza is negotiating with Washington regarding the present fighting between the United States troops and the forces of Huerta and declaring that he will not take sides with that dictator.

In the second telegram he absolutely disclaims all hostility that has been reported between himself and Villa because of differences in personal opinions on matters pertaining to the campaign of the Constitutionalists against the Federalists.

The final message is directed to the Constitutional troops along the border, demanding that they refrain from all exhibition of hostility toward the United States soldiers or citizens, and they use utmost care in not infringing on American property rights. Further than that, he asks that Consul Carrillo call upon all Mexicans residing around and in Los Angeles to remain law-abiding and friendly, declaring that there is no war between this nation and the "real" Mexico.

Consul Carrillo used every possible means of dissemminating this advice among the constituents yesterday afternoon, sending messengers to various parts of the city to speak to the Mexicans.

To Determine.

WHETHER GUARDSMEN SHALL BE WITHDRAWN.

BRIG.-GEN. ROBERT WANKOWSKI, commander of the First Brigade, N.G.C., left last night for Calexico to inspect the Southern California border and assist Adjt.-Gen. Forbes in determining whether the State troops now on duty there shall be withdrawn.

Gen. Wankowski arrived yesterday morning from Sacramento and passed the day at brigade headquarters, making arrangements for occupation of the Exposition Park Armory and bringing up details connected with the recent movement of troops to the front.

No further movements of State troops are contemplated at present, as far as Gen. Wankowski is informed of Gen. Forbes's intentions, but the inspection of northern organizations, just completed, shows that they are in readiness.

Maj. Follmer, brigade adjutant, accompanies his commander on the trip of inspection. The party may go direct from Imperial Valley to San Diego, following as nearly as possible the international boundary, or may travel by rail, according to developments.

No length of stay is assured, but conditions seem to presage an early return of local guardsmen to their quarters, the regular troops being now gathered in some force along the line.

Gen. Wankowski expresses no opinion upon this point, however, stating that he is entering upon no argument with the regular officers, but is expected to help decide for himself and Gen. Forbes the apparent necessities of State use of the militia.

Approximately 900 regular troops are now stationed along the lines of Imperial and San Diego counties.

Preparatory.

GUARD ACTIVE IN RECRUITING.

RAISING ORGANIZATION HERE TO WAR STRENGTH.

Troop D Commander Ordered to Secure Options on Horses—Only Experienced Men Picked for Cavalry—Naval Militia Agog With Rumor They May Soon Be Active.

Recruiting to war strength is being carried on by Capt. James Gunn of Troop D, Cavalry, and by the Seventh and Eighth divisions, Naval Militia, N.G.C., under command respectively of Lieut. Ray W. Clark and Lieut. George E. Link.

Commencing with this week, practically all official work is to be conducted at the Exposition Park armory, the old armory at Eighth and Spring streets being vacated for delivery to the owner on Wednesday.

Capt. Gunn yesterday received orders from Maj. S. W. McKay, squadron commander, to recruit his troop to war strength and locate horses in full preparation for service, the new enlistments to be on the understanding that the men may be dropped from the roster if not called into service.

Capt. Gunn has 110 head of horses under option and is receiving previous service men as recruits. No inexperienced men are accepted and ex-cavalrymen are preferred to soldiers of other arms.

Sixty enlistments may be accepted for the troop, if applicants are of perfect qualifications.

Both divisions of the Naval Militia are to be brought up to 108 men each, raw recruits being acceptable if they meet all other requirements.

While the cavalry preparations are merely precautionary, there is a current of comment whispered among the naval militiamen that they may soon be on the water.

Guns for the machine gun company of the Seventh Regiment are expected tomorrow via the Santa Fe. The lack of this equipment kept a platoon at home while their comrades went to the front last week.

FLAG PRESENTATION.

Veterans of Stanton Post Give Handsome Flag to Daughters of American Revolution.

Stanton Post, G.A.R., and Woman's Relief Corps, at a meeting held Friday night and attended by many of their friends, presented to the Hollywood chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, a handsome flag, a delegation of the chapter being present to receive it. The presentation address was made by Willis M. Sapp, commander of the post, and the response was by Mrs. H. T. Wright, on behalf of the compilmented organization. Among those who made brief addresses following the presentation, were A. S. Shafer, Johnstone Jones, J. S. Wilson, Dr. G. C. Somers, J. W. Dolan and Sydney Butler.

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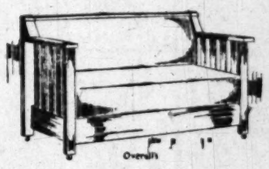
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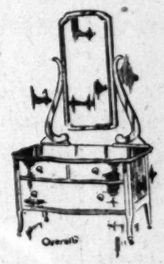
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Is the Object of This Free Prescription—Try It If Your Eyes Give You Trouble.

Thousands of people suffer from eye troubles, because they do not know what to do. They know some good home remedy for every other minor ailment, but none for their eye troubles. They neglect their eyes, because the trouble is not sufficient to drive them to an eye specialist who would, any way, charge them a heavy fee. As a last resort they go to an optician or to the five and ten-cent store, and oftentimes get glasses that they do not need, or which, after being used two or three months, do their eyes more injury than good. Here is a simple prescription that every one should use:

5 grains Optona. (1 Tablet.)
2 ounces Water.

Use three or four times a day to bathe the eyes. This prescription keeps the eyes clean and quickly overcomes inflammation and irritation. Weak, watery, work-strained eyes, granular lids and other similar troubles are greatly benefited and oftentimes cured by its use. Many who wear glasses have discarded them after using it for a few weeks. It is good for the eyes, and will not injure the most sensitive eyes of an infant or the aged. The Owl Drug Company or any other druggist can fill this prescription promptly. Try it, and know for once what real eye comfort is.

ITCHING ECZEMA SOMETHING FIERCE

Covered Face. Ashamed to Go Away from Home. Broke Out as Rash. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.



Etna Green, Ind.—"When but a young girl my face broke out with eczema and kept getting worse. I was ashamed to go away from home. The trouble broke out as a rash and covered the most of my face, especially the chin and cheeks. The itching and burning were something fierce causing me to rub it which caused it to spread. When out in the wind the burning was worse than ever.

"I tried ——— and Ointment without the desired effect. I had suffered with it for several years until finally I commenced using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After using them for a month or more I could feel a great change in my face. I continued using Cuticura Soap and Ointment for a year and was entirely cured." (Signed) Mrs. Ruby Sponseller, June 13, 1913.

For pimples and blackheads the following is a most effective and economical treatment: Gently smear the affected parts with Cuticura Ointment, on the end of the finger, but do not rub. Wash off the Cuticura Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue bathing for some minutes. This treatment is best on rising and retiring. At other times use Cuticura Soap freely for the toilet and bath, to assist in preventing inflammation, irritation and clogging of the pores. Sold throughout the world. Sample of each mailed free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

Men who shave and shampoo with Cuticura Soap will find it best for skin and scalp.

The Home Beauty Parlor
by Betty Dean

Mrs. A. T. B.: You are not shampooing often enough and may not use the best shampoo. Try my favorite, which is canthrox—just dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water and rub briskly as you pour it on the hair and scalp. This makes an abundance of rich, cleansing lather that is very soothing to tender, itchy scalps. Rinsing leaves the scalp immaculately clean, and each strand of hair will be soft, shimmery and full of health. Canthrox shampoos are splendid for correcting unnatural conditions, such as excessive oiliness, dryness or profuse dandruff. I like its drying qualities too.

Mrs. G.: The symptoms you describe, pains and aches in the limbs and small of back, loss of appetite, lack of strength and ambition are danger signals—warnings your blood is laden with poisons which will cause serious sickness if not eliminated from the system. The kardene tonic of grandmother's day is excellent to use and can be prepared at home at little cost by dissolving ½ cupful sugar and 1 ounce kardene (which you can get at your drug store) in ¼ pint alcohol (not whiskey) to which is then added hot water to make a full quart. A tablespoonful before meals is the dose. The timely use of this tonic frequently saves serious ills.

Mazie: Yes, you can cure you weak, watery eyes with a soothing, healing, strengthening eye tonic which can be made at little cost by dissolving an ounce of crystos in 1 pint clear water. If you will put 2 or 3 drops in each eye daily, it will relieve the inflammation and soreness and reduce swelling. This crystos tonic is especially fine to make the eyes sparkle and give them expression.

Society Girl: Here is that weight-reducing treatment which she told you would work without danger or inconvenience: Put 4 ounces parnotis (which you can obtain at any drug store), in 1½ pints hot water. Strain when cold, take 1 tablespoonful before meals. Keep up treatment until weight is sufficiently reduced. Parnotis is gentle in action and positive in results and leaves the flesh and skin firm and smooth.

Girlie: It is easy to make an inexpensive hair tonic at home by mixing 1 ounce quinzoin with ½ pint alcohol, then adding ½ pint water. The scalp should be massaged once or twice a week with this quinzoin tonic. Its regular use will quickly banish the dry, scaly condition and correct excessive oiliness, and when this is done the natural color and silky softness returns and the hair will grow in long and thick and have a beautiful sheen.

Marge: Friends tell me I have every reason to be proud of my complexion, which is the result of discarding powder and using spurmax lotion. This is inexpensive and easily made at home—I just dissolve 4 ounces spurmax in ½ pint witch hazel or hot water, then add 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine, and it is ready. I apply this lotion sparingly and rub lightly for a moment until it dries and seems to become a part of the skin, to which it gives a velvety smoothness and refined color that is delightful.

O. T.: The wrinkles of which you speak will soon vanish if you apply almozoin cream-jelly and massage the long way of the creases. This simple treatment tends to vivify the dormant tissues, causing the creases or lines to fill out. To prepare the cream-jelly, put 1 ounce almozoin (which you can get at your drug store) in ½ pint water and add 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine. Let remain over night before using. As a skin-cleanser and beautifier this greaseless cream-jelly is not equaled.

Betty Dean's Beauty Book, $5.—[Advertisement.

HARLOW'S CAFE
Third and Spring Sts.—Washington Bldg.

The place where All Good Fellows Wine and Dine. Our Service Unsurpassed. Continuous Cabaret Show. Highest Class Talent.

"We delight the ear,
We please the eye,
The inner man we satisfy."

(First of May Souvenir Day)

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"Some Hospitality."

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We Will—We Must Sell Pianos—Surely Those Are Piano Bargains!

SALE

Closing-out Sale of 100 beautiful Pianos and Players starts tomorrow morning at the PLATT MUSIC CO. store, 312 West 7th, near Broadway.

Piano prices turned topsy-turvy—$10 cash down and as little as $5.00 cash down will take a piano to your home. But we need the money—yes, we do.

Listen—

We Want Our Money Back

We want the money back for these pianos on good contracts, one or the other within a very short space of time. We are not going out of business, dear friends—no indeed! quite a long ways from it. We hope to be in business at least half a century longer or more—but there is a reason why we want our money back. There is a reason why, beginning next Monday morning there will be placed on the market one hundred beautiful pianos at prices hewed down lower than you ever dreamed of paying for guaranteed quality pianos. **These pianos must be sold regardless of profit.** Profit is not an important item with us now. **We will—we must sell pianos.** The President of our Company has just returned from a special trip to Chicago, and while there closed a deal at the mammoth Kimball factories for a solid trainload of artistic Kimball pianos—player pianos—baby grand pianos and Kimball pipe organs.

Our warerooms in the future will be the home of Kimball products and in order to make room to take care of the new acquisition to our already well-established line.

We Will—We Must Sell Pianos.

Cash is an object to us now—We need the money and will cut still deeper to those who can pay all cash.

Go straight to the Platt Music Company's store next Monday morning.

These are happy piano harvest days for you, Mr. Piano Buyer—you cannot afford to wait—the time has come when **we must sell. The time has come for you to buy.** Bring along $5.00—$10.00—$15.00 or $20.00 to pay cash down, if you cannot pay all cash just now. Remember, every piano and player must be sold without reserve and includes the entire assortment, of new and used pianos, embracing **Bush & Gerts, Weber, Steinway, H. P. Nelson, Mason & Hamlin, Fisher, Wagner, Chickering, Hardman, Straube, Haines Brothers and Ellington** makes at closing-out prices—Beginning at **$62.00, $92.00, $114.00, $127.00, $143.00, $168.00, $198.00, $239.00, $256.00, $298.00, etc.**

Be with us Monday morning—It will pay you.





New Kimball Pianos and Players



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Near Broadway



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"California 1915."

SHRINERS TO CAMPAIGN FOR STATE IN THE EAST.

Splendid Special Train Will Carry Party Armed With Raisins, Oranges, Fruits, Flowers and Literature Through Fifty-seven Cities—Will Work to Bring the Imperial Council to San Francisco Next Year.

CALIFORNIA Shriners are eager to start on their campaign of fifty-seven cities of the United States April 30, when four steel special trains from San Francisco, Los Angeles, Oakland and San Diego will carry Islam, Al Malaikah, Aahmes and Al Bahr Temples across the continent in a siege of the hearts of men and women who have never been to the land of golden opportunity and a future.

A carload of raisins, another of oranges, another of fruit and flowers and another of a booklet in three colors presenting without advertising the advantages of the fifty-seven counties of the State, will be carried on the tour for free distribution at the concerts given by the $10,000,000 band, four patrols, chanters and soloists in each of the American cities, where receptions are being planned for the Californians.

The tour will cost over $15,000.

Two objects of attack are planned by the Shriners. First, to win the 1915 session of the Imperial Council of Mystic Shrine for San Francisco, fair year, when they arrive at Atlanta for the 1914 session, with Seattle a strong rival. Second, to interest the country in "California 1915."

It will be the first time that the Californians will mass together from the different cities with one purpose and one slogan, "California 1915."

It is estimated that the 1915 session of the Imperial Council will bring 50,000 additional visitors to the State fair year who will spend over $2,000,000, to say nothing of the many who will return later to make their homes here or start industries of a nature favorable in California or, in other words, all lines of industries.

SPLENDID SPECIAL.

Clarence Haydock of the Illinois Central Railroad, master of transportation, states it will be the largest and best-equipped special train that has ever crossed the continent.

Each section will carry a dynamo and baggage cars, diners, observation car, Pullmans, publicity car and a specially-appointed entertainment car.

The great special steel train will leave California in four divisions.

In the day, each section will play "I Love You, California" on its steam calliope, while at night, besides the calliope, "California 1915" will blaze out in electricity through the night's blackness here and there, speaking a welcome to some lonely, farm-weary traveler returning to his home along the country road.

It is understood that the $10,000,000 band of 120 pieces, with its half-a-million-dollar horn player, million-dollar cornetist, and one of the most brilliant lawyers in the State beating rhythm on a bass drum, is the wealthiest, as well as largest, musical organization that has ever been in tour.

It will be under the direction of George Bennett, band master of the Spanish-American War, unless he again goes to the front, in which case William Deeble, Al Malaikah Temple, will assume the direction.

The Al Malaikah chanters of Los Angeles are a company of male singers recently organized and at the conclave of America's Shriners in Atlanta will come in sharp competition with the Moolah chanters from St. Louis for first honors. Its officers are J. W. Jump, president; R. A. Forsyth, secretary; E. W. Reider, librarian; W. D. Deeble, director.

ZOUAVES TO DRILL.

The famous crack zouave patrol of Islam Temple, San Francisco, under the captaincy of Capt. Wilside, will give a spectacular military drill at all of the Shriners' entertainments with the Al Malaikah chanters, monster band and soloists.

Of the three-color, sixty-four page booklet on the fifty-seven counties of the State, Marco Hellman of the 700,000 Boosters' Club, has spoken very highly. And H. E. Huntington states, "I like it because you have eliminated all advertising, because it is impartial in its descriptive matter, covers our industries and products of every section and because it has devoted so much space to our historical landmarks, the old California missions. Surely tons of this printed matter placed in the hands of intelligent people will bear fruit." Fifteen tons of this booklet, which is pocket size and on elegant stock, will be given to those interested in the fifty-seven cities of the trip.

The "California 1915 Executive Committee" in charge of the tour are: Director, F. B. Silverwood, Al Malaikah Temple, Los Angeles; Motley H. Flint, vice-chairman and past potentate, Al Malaikah Temple; Casmir J. Wood, secretary and treasurer, Islam Temple, San Francisco; Potentate George Filmer, Islam Temple; Potentate Leo V. Youngworth, Al Malaikah Temple; Potentate George S. Meredith, Aahmes Temple, Oakland; Potentate Carl Heilbron, Al Bahr Temple, San Diego; Past Imperial Potentate Charles L. Field, Islam Temple, San Francisco; Past Imperial Potentate Fred Hines, Al Malaikah Temple, Los Angeles; Clarence Haydock, master of transportation, Islam Temple, San Francisco.

ENTERTAINMENT PLANNED.

At Kansas City 15,000 people are promised by Kansas City Shriners to fill the great convention hall for the California Shriners' concert after a banquet is given there.

A boat ride and luncheon on board is promised by Moslem Temple of Detroit, with a spectacular drill at Belle Isle, a concert by the Western Shriners, and the day is set aside in Detroit as "California Day."

Moolah Temple of St. Louis will give a Dutch luncheon, banquet, grand military parade and in turn enjoy the musical treat from California at the huge Coliseum.

May 6 will see the Shriners' four steel sections steam into the station at Niagara Falls, where they will stay during the morning and be taken to Buffalo for a dinner and concert in the afternoon.

Gov. Glynn will meet them at Albany in the Executive Mansion.

Parades and concerts and receptions are to be the programme at Rochester.

Mecca Temple, the mother Temple, will unbutton the welcome of the metropolis for them, and present them to the Mayor of New York at the City Hall on May 8. A grand military parade along Fifth avenue and a military concert in Columbus Circle at night will be given.

The California Shriners will march down Pennsylvania avenue escorted by the various organizations of Washington, D. C., and serenade President Wilson and Admiral Dewey with F. B. Silverwood's song for the State, "I Love You California."

Richmond will greet them in a way appropriate on May 10 and a little while later Atlanta will extend her greetings to the Shriners, who will be given the places of honor at the great conclave of American fezzes.



Officers Islam Patrol, San Francisco, Capt Woodsich seated



Potentate Carl H. Heilbron, Al Bahr Temple, San Diego

ENTERTAINS POLY ORCHESTRA.

Miss Jennie L. Jones, director of school orchestras, entertained the members of the Polytechnic Evening High orchestra at her home, No. 1147 West Forty-seventh street, Thursday evening. Vierling Kersey, principal of the school, and Mrs. Kersey assisted Miss Jones in receiving. Games were played and refreshments served. Guests were Misses Clara Hill, Ural Griffin, Ruth Aldrich, Mollie Blacker, Dorothy Hanson, Jennie Freedman, Lulu W. Draper, Marie L. Mallory, Gertrude Jones, Socia Hickey, and Messrs. A. P. Pabst, Julius Eichhorn, Edward Hickey, Mat R. Draper, Yosef Genz, M. S. Hayden, Nick Dwire, Lionel Matthes, Harry Freedman, Abe Vener, C. E. Allen, Ron E. Wickstron, Benjamin Klemp, Paul Hagman, Albert L. Krug, J. M. Wolverton, B. Vanderstine, W. H. Slocomb, Otto Matthes, Charles Ericson, Kermit Wicks, Sylvester Kozlowski, Warren Sargent, William Fuller and Reginald Tullous.

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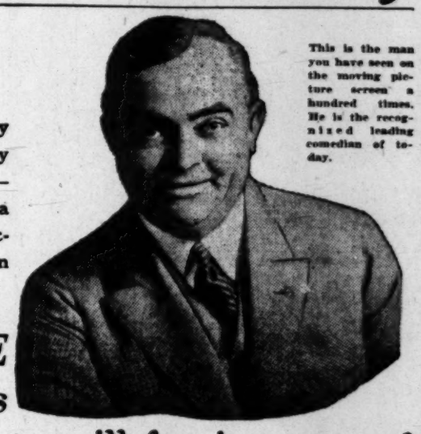


Mr. Fred Mace "doffs his hat" to you in this announcement and tells you how to make a real moving picture of himself to amuse the children with. Read the instructions—

The border of this advertisement is a reproduction of a short film for which Mr. Mace posed yesterday. To make an actual moving picture of Mr. Mace, first get some strong paper and cut it in pieces 1½ inches wide by 2 inches deep. Then cut out the border, take picture No. 1, paste it at the top of a piece of paper, then No. 2, and so on until you get to the last picture. When all the pasting is done set the pictures one behind the other and fasten them at the bottom over the plain paper with a stiff rubber band. Hold the pack in your left hand and with your right hand snap back quickly. In this way you will see Mr. Mace take off his hat and replace it.

Fred Mace, whose fame as a moving picture comedian is world-wide, offers to you an extraordinary investment opportunity—

While business statisticians tell us that the moving picture business is today fifth among the world's industries, they also say that it is only just begun to find itself. In other words, men who know tell us that the moving picture industry has only just begun its real growth. Now, the time to put money into a new form of investment is at the beginning—so that you can realize all the profit which accrues from it. We believe this new company enters upon its career at a most opportune moment. We believe that within a short time we shall be numbered among the greatest film-producing concerns in the world. We sincerely believe that in offering the general public an opportunity to participate in our future activities we are putting a stupendous money-making chance in their way.



This is the man you have seen on the moving picture screen a hundred times. He is the recognized leading comedian of today.

Here are the reasons why the FRED MACE FEATURE FILM CO., INC., desires to sell a small amount of its treasury stock to a wide circle of small investors. You will be interested

But a small amount of our stock will be sold—as soon as the necessary money is obtained not another share will be offered.

This is not a stock selling campaign where the subscriptions go to promoters—but an honest endeavor to raise a small amount of money that will be used in the interest of every stock holder. We invite the most searching investigation of our methods.



This Picture Shows Fred Mace in His Great Comedy Character, "One-Round O'Brien"—a Film Estimated to Have Made $70,000 For Its Producers.

If you have ever seen Mr. Fred Mace in his great comedy conception, "One-Round O'Brien," you will think yourself fortunate in being asked to come into this business with him. "One-Round O'Brien" has been made into 600 separate reels or 600,000 feet of film. We estimate that the producers have already received $70,000 in cash and it is still selling. We want you to have a financial interest in every one of Mr. Mace's future pictures.

Mr. Fred Mace, one of the foremost comedians in the film business, has been incorporated under the name of Fred Mace Feature Film Company, Inc. Mr. Mace is now the head of the company that is actually producing pictures right now. But in this business, as in every other, an amount of capital is needed to tide over the development period. Several weeks must be devoted to producing the first films without any financial returns, and to those who are willing to provide money to meet our present operating expenses a limited amount of stock will be offered. Remember, we are not asking you to invest in a concern that has not yet begun operations. We are right now producing two pictures a week that are being sent to markets that have already been developed. We have orders for 20,000 feet of film per week from London, England, and we are now negotiating with many other exchanges to be supplied in the near future. We have leased a splendidly equipped studio and work will go forward with all energy and progress. We need money in order to increase the output. We need money to finance our operations until we begin to get returns on films that are actually sold to responsible exchanges and in course of production.

This is a going concern; remember we are making and marketing films right now. We need more money for expansion.

This Company is headed by one of the most successful, versatile and accomplished film artists in the world. Mr. Fred Mace has been connected with many of the leading producers and all will admit that his personality has been the largest factor in their success. Pictures in which Mr. Mace appears and directs are in demand not alone in the United States, but all over the world. There is no question about finding the market for our pictures—that is already secured. Our problem now is to raise sufficient money to fill these orders and to increase our facilities in anticipation of a still greater demand. We want it distinctly understood that this is a going concern, headed by a motion picture artist and manager of international reputation, whose success is your success.

The motion picture industry stands at the top as a money maker.

—A bid of $4000 was recently made for a single share of the stock of one company.

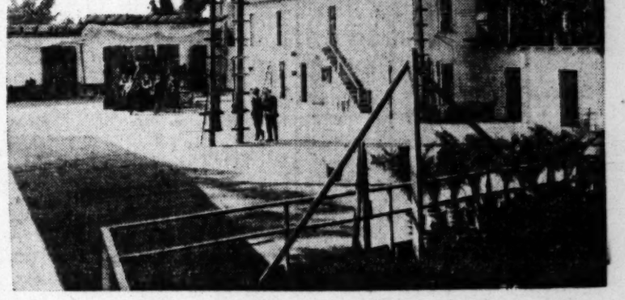
When you realize that the American public is paying five hundred million dollars a year for admission to the moving picture theaters you will appreciate why shares in the various producing companies have reached such enormous values. Read these two clippings:—

"The gross takings of the General Film Company last year were over $30,000,000. The major portion of this sum was paid out to the various manufacturers releasing through the G. F. Agency. (A bid of $4000 was recently made for a single share of stock.")—From "Variety" of April 3rd.

"Stocks of some of the companies are understood to have sold higher than $2000 a share. Dividends at the rate of 12 to 24 per cent. are being paid on a number of the stocks. The Mutual Film Corporation, when organized a few years ago, earned $300,000 a year. It now earns $7,000,000. The common stock is on a 12 per cent. yearly dividend basis. The preferred pays 7 per cent., payable quarterly."—From "New York Financial Bulletin."

Shares Now $1—Par Value

We are now offering to the general public a very limited quantity of our Treasury stock at $1.00 per share. These shares may be taken in blocks of fifty or more. While we have set no limit on the amount any person may purchase, yet at the same time we greatly desire to make as wide a distribution of the stock as possible.



A View of the Stage at Our Big Plant.

This picture shows a section of the large stage at our thoroughly equipped plant in Los Angeles. We believe this to be the most thoroughly equipped motion picture plant in America. We shall greatly appreciate an opportunity to show you over this plant—you will find the experience extremely interesting and instructive.

As we have set a very low limit to the amount of stock we shall sell, we urge you to see us immediately.

So successful has been our efforts to sell the stock of this company that it can only be a short time when this opportunity will be withdrawn. If you have some ready money—even as little as $50—you should consider investing with us. Our entire scheme of operations is yours to investigate. We want you to come and let us tell you all about ourselves—what we have done and what are our plans for the future.

If You Can't Come to See Us, Then Write

This coupon properly filled out and enclosed with your remittance for as many shares as you desire will be accepted just the same as if you came to the office and paid your subscription in person. In case mail subscriptions are received after all stock is sold money will be returned immediately.

Our offices will be open from 8 o'clock in the morning until 9 o'clock at night for a few days, including Sunday. Make it a point to see us tomorrow.

Fill Out, Clip Out and Mail Coupon With Your Remittance

FRED MACE FEATURE FILM CO.,
Suite 910 Washington Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.
I hereby subscribe for ..... shares of Treasury stock at $1 a share of the FRED MACE FEATURE FILM CO. and enclose herewith ..... Dollars covering purchase of same.

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CROOKED MEASURES USED BY PEDDLERS.

Fruit Inspector Finds Cheating Popular With Wagon Men Who Retail Fruits and Vegetables, and No Law to Prevent Practice of Fooling Housewives — How Fakery Is Carried on Openly.

BEHOLD the battered bucket in the hands of the "buzzard" peddler. It is filled with oranges, big ones on top, small, blighted oranges on the bottom, maybe, but nevertheless oranges. And the whole bucketful for 10 cents!

Think of a heaping bucketful of oranges for a dime! Take this same heaping bucketful of oranges, dump them into a new, undented bucket of the same size, and instead of a heap of golden fruit rising from the rim of the bucket, what do you see?

Nothing! The oranges, transferred from the battered bucket to the new, sound bucket, do not fill the latter at all. The reason is that the battered bucket held up for display by the huckster to invite sales has been purposely dented inward. And every dent reduces the cubic contents of the bucket. The more dents, the smaller the interior of the bucket, and the smaller the interior the less number of oranges required to fill it.

But to all appearances, there is a bucketful of oranges. Housewives don't ordinarily notice the dents in a galvanized bucket belonging to someone else. If they insist in future that their oranges be measured in undented buckets they will get more oranges.

The buttered bucket is one of the oldest tricks in the trade of the peddler, but the American people dote on being fooled and the oftener they are tricked the better they like it. Indeed, it is an established fact that housewives aid and abet the practice of obtaining money under false pretense by being so lax in their acceptance of any old thing the peddler wants to get rid of.

HOUSEWIFE LOSES.

The housewife is an amateur bartering with a professional of long experience. She knows not the significance of the dents in the bucket, she is unfamiliar with the "stove-piping" of potatoes, the "facing" of strawberries and cherries and other fruits; she has not been schooled in the art of placing cleats in lug boxes, nor does she understand the meaning of a hastily-sewed rip down the side of a sack of potatoes. If some one started to explain to her the theory of the "pony" orange box she wouldn't understand.

But the peddler understands all these things and more, and he makes a margin of profit from his knowledge.

The large wholesale markets at Sixth and Alameda streets and at Ninth and San Pedro streets are distributing centers for practically all the fruits and vegetables sold in Los Angeles, including the municipal markets and the different cities and towns in the southwest. At certain seasons of the year every State in the Union receives produce of some kind from these markets.

ECONOMIC WASTE.

It is conservatively stated by dealers and growers that $30,000,000 worth of produce is handled on these two markets each year.

Now, it is calculated that 95 per cent of the produce consumed in Los Angeles is shipped in by rail from outside points, while 90 to 95 per cent of the produce grown nearby is shipped through the city to other points for consumption. Can you beat that for economic waste?

It all means a loss owing to careful selection of first-grade produce for shipment and sorting over of produce received after being in the market for some time. Much inferior grade produce goes to waste owing to limited commercial demand, which if used in time would make good, wholesome food. Here is a lass early estimated at 20 per cent.

In other words, only 5 per cent. of the produce grown in and near Los Angeles is consumed here, while the remaining 95 per cent. of the consumption comes from elsewhere. This is the calculation of Frank W. Mefferd, city fruit and vegetable inspector, and he is backed up by leading produce men.

One thousand wagons each morning pass into the two public markets, load up with fruits and vegetables and pass out to various parts of the city, where the bell, the horn or the unintelligible voice of the huckster starts housewives from their washing or breakfast dishes to an inspection of the day's offerings. Mrs. Housekeeper of Los Angeles daily buys ten cars of potatoes, twenty cars of green vegetables, five cars of apples, four cars of bananas, twenty cars of deciduous fruits in season, five cars of citrus fruits and three cars of eggs, with other produce in proportion. Not all of this, of course, is peddled by the "buzzard" from his queer-looking wagon. This includes sales at groceries and other markets, but it all goes through the public markets, where it passes under inspection.

TRICKERY AND INJUSTICE.

To subject the biggest part of all this fortune of fruit and produce to a system of trickery and deception on the part of peddlers, seems to be a howling injustice. Yet inspection doesn't reach the situation. In fact, there are so many ways of beating inspectors, either before or after the produce passes through the market, that it is impossible to lift the peddler out of his habit of putting it over the dear public.

If the housewife cared to exercise her right and refuse to buy a bucketful of oranges if the bucket is dented, she would soon put a stop to this practice. She would show the "buzzard" she is wise.

The Japanese gardener is said to be the originator of the scheme of "stovepiping spuds." He sets a stovepipe in the center of an empty burlap sack. Around this pipe he fills big, solid potatoes, so that all sides of the sack show the actual size of the "spuds" within. Then he dumps potatoes ranging from the size of a pea to a good-sized marble into the stovepipe in the center. Having filled the center of the sack with tiny potatoes, he pulls out the pipe, places a layer of large potatoes on top and sews up the bag. It is sold for "sorted" potatoes and the fraud is never detected until the bag is ripped open by the retailer or by the housewife.

"PONY" BOXES.

A buyer who is not wise in the arts and crafts of the men, who make a living handling fruits and vegetables could not distinguish an ordinary orange box from a "pony" box, unless he happened to be schooled along that particular line. The ordinary orange box holds 126 oranges of fair size. Small oranges run about 150 to the box. Manufacturers make "pony" boxes that hold 126, instead of 150 of the small oranges and about 100 instead of 126 of the larger ones. This deception is hard to detect, and for that reason "pony" boxes are in demand.

Inspector Mefferd tried to bring about a conviction of a dealer who "faced" his cherries in such a manner that a palpable fraud was worked on the public. This dealer, who has a fruitstand, purchased four cases of cherries at the market. Three of them were the very small cherries. The fourth box was large, selected fruit. The dealer built a pyramid on his stand of the small fruit and then dumped the box of luscious, large, inviting cherries over it. This veneer attracted buyers, but the dealer merely raked the small fruit from the bottom of the pyramid at every sale. He was arrested and beat the case in court.

Take a "lug box" and empty it of its contents. If this box doesn't contain cleats about the rectangular sides, interior, it is probably an honest box. These cleats, supposedly set inside to strengthen the box, are actually put there to reduce the contents of the receptacle.

"I wish to call your attention to the strawberries that are now coming into the market," writes an irate subscriber. "The growers of same should be oliged to put the same quality of fruit in the bottom of the box as on top."

Now, there is no law that will reach this habit of obtaining money by false pretense. If it so happens that the strawberries underneath the inviting veneer are spoiled, then the dealer may be prosecuted for the sale, but how many housewives take a 5-cent box of strawberries back to her grocer or to her peddler with the complaint that a few of them were rotten? The housewife expects to be cheated with "faced" strawberries if she does not have the shrewdness to inspect the fruit all the way down to the bottom of the box, which she has a perfect right to do.

The dealer who caters to the discriminating never sells poor stuff more than once to the same purchaser.

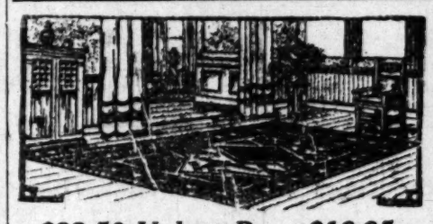
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How the "buzzard" peddlers cheat.

The huge dents in the tin bucket reduce the cubic contents and fool the housewife. The oranges are "faced" in the wagon, with the big ones on top, the small ones at the bottom, and the deception catches many. The small "spuds" are packed in the center of the sack and surrounded with big potatoes. This is a trick pretty widely practiced.

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$13.75 Brussels Rugs $8.95
Seamless Brussels rugs in two choice Oriental patterns. $13.75 regularly. Eight of them go on sale Monday at $8.95.

20c Pepperell Pillow Casing, Blea. or Unblea. . 12½c
25c Pequot Pillow Casing, Blea. or Unblea. 17c
30c Pepperell Sheeting, Blea. or Unblea. 22½c
22c 36 to 42-In. Seamless Pillow Tubing 15c
12½c Blea. and Unblea. 36-in. Muslin 8½c
15c White Cambric, 36 Ins. Wide, the Yard 10c
$2.00 Crochet Bedspreads, Extra Large Size . . $1.39
$4.50 Satin Marseilles Bed Spreads, Special . . $2.75
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Extra heavy weight all linen suiting in natural color. 36 inches wide. The usual 45c quality, on special sale, Monday—25c.

35c Aristo Crepe 25c
Rough weave Aristo crepes in all colors. 27 inches wide. 35c regularly. On sale for 25c yard.

20c Printed Crepe 12½c
Crepes with small figures in all colors. 27 inches wide. 20c regularly. On sale for 12½c.

50c Rice Cloth 29c
Pretty rice cloths in all colors, also satin ribbon striped voiles. 50c quality for 29c yard.

25c Corded Crepe 15c
Corded crepes in light and dark colors for street and evening wear. 25c quality for 15c yard.

Toilet Goods Specials for Monday

10c TOILET SOAP — popular odors. 3 cakes 19c
40c MUTUAL SACHET POWDER—half price. oz. 20c
ORANGE MANICURE STICKS—7½c and 10c values 5c
25c TOILET ARTICLES — buffers, cuticle knives, files, etc. Each 12½c
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Month End Sale of Notions



5c Paper Needles 2½c
Sewings needles in standard makes, fair assortment of numbers. 5c papers for 2½c.

15c & 25c Buttons 10c
15c and 25c pearl buttons, ligne 18 to 36. ½ to 1 dozen on a card. Special Monday—10c.



Coat's 2½c Mercerized Darning Cotton, 3 spools . . 5c
Pearl Shirtwaist Buttons, Ligne 14 to 22, doz. . . . 5c
15c Washable Middy Braid, colors, 6 yds. bolt, 5c
Dressmaker's 25c Skirt Markers with Chalk 15c
5c and 8⅓c Hair Nets, all shades—2½c ea. 25c doz.
36 1c Bunches of Hair Pins in a Package for 10c
Hat Pins, Black and White, all Lengths, dozen 1c
10c Kid Curlers, 5 and 6-inch lengths; bunch 5c

7 Spools of 5c Thread for 25c
Williamantic spool cotton that sells regularly at 5c a spool. Black and white, all numbers for machine and hand sewing. In this Month End Sale—7 spools for 25c.

$1.50 Lace Curtains $1.00
White or Arabian colored lace curtains in a variety of designs, including floral and insertion borders. 2½ and 3 yards long.

$3.00 Lace Curtains $2.25
Beautiful new lace curtains in white, ivory or Arabian colors. Actually worth $3.00, on special sale Monday—$2.25 a pair.

HANDSOME KASHGAR COUCH COVERS, 58 inches by 8½ feet $2.75
50c and 75c CURTAIN NETS—choice designs, white, ivory or Arabian 39c

New Spring Suits $5
To $19.50 Values, 9 to 10 a.m. . .
New suits and strictly up-to-date in style with peg top or tunic skirts and short or medium length coats. Worsteds, serges, diagonals, pin stripes, checks and novelties. Only a limited number and mostly the smaller sizes though there are also a few in sizes 38 and 40. Suits actually worth as high as $19.50. Special, 9 to 10 a.m. Monday, your choice of the lot for $5.00.

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A.F.C. Amoskeag dress ginghams in checks, stripes, plaids and plain colors. Fadeless colors. The regular 12½c grade, from 9 to 10 a.m., Monday—7c a yard.

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12½c Muslin & Cambric 6¼c
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All the most popular weaves and colors in woolen dress goods, qualities worth much more than $1.00 included in this sale. Wool poplins, panamas, serges, Tussah Carina, and novelty stripes among them.

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Black and colored chiffon taffeta in a soft and lustrous quality, 36 inches wide. Very fashionable for dresses and suits.

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Women's Silk Underwear $1.50
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NETHERSOLE, OLCOTT, ROCK AND FULTON AND CRANES.

Enough Stars in Town to Make a Brilliant Constellation — Mason and Majestic Reopen — Brand-New Show at Burbank—Popular-Priced Houses and Movies Also Promise Sensations.

THE Burbank is to give another "first performance on any stage" production. Beginning with the matinee this afternoon, "My Shadow and I," a comedy-drama in three acts by Adolf Philipp, will make its bow to the Los Angeles public with Jess Dandy and the entire strength of the Burbank stock company in the cast.

Adolf Philipp, the author of "Alma Where Do You Live?" "Adele," "Auction Pinochle," and a host of other successes, has given his personal direction to the production of this new play.

The first and third acts are placed on a little farm in Ohio during spring and later, during the autumn months, which afford a fine opportunity for scenic investiture of which Robert Brunton of the Burbank has taken the greatest advantage, creating really remarkable stage pictures. The second act shows a cobbler's shop in New York, the time being Christmas eve.

Jess Dandy has a highly entertaining role in the new play. Forrest Stanley will appear in one of the most lovable characters that this popular leading man has presented for some time.

Beatrice Nichols, Grace Travers, Thomas McLarnie, Donald Bowles, Florence Oberle, Winifred Bryson, Walter Catlett, H. S. Duffield, James K. Applebee and the full strength of the Burbank company, and the added attraction of Master Bobby Short and Gertrude Short will have good parts. The regular Burbank prices will prevail for this production.

Mason.

Chauncey Olcott and his plays have a strong hold on that class of theater patrons that stand staunchly by the Irish comedy drama. Rarely is an acceptable successor found to Boucicault's "The Shaughran" or "Colleen Bawn," in these modern days of silk tights and skirts of thinnest lace and vexed problems of human life. But Mr. Olcott promises at the Mason Operahouse this week an honest successor to these honest plays of the homely Irish class.

It is called "Shameen Dhu," written by Rida Johnson Young and staged by Henry Miller, and in it are all the characters of three decades ago.

The settings are described as being most artistic, while Mr. Olcott's supporting company is amply equipped to bring out the quaint Irish humor and the pretty story of love and war that the play embraces. And, above all, the production permits Mr. Olcott to introduce five songs, all new, that are sung as only he can sing this class of Irish ballads. They are called "I Never Met Before a Girl Like You," "Dream Girl o' Mine," "Peggy Darlin'," "My Little Dhudeen," and "Too-ra-loo-ra-loo-ra-ry. That's an Irish Lullaby." Mr. Olcott plays Dare O'Donnell, the young Irish hero in question, whose aim it is to help Washington "lick" the Britishers and win the winsome young American heroine for his very own.

As usual, Mr. Olcott will be assisted by Mrs. Jennie Lamont, the finest impersonator of the homely Irishwoman on the stage today, who has a most congenial role in the new play, while the two heroines (think of an Irish play with two heroines,) are in the capable hands of Constance Molineaux and Beth Franklyn.

Majestic.

Mrs. Douglas Crane, the San Francisco society girl whose interpretation of the modern ballroom dances has won her the title throughout the country of "the little daughter of the dance," will appear at the Majestic beginning tomorrow night, for a week's engagement in a new play by Louise Closser Hale, entitled "Her Soul and Her Body."

Mrs. Crane has always been ambitious to star in theatrical production and for this production she was coached by the San Francisco impresario, Frederic Belasco.

Mrs. Crane is accompanied by a company of unusual capabilities and the show has had a successful run in San Francisco.

The greatest feature of the play naturally is the dancing of Mrs. Douglas Crane. During the second act she appears with her husband in their famous ballroom dances, including the tango and the Crane skip. In addition to these, however, there will be three dances arranged by Mrs. Crane that are said to be her greatest works. She has called these numbers "The Moth and the Flame," "Love's Awakening" and the "Blue Danube."

Mrs. Crane has paid a great deal of attention to the most minute details of these new dances and the result is said to be both startling and sensational.

Morosco.

Rock and Fulton return to the Morosco Theater tomorrow night in "The Echo," which comes straight from a run at the Gaiety Theater in San Francisco, and which will include also the favorites of "The Candy Shop," which proved so popular in Los Angeles upon the occasion of the former Rock & Fulton visit here.

Pretty girls, remarkable special numbers, unusual production in scenery and costuming and the work of the principals will mark "The Echo" as one of the liveliest musical entertainments of the season.

In addition to Rock and Fulton there will be in the cast a number of Los Angeles favorites. Will Philbrick, Kitty Doner, the irrepressible, who has a clever little act of her own this time, Bessie Franklin, Mary Armbrose, Frances White, Oscar Ragland, Frederic Stanley and Jane Grant will be among the favorites in the cast.

Orpheum.

Good things tread close upon one another's heels at the Orpheum these days. Here is Fritzi Scheff only finishing her brilliant engagement Sunday night, and no sooner is she out of the house than her place is taken by another start of equal brilliance, albeit in another field—Olga Nethersole, the greatest of emotional actresses. It is in the third act of "Sapho" that Miss Nethersole is to be seen at the Orpheum—the "big" act, which makes a complete little play in itself. Being a complete whole, it can be given as such, and with her admirable company and perfect surroundings, Miss Nethersole so gives it, making it thus one of vaudeville's most notable offerings in many months. A bill of six new acts comes with Miss Nethersole, only two holdovers remaining. Herman Timberg, well remembered from the Edwards "School Days" act and play, returns to vaudeville as a star; he plays the violin, signs, dances and delivers patter. Harry Catalano and Jack Denny are ragtimers. Mosher, Hayes & Mosher, the "three men on a wheel," well remembered, are making a return visit, and Bill Pruitt, the Cowboy Caruso, a real plainsman with a wonderful voice, will be heard in the best tenor selections. The Fuhrer sisters, who live here, but have recently been touring the circuit, return with their fine violin and 'cello numbers. The holdovers are the powerful Paul Armstrong play, "To Save One Girl," and the Hartley jumpers, with the "nut" comedienne as a feature.

Pantages.

Capt. Jack is back again from the far north with another troupe of polar bears, the biggest, whitest and best trained that he has ever presented to vaudeville audiences. Capt. Jack and his polar pets will be the feature of the Pantages show, appearing Monday afternoon and all next week. These great snowy beasts do everything that the supposedly cleverer black and grizzly bears have ever learned and many things that their cousins have never been able to master.

"Holding Out" is the title attached to a crossfire comedy by James A. Davett and Ninon Duval. From the title one would suspect this to be a street car comedy, but in realty it has nothing to do with traffic congestion, strap hanging or nickel snatching. As a laugh producer it rings the bell loudly and often.

Gregoire & Elmina balance heavy weights on head and shoulders and chin. The real sensation of the act, however, is supplied by Mlle. Elmina's statuesque figure, displayed in close-fitting tights.

The Morette sisters display their musical talents with violin, 'cello, cornet and trombone, the latter being an unusual instrument for a woman.

Empress.

Beginning tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock five new reels of first-run motion pictures will be shown at the Empress Theater continuing until 2:30, when the regular matinee will start, the pictures changing every Monday and Thursday. The headline attraction for the new bill will be the "Top o' the World Dancers," consisting of fifteen dashing boys and pretty girls including the renowned "Collie Ballot." The act has proven to be a real treat for amusement lovers and particularly the children as it is a musical extravaganza consisting of singing, dancing, pantomime, with the Doll Princess.

Second on the new bill in interest and importance among the newcomers will be the original Olivette Troubadors. Both of these young men are finished musicians, with lots of showmanship back of them.

Third is the musical comedy favorite, James Francis Sullivan of the "Prince of Pilsen," who is expected to provide his share of fun on the new bill in his act of fifteen minutes of musical comedy capers entitled "Rapid Fire Vaudeville."

Hippodrome.

"The New Chief of Police" pronounced in San Francisco to be the most engrossing and drastic playlet ever presented in that city, will be the offering next week at the Hippodrome of Landers Stevens and Georgie Cooper.

Unlike most police sketches, it is a boost, rather than a knock of the department, and shows up some of the fake reformers in a new and not flattering light.

Another big offering promises to be Herman and Shirley, styled "The Mysterious Masqueraders," whose stunt is said to be as startling as it is unique.

Then, too, there will be Freda West, statuesque and clever, who already has an enviable reputation on the Coast. She will present her unique "Electropoise."

The Venetian Grand Opera Company, already strongly intenched here, will this week present one of its best pieces, "Rigoletto." It is one of the most tuneful of the grand operas, its music almost of the "popular" variety in its lightness and swing, and as presented by Mme. Bresonier and Signor Baldi, should prove the melodic gem of the engagement.

Another harmony feature will be contributed by Jerry Croft, conceded to be the king of the banjo, at least as far as the Pacific Coast is concerned, and in addition, there will be two other acts, and some interesting motion pictures, making a show well worth while.

Republic.

Count the First, billed as "The Monkey With the Human Brain," probably the best-known man impersonating ape known to the vaudeville stage today, comes as the headline attraction to Bert Levey's Republic Theater next week, opening at the head of a big new bill on Monday afternoon.

"Count the First" is a thorough college-bred monkey, and performs in all manner of amazing ways, including roller skating, which has become a popular craze once more.

Another feature act will be furnished by Eary, Wilbert and Eary, comedy acrobats and barrel jumpers. They are said to have an act different from the usual run of acrobatic acts. The Bletsoes are billed as eccentric comedians, and have made an enviable record on the Bert Levey circuit; Fritz Christian, Danish character change violin virtuoso, will furnish one of the bigger acts on the bill; Raymond Wilbert has a feature act billed as "the human hoops;" Thomas and Ward, have a singing, dancing and comedy turn billed as "The Funny Coon and the Dainty Soubrette," while Wycoff, entertainer de luxe, completes the bill with several first-run comedy motion pictures.

Alphin.

"The Speculators" is the title of the next bill to be presented at the Alphin Theater. This is another musical farce from the pen of Charles Alphin, and is full of musical songs and lots of girls.

Phillis Gordon, who made such an instantaneous hit upon her opening last week, will again come into stellar honors in next week's production. Miss Gordon is the possessor of a singing voice of exceptional range and merit, while her extensive wardrobe has made Alphin audiences sit up and take notice.

Others in the cast, which will include Reece Gardner, Frank Vack, Al Franks, Charles Parrott, Babe Lewis, Alice Allen and Mable Elliott, have all been suitably caster and will have many opportunities for effective comedy and musical numbers.

But the success of the Alphin performances should go alone to the chorus of sixteen—who are known as Alphin's Tango Girls—a better dressed singing and dancing chorus was never before seen in this home of music, fun and girls.

Woodley Theater.

Probably never till this week has the mammoth pipe organ at the Woodley Theater been so keenly appreciated as now, when C. Percival Garratt's patriotic programmes are attracting thousands who have never before visited this unique picture palace with its solar lighting system and onyx curtain.

Not that good music depends on patriotism for appreciation, but the thunderous and martial effects Garratt coaxes from the big organ lead a sublime grandeur to familiar pieces that lifts them to the pinnacle of harmonic perfection.

And the programme? Well, that is patriotic, too, and, of course, "The Mutual Girl" is doing some of those unique and fascinating stunts of hers that have made her such a drawing card.

Also there is a Keystone comedy, and for thrills some special features and short reels, which bid fair to rival in popular favor "Mabel at the Wheel," which has been attracting capacity houses, and will be on view for the last times today.

Clune's.

The bill of first-run motion pictures at Clune's Broadway Theater for the first three days of the coming week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, will have two big headline attractions—another installment of "The Perils of Pauline," the great motion picture serial—and "Brute Force," a powerful two-reel Biograph drama, produced under the personal direction of D. W. Griffith.

"Brute Force" is a great big forceful drama of the stone age, and was produced with the utmost historical accuracy, and pictures how men lived and fought in the antediluvian times. D. W. Griffith is acknowledged the

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Olga Nethersole,

The famous emotional actress, who will headline the Orpheum bill this week.

Plays With Purpose.

NETHERSOLE IS REAL REFORMER.

USES STAGE TO AWAKEN PUBLIC TO SOCIAL EVILS.

"Sappho," a Battle for the Fallen Woman, Was Followed by Drama Aiming at Tenement Abuses—Suffrage for Women of England Latest Ambition.

BY GARDNER BRADFORD.

One of the most interesting women, as well as most capable actresses on the stage today, comes to the Orpheum tomorrow for a limited engagement, in what at one time was the most-talked-of play on the boards.

She is Olga Nethersole, who deserved to be famous because she was a really great actress, who became famous through a long, lingering, luscious kiss, and who has remained great because nature endowed her with that greatest of stage assets, a wonderful speaking voice, which she herself learned to use with the greatest possible effects.

Space being brief, I am passing right by Olga Nethersole's stage career, for those who do not know it have only themselves to blame, and harking back to a day fourteen or fifteen years ago, when, as one of a small army of New York reporters, I was ushered into her drawing-room after she had been found "not guilty" of the crime of producing "Sappho."

It is the third act of this same play which she will present at the Orpheum tomorrow, by the way.

On this day she said: "You of the press are powerful, but the stage is more so. It is only because people are narrow that 'Sappho' has been condemned. You of the newspapers have condemned it, and that will make it the success of the decade."

I remember we filed out of the room feeling like 30 cents.

Whether I agree with Olga or not is beside the point, but the fact remains that "Sappho" was the success of the decade and also Miss Nethersole has continued, via the stage, to present to the public her views on women, and modern social conditions, with telling effect.

In "Sappho" she sought to bring out the idea that one mistake should not be fatal. That just as a man may steal once and become honest, a woman may fall, and yet become worthy of high place in the world.

Only recently Mrs. Fiske had a play along similar lines.

In speaking of her point of view she said, some years after people had grown used to the Nethersole brand of play:

"The critics, the police—well, they talked, but what did that matter? Why, they even had me arrested. But then it was because they were narrow in those days. They believed there were only two kinds of women in the world, good and bad, and that a single offense put a woman forever in the hopeless class.

"But I kept on—showing the play with its great moral, depicting life as it was, and now the people understand. They have become broad in their sympathy."

Just at present she is all agog over suffrage. Not of the militant variety, though she is a friend of Mrs. Pankhurst, but rather as a persuader, stands Miss Nethersole, and through suffrage for women she sees the carrying out of a number of social reforms in England, which is her home.

"Suffrage will mean better social legislation," declares Miss Nethersole. "That is why I am so anxious to get the ballot—that I may help remedy the condition of the unfortunates. I have been interested in such work since I was a child. It was because of my mother, who was on the Visiting Committee of one of the English workhouses. She took me with her on her trips and pointed out the needs of the work. I have a wonderful mother, and it is to her that I owe my success in many things."

The play, "The Writing on the Wall," in which Miss Nethersole appeared four years ago, was written at her request, she says, to remedy housing conditions in a certain tenement block in New York.

"The block was owned by a church corporation," she said, "and I was personally requested by the bishop to stop the publicity of the affair, but I refused, and now conditions in that block have been changed."

Forthcoming.

MUSICAL NOTES AND COMMENT.

TWO MISCHA ELMAN VIOLIN RECITALS THIS WEEK.

Ellis Club Third Concert Tomorrow—Child Play at Little Theater. G.A.R. Ladies' Concert at Gamut Club—Twenty-first Cincinnati May Musical Festival.

BY HECTOR ALLIOT.

Since it is intended to hold in this city, next season, a musical festival of vast proportions, it may be of interest to learn what Cincinnati is about to undertake in the same direction.

For almost half a century the Cincinnati May music festival has occupied the attention of music lovers as the foremost event of its kind in this country, which ranks also with the greatest in Europe.

From May 5 to 9 the twenty-first biennial festival will be held in the Music Hall of Cincinnati.

The first one was held in 1873 as a logical sequence of the popular saengerfest which had been given the year before.

The success of the enterprise, under the direction of Theodore Thomas, was such that a committee of citizens, on the closing night, presented a petition calling for another to be held at an early date.

This occurred in 1875, the Festival Association was then formed and the event assured as a permanent musical feature.

Thanks to the liberality of Reuben R. Springer and others, the building of Music Hall was decided upon, three years elapsing until the next festival which opened the imposing monument. Since 1878 Music Hall has been used for every biennial festival.

The Chorus.

The May festival chorus is one of the greatest choral bodies in the world. Throughout the entire history of the festivals it has been their backbone. It is a trained body of singers capable of worthily presenting the greatest masterpieces. It is under the general direction of Dr. Ernst Kunwald, assisted by Alfred Hartzell, who has had experience as chorus master of the festival since 1908. It numbers 350 selected voices.

Children's Chorus.

One of the most brilliant features of the festivals is the children's chorus. In very few cities are children better trained and sing more pleasingly than in Cincinnati. They have constituted one of the leading attractions of the last festivals. They will take part in no less than four of the six programmes. On Tuesday night, May 5, a choir of boys will assist in the "Damnation of Faust." On Wednesday evening the B minor mass of Bach will bring out 100 girls, who will sing the second soprano part, leaving the regular soprano choir of the big chorus undivided. This is the most daring undertaking ever attempted for children. But the mass rehearsals which have already been held of the chorus and orchestra, demonstrate the capabilities of these children, who sing the difficult music with remarkable security and brilliance. It will give a color to the B minor mass which no other performance of it has ever brought out. The children will also sing at both the Thursday and Saturday matinee concerts, in the latter creating the part of the Angelic Choir of the third symphony of Mahler, which is given its premiere American performance on that day.

The Orchestra.

The Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra has made great forward strikes during the past five years. The fact that both the orchestra and chorus are under Dr. Kunwald's leadership affords unusual opportunities for rehearsals and perfection of details.

Dr. Kunwald, who is to direct his first May festival this year, is a conductor of extensive experience and ability. He came to Cincinnati in 1912 from the Philharmonic Orchestra in Berlin to assume the leadership of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra.

The Soloists.

The soloists will be Alma Gluck, Florence Hinkle, Mme. Schumann-Heink, Margaret Keyes, Evan Williams, Daniel Beddoe, Pasquale Amato, Henri Scott and Douglas Powell. "The Damnation of Faust," of Berlioz, will be the opening programme, Tuesday, May 5. On Wednesday night, May 6, the Bach B minor mass will be sung. Thursday there will be a matinee orchestral programme with Amato as soloist and the children's chorus. Friday evening the Verdi "Requiem" will be given. On Saturday, May 9, the festival will close with two performances. At the matinee Schumann-Heink will be the soloist and the children's choir will sing in the Mahler symphony, and in the evening Alma Gluck will be the soloist and the closing number will be the Ninth Symphony of Beethoven.

Material Side.

From long experience, the committee in charge has learned the financial phases presented by the production of the festivals. From successful years a substantial reserve has been obtained. The choice of seats for subscribers to season tickets and box holders is settled through a spirited auction sale. It has been found best to offer the tickets for sale as follows: Season ticket, including reserved seat for all the concerts, $15; tickets for each performance detachable and transferable; single concert, including reserved seat in parquette or dress circle, $2.50; single concert (reserved seat, balcony,) $1.50, based on the total capacity of Music Hall, which can accommodate a third more than our Shrine Auditorium.

Mischa Elman Concerts.

On next Tuesday evening Mischa Elman will conclude here his fifth American tour. The brilliant Russian violinist will appear on the evening of April 28 and also in matinee on May 2.

No soloist on the concert stage has received more engagements with principal orchestras than Elman, nor has any violinist surpassed his number of yearly appearances as recital artist in every country.

Great deal has been written about the young virtuoso, whose life is centered on his violin playing and very little else.

From an eyewitness the following story has been secured, showing that the young genius possessed from his earliest childhood a predilection for violin playing:

"At the age of 5 he played for a select audience at Stalnoje, a town in Kiev, the occasion being a sort of private concert arranged by a lady of nobility.

"A friend who was one of the fortunate persons present tells me that he will never forget the impression which Elman the child made upon his hearers. He was led into the living-room by his father, a schoolmaster. I can see the little figure even now, walking slowly. Elman's big eyes were widely open in a sort of surprise and in one chubby fist he clutched a miniature violin. His father carried the bow.

"We all applauded involuntarily and Mischa bowed very seriously. Elman senior seated himself at the piano and his small son took up his place at his parent's elbow. Presently the recital began. The boy had no knowledge of musical notation and the pieces he played, taught by his father, were of semi-popular nature. Nevertheless his playing held us.

"After it was over we sat silent, so great an impression had his genius made. Directly the lad became a pupil of Fiedelmann of the Imperial Music School of Odessa."

In 1903, when 11 years of age, he was invited to study with Leopold Auer of the Royal School of St. Petersburg. At 13 he appeared with extraordinary success in London, and from that time on we know him. His programmes for this city are varied and interesting and are given in detail below:

Sonata, D Major, Op. 12, No. 1, Allegro con brio, Tema con variazioni, Andante con moto, Rondo, Allegro (Beethoven;) Concerto, Op. 28, Allegro moderato, Tempo, poco sostenuto, Air, Andante, Allegretto (Goldmark;) Sonata, E Major, Adagio cantabile, Allegro, Largo, Allegro non troppo (Handel;) "Nocturne" (Chopin-Auer,) "Vogel als Prophet" (Schumann-Auer,) "Gavotte" (Gretry-Franko,) Polonaise, A Major (Wieniawski.)

For Saturday, May 2, matinee: Sonata No. 10, Allegro moderato, Andantino sostenuto et cantabile, Rondo (Mozart;) Concerto, B Minor, Op. 61, Allegro non troppo, Andantino quasi allegretto, Molto moderato maestoso (Saint-Saens;) Faust Fantasie (Wienlawski;) "Serenade melancolique" (Tschaikowsky,) Hungarian Dance, No. 7 (Brahms-Joachim.) "Aubade Provencale" (Couperin-Kreisler,) "Etude Caprice" (Paganini-Auer.)

Ellis Club Third Concert.

Tomorrow evening the Ellis Club will give its third concert of the season.

The choral numbers are of unusual importance and have been rehearsed with zeal for several weeks at Symphony Hall.

Miss Grace James, soprano, and Olga Steeb, pianiste, will be the two soloists of the occasion.

The concert will begin promptly at 8:15 p.m. at the Auditorium.

Child Play at Little Theater.

The first of the performances in the children's theater movement will be given on Tuesday next, April 28, at the Little Theater, South Figueroa street near Pico. The premiere production will be "Wan o' the Wood," a fantasy of fairyland written by Florence Willard of Pasadena.

If Frank C. Egan's new policy of the Little Theater is a success child plays at the rate of at least one every month will continue to be produced. It is also planned to bring prominent portrayers of child characters from the East to head the children's theater cast.

"Wan o' the Wood," the opening play, proved an artistic success on the occasion of its first presentation here by the Egan players two years ago, and there is every indication that it will repeat this success during its engagement at the Little Theater. The play tells a pretty fairy story, grips with human-heart interest and is beautiful as to scenery, the settings being laid in the Sylvan beauty spot—the Arroyo Seco, near South Pasadena.

The following are the principals of the three casts that will present the play: Wan, Helen Eddy, Curtyne Englar and Deborah Lustig; Dan, Helene Campbell, Consuello Henley and Yvette Mitchell; Will, Mary Grace Cleveland, Gladys James and Ursula Cheshire; Tiema, Marcia Cleveland, Lillian Wade and Mona Mullin; Queen, May Courtright, Leola Son and Una Fleming; bears, Frank Goldenson, Lucien Littlefield and Pablo Ferrando.

G.A.R. Ladies' Concert and Ball.

A concert and ball has been arranged by Union Circle No. 19, Ladies of the G.A.R., to take place on Tuesday night, April 28, at the Gamut Club. The proceeds are to be devoted to general relief work and perpetual care of their graves at Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

A pleasing and varied programme has been promised.

Miss Marie Davenport will be seen in several dancing numbers, Clayton C. Campbell, the well-known baritone, will sing, and Pearl Stanley Keller will appear in child impersonations. These artists have cheerfully offered their services for the benefit of the worthy undertaking.

People's Chorus Concert.

Under the direction of Hans. S. Linne, the People's Chorus will give, on the evening of May 21, Saint-Saens "Samson and Delilah." The chorus has been rehearsing for the last three months and is now thoroughly trained. Mr. Linne has increased the chorus to 250 mixed voices, now practising twice a week to give a creditable rendition of the grand opera in concert form.

Mrs. Minnie Hance will sing Delilah, John Stockman, Samson, Fred McPherson, the High Priest, E. Burns, Abimelech. The People's Orchestra of thirty-five musicians, under the baton of Mr. Linne, will accompany.

Y.W.C.A. Song Recital.

In a series of song recitals given by the pupils of Mrs. Anna Yaw Thorpe at the Y.W.C.A. auditorium, Miss Minnie Albasini was heard last Tuesday in selections from McDowell, Saint-Saens, Gounod, Grace Freeby, Homer and Lang.

Calve Traveling School.

Emma Calve has permanently retired from the stage. The famous Carmen has reached "the time we should all know—the time to retire and also the time when one should no longer be photographed."

Madame has decided to become a teacher of singing, but one on a different plan of operation than all others. She will not have any headquarters, but will take her pupils to Milan, London, Paris and Berlin in turn, to make them acquainted with the methods of singing in each capital.

In the summer, she will hold her school in her chateau de Cabriere in the Cevennes Mountains, assisted by two teachers as coaches for her American pupils—as she has expressed a decided preference for young women of talent coming from this side of the Atlantic.

Half Million Choir School.

Through the munificent gift of $500,000 made to the Church of St. John the Divine, in New York City, the choir school becomes the best endowed choral training institution in the country.

As a thanks offering for the pleasure and benefit he had derived from a long association with the choir, in his youth, Frederick G. Bourne, former president of the Singer Manufacturing Company, and a member of the church, endowed the choir school on Easter Sunday.

Rt. Rev. Potter founded the choir in 1901; thanks to the liberality of Mrs. J. Barrett Bloodgett, it was moved to a new building, the gift of that lady. Forty resident and twenty day students will be amply provided for with a complete equipment through the generosity of Mr. Bourne.

A New Wunderkind.

Mischa Levitzky, the Russian-American pianist, has been called in Berlin this season the "Young American Wunderkind."

He is only 15 years old and yet played with remarkable ability Beethoven's Waldstein Sonata and Schumann's G. Minor Sonata. It is said that the young artist is possessed of unusual technical ability, an exceptional range and sterling quality of interpretation, a rare combination of gifts in one of so youthful years.

His first teacher was Von Dohnanyi. At 7 he entered the Royal Conservatory of Warsaw. His family came to New York, where he continued his studies under Stojowski and became the favorite pupil of the Institute of Musical Arts.

In 1912 he went to Berlin and entered the Hochschule. His recent concert at Antwerp was his debut and he was warmly received, repeating his success in Berlin.

When Col. Goethals became Governor of Panama he allowed no ceremony to mark the occasion. Early in the morning he issued his last circular as chairman of the Isthmian Canal Commission and his circulars as Governor, promulgating the establishment of a permanent form of government in the zone. One of the circulars informed all the employees of the canal that they had been taken over under the new organization, and that their wages would not be changed. In the others Col. Goethals outlined the work of the new departments. A further circular contained the list of appointments.

The world's record for eating buckwheat cakes is believed to have been established at Jefferson, near Washington, Pa., when John Shriber met and defeated Albert Fowler in a contest to determine who could put away the most. Shriber downed thirty-three cakes, averaging eight inches in diameter. Fowler stopped at the twenty-fourth cake.

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THE HELPING HAND.

"How far that little candle throws his beams!
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Dr. Louis A. Duhring, professor of dermatology in the University of Pennsylvania, died a few months ago, leaving a will that gave the residue of his estate to the university. Recent estimates of the securities belonging to the estate, the executor says, indicates that the amount that will come to the university will be the largest gift it has ever received—in the neighborhood of $1,000,000.

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Princeton University is to have a stadium that will seat 41,000 persons. It will be built by Edgar Palmer, class of '03, at a cost of $300,000 and will be named in honor of his father, the late Stephen S. Palmer, for many years a trustee of the university, and who himself gave the institution the Palmer Physical Laboratory, one of the finest buildings of its kind in the country.

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Wesley Hospital, Chicago, was founded by William Deering. Now his son, James Deering, recently deceased, leaves to the institution a gift of $1,000,000, to be used in establishing clinics to furnish medical aid to the poor. Mr. Deering stipulated that the income from the gift should be used exclusively in the care of charity patients.

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Twenty-one employees of the late George W. Millar of New York, share in about $70,000 under the will of Mrs. Julia A. Millar, his widow. A number of specific bequests were made in her will, which was written in 1910, and the balance of the estate was to go to her husband, unless he should die first, in which event his bequest was to go to his employees. Mr. Miller died one week in advance of his wife.

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A gift of $500,000 for the endowment of the choir school of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine from Frederick G. Bourne, a financier and yachtsman, was announced by Dean Grosvenor at the close of the Easter services. The gift was presented on the condition that Mr. Bourne be elected a member of the choir. He was elected unanimously. A letter was read by Dean Grosvenor from Mr. Bourne in which he said that he had sung in other choirs since he was 14 years old.

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The shooting to death of Detective Joseph Guarnieri of New York, while making an arrest, and whose wife and three children were left in financial difficulties, has resulted in the establishment of a fund for the immediate relief of those dependent upon policemen killed or injured in the performance of their duty. The first contribution was $1000 from Dock Commissioner R. A. C. Smith, who proposed that the fund be known as the Honor Legion Fund, and that it be administered by a board of trustees.

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Benjamin N. and James S. Duke of New York recently gave $25,000 to the Memorial Methodist Church of Durham, N. C., and previously have contributed more than $150,000 to the church, the costliest Methodist structure in North Carolina. The congregation designed the church as a memorial to their father, Washington Duke, but the sons pay for it. Their recent gift is conditioned on the congregation raising $7000.

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A contribution of $50,000 from Mrs. E. H. Harriman to the endowment fund of Barnard College, New York, has been announced by the college. Mrs. Harriman's daughter, Mrs. Charles Carey Rumsey, is a graduate of Barnard and a member of its board of trustees.

OVER THE SEA.

William Hake, England's oldest barrister, celebrated his 103rd birthday quietly at Brighton recently. He partook of a dinner consisting of roast chicken, baked potatoes, cauliflower and plum pudding.

Orester Zamor, the new head of Hayti, chosen by Congress, is a man of affairs, and has had considerable experience in affairs of the republic. He is a former Governor of the northern department of the island, and in 1911 occupied the office of Minister of War.

Baron Ferdinand de Turckheim, a French-Alsatian exile since the Prussian conquest, died recently in his 104th year. He was an intimate friend of Chopin and celebrated his 103rd birthday on March 31, by playing some manuscript pieces presented to him by the composer.

A Berlin (Germany) notary named Sauter, who died recently, made a hobby of collecting fine boots and shoes. At the time of his death he had a museum of more than 5000 pairs, all catalogued and so strictly guarded that not even his wife was allowed to enter the room where he kept the collection.

Sir William Willcocks, who designed the Assuan dam on the River Nile, has arrived in New York on board the steamer Celtic. Sir William has been in India recently working to restore the channels of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers, in order to reclaim vast areas of territory.

The Crown Prince of Japan, who, it is reported, will be sent to Oxford in the autumn, belongs to the oldest reigning house in existence. Native historians say that his ancestors can be traced back to 60 B.C. Prof. Basil Ball Chamberlain thinks that, while this is going about a thousand years too far back, there is no doubt that the Japanese imperial family stands forth proudly as the oldest in the world. We know positively that it has reigned ever since the dawn of history in Japan, and that even then it was considered of immemorial age.

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Dramatic Reviews.

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peer of producers, and this picture is said to be his masterpiece.

In addition to these two headliners, several single reels will be shown, and the news of the week chronicled in the Selig and Pathe weeklies.

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Miller's.

Everybody is laughing at "Goodness Gracious," the three-reel comedy which is being offered to Los Angeles at Miller's Theater for the last times today and tonight. And no wonder, for it certainly has exceeded the expectations of those who have been reading about the phenomenal run it enjoyed at the Vitagraph Theater in New York City, where it broke the world's record for consecutive performances of a photoplay, being shown to 270 capacity houses at 270 performances, and at dollar prices, too.

In addition to this great big hit there is a dramatic offering in three parts entitled "The Impersonator," which deserves special mention as it is an extraordinarily good offering and is from the novel of similar title by Mary Imlay Taylor. Monday's bill includes the initial showing of the third installment of that fascinating serial, "The Perils of Pauline," which continues to get more exciting every issue, and is shown to splendid advantage on the mirror screen.

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Tally's Broadway.

Daniel Frohman presents at Tally's Broadway for one week beginning tomorrow, the distinguished American actor, William Farnum, in a photoplay production of Charles Fredric Goss's well-known and popular novel, "The Redemption of David Corson." The story tells of a man's desperate struggle with himself and provides Mr. Farnum with a role superbly suited to his individuality. The spiritual appeal of the drama is difficult to suggest in words, and the inner conflict of David Corson is so humanly pathetic as to take a place in the hearts of all who behold it.

Mr. Strobridge and Mr. Demorest have selected an especially attractive musical programme for this week, and the picture will be accompanied by many pleasing numbers by both the great pipe organ and the orchestra.

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Arrow.

Universal moving pictures featuring such stars as J. Warren Kerrigan, Ford Sterling, Florence Lawrence, Universal, also, King Baggott, Leah Baird, etc., are booked for the Arrow beginning Monday. A two-reel feature is booked for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, "Old California" 101Bison, featuring Edwin August.

On this same programme are two comedies, "Willie and the Mouse," which is the essence of fanciful childhood, a child love story beautifully portrayed, and "Universal Ike" with Louise Glaum as the leading lady.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, "In the Shadow of the Mosque," a stirring two-reel drama, will be featured. It is a powerful drama of the East. "Powers, the Skeleton," comedy, and "The Mountain Law?" Rex, are also a the programme.

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"The Passing Show of 1913."

"The Passing Show of 1913," the big Winter Garden production, comes to the Majestic Theater for a week's engagement commencing Monday night, May 4.

Eight mammoth scenic pictures are unbided to the eye during the course of the performance, the one showing a reproduction of the Capitol steps at Washington dwarfing into insignificance the marvelous spectacular pictures shown on the stage of Drury Lane, London.

In the cast are Conroy and Le Maire, Charles and Mollie King, Whiting and Burt, Artie Mehlinger, Mazie King, Laura Hamilton, Louise Bates, Ernest Hare, Corcoran and Lloyd, and others at the head of the singing and dancing contingent.

The array of femininity in the chorus numbers sixty. There are thirty songs in all, the most popular being "Ragging the Nursery Rhymes," "Good Old-Fashioned Cake Walk," "In Romance Land," "My Irish Romeo," "I'm Just a Little Bit Afraid of Broadway," "Whistling Cowboy Joe," "Fine Feathers," "German Cooking," "When I Want to Settle Down," "He's on the Boat" and "The Butterfly and the Rose."

IN THE LIMELIGHT.

Lieut.-Gov. O'Hara of Illinois has returned to Chicago from Bridgeport, Ct., where he and his wife worked in factories under assumed names. He worked in the shipping department of a corset factory for $4 a week and at the end of three days was told that a better man had been hired in his place and he was discharged. His wife worked in a knitting mill at $5 a week and held her job.

Dr. Charles A. Morse of Newmarket, N. H., is at one and the same time postmaster, judge of the District Court, moderator of town meetings, moderator of school meetings, chairman of the Board of Health, foreman of the hose company, water commissioner, pension examiner and representative in the Legislature.

Henry Clay Folger, Jr., is said to have one of the finest collections of Shakespeariana in the United States. He recently became the owner of the late Sir Edward Dowden's Shakespearean library, comprising some two thousand volumes. Book collecting is Mr. Folger's avocation; in the business world he is known as the president of the Standard Oil Company of New York.

THE UNCHLOROFORMED.

Eph Hodges of Martinsville, Ind., 94 years old, has voted the Republican ticket ever since the party has existed, and was a delegate to the recent Congressional convention in his district.

Rev. Dr. R. M. Rhodes of St. Louis, pastor of St. Mark's English Lutheran Church, has just celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday. He has been in the ministry fifty-two years.

James Seligman, senior member of the banking firm of J. & W. Seligman of New York, is 90 years old, and active enough to go to his office every morning, and alive with interest in many things of the past and present.

"Aunt" Mahala Ayer celebrated her one hundred and fourteenth birthday in Philadelphia last week. She attributes her age to never having allowed herself to worry or become discontented.

Grandma Sarah Todd of Walla Walla, Wash., has just celebrated her one hundred and fourth birthday. She dresses herself each morning and makes her own bed. She puts in her time during the day smoking and knitting. She does not smoke as much as formerly, as she has been told that if she would quit the weed she would live to a ripe old age.



In local theatricals.

HIGH COMEDY OF THE MINUTE.

George Middleton In His Three Act Play "Nowadays," Has Something As Fine and Large as "Milestones," With a Hearty Laugh at Modernity.

BY HENRY CHRISTEEN WARNACK.

THERE is a school of philosophy which bases all inference on the issue. It is not easy to comprehend, but one which constantly intrudes itself if one has once been brought under its conviction.

Its instruction begins with the assumption of a functional astrology starting with the first nebular ring thrown off by the sun. The issue is always the point of weakness, failure or neglect being presented as an adversity in order to give opportunity to the unit to increase its consistency.

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This sounds about as illuminating will let none of us either be satisfied or go to sleep on the job.

You must have noticed almost countless instances where a boy becomes the thing his father always wanted to be, or where a girl takes up a work for which her mother had thought herself adapted when she was a child. You do not have to step out of your immediate acquaintanceship to recall some business man who always thought he could have painted if he had had a chance and whose son has surprised the community by becoming an artist.

From the Sunday room of the Times I can look out and see the business block of a man who as a youth was full of unexpressed artistic possibilities and yearnings. He has three sons, one a critic and novelist, one a promising painter in Paris, and the other a writer of songs and much good music. Are not his sons the issue?

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How many silent parents we all know whose lot is cast with the commonplace, but who yearned in their youth for the larger opportunity and whose children have entered public life with zest and fine ability!

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Some such theory seems to have been in the mind of George Middleton in writing his stunning three-act play called "Nowadays." He describes it as a contemporaneous comedy, but it possesses the qualities of a rarely fine drama. I find it not unlike "Milestones," which was perhaps the daintiest drama of the year.

I cannot always see from one of these delightful printed plays designed entirely for reading how it would appear upon the stage, since dialogues and conversation read better than they act, but I am of the opinion that "Nowadays" is destined to brighten the stage next year as few plays have done in many years.

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Briefly, the story is that of a plumber who is past sixty, and who has amassed a comfortable fortune. He clings to business in his home town a tenaciously as he did when first his father took him into a junior partnership, and he imagines that he has a treasure and surprise for his son Sam when he offers him the same opening on a night before Christmas and the boy has come home from the city, where he is supposed to have been making an uphill struggle for three years.

In reality the boy has been wasting his time and his allowance. He wouldn't go to college or do anything else that required effort or character. He has secretly married little Betty Howe around the corner and has kept her in New York in a shamefully quiet way without even announcing their marriage or living openly with her. Betty is a weak, little thing who submits as long as her bills are paid and who knows perfectly well that the worthless young rascal no longer loves her if he ever did.

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The plumber has one daughter. Her name is Diana. Two years before the play begins she has gone to New York to study sculpture.

Her plumber father is outraged by the idea that a woman should care to be anything other than a dutiful daughter as a child and a faithful wife as a woman. The one heresy to him is to suggest that a woman's life has any other angles than housekeeping and child bearing. He has never contributed one cent to the child's New York experience and he is a subject for apoplexy when he learns on her Christmas home-coming that his wife has supported their daughter in New York by painting paper dolls, and finding a market for them through an artist that she knew long before their marriage when she was an art student saved from bitter povety by accepting a husband.

This suppression of all artistic expression has culminated in the daughter's fire of spirit. Diana explains her first conviction that she might create with a story of much drollery and sweetness. She had been left as a child for an afternoon in care of her father and when he busied himself with other affairs she went out into the garden. There she found a little dryland terrapin and moved to pity because he was so much

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MADAME ISE'BELL'S BEAUTY LESSON.

LESSON II.

Beauty Hygiene for Hot Days.

Excessive heat has always been a great destroyer of beauty. Women who live in tropical countries, especially those who were born further north, fade young, and even in the temperate climate it is wise for every woman and every young girl to give her complexion and scalp especial care during the summer months. The bad effects of the hot weather can be neutralized and overcome by a little care and understanding of the subject.

The agents for harm in the summer are perspiration, sun and dust, and injudicious eating and drinking. The evil effects of excessive perspiration are not commonly understood, and we will therefore take up this subject first.

PERSPIRATION HEALTH FACTOR.

Sweat, which exists only in the human race and in a few of the higher animals, such as the stag and the horse, is an important function of the skin, found always in health and necessary for purposes of elimination and for cooling the body. People who perspire freely naturally withstand the ill effects of extreme heat better than those who do not, and, therefore, perspiration in a moderate amount is advisable.

The liquid eliminated by the sweat glands is colorless, salty to the taste, and contains in addition to water certain mineral and organic matter rejected by the body. In health it has an alkaline reaction, but this turns acid by reason of decomposition, and it is this acidity that causes harm, both to the face and the scalp, where the sweat glands are particularly large and numerous.

SCALP TREATMENT.

Dandruff is more prevalent in hot wealth than in cold, and, neglected, it is the cause of itching and irritation, and may turn into eczema, a very troublesome and obstinate scalp affliction. Almost every woman has had reason to remark how prone the hair is to fall at the close of the summer. This is not necessarily an alarming symptom, for the life of a hair is but from five to seven years, and falling hair therefore is a natural process. But beyond a certain point it indicates serious trouble, and, when this occurs in the autumn, it can generally be traced back to the hot weather and the ill effects of the acid perspiration on the scalp. Let us see how this can be prevented.

First, the scalp much be kept absolutely clean and free from dandruff. During the very hot weather, if the scalp perspires very much, once a week is not too often to shampoo the hair, if this is properly done and the soap or shampoo mixture thoroughly rinsed from the hair and scalp.

If frequent shampoos are not practical, the scalp can be kept clean by a daily friction with alcohol or toilet water. Keep perspiration away by keeping the scalp cool and well ventilated. Brush and comb the hair twice a day, and, as often as possible, let it hang loose. At night do not confine it in braids, but arrange it loosely under a thin boudoir cap.

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FOR WOMEN AND MEN.

Facts, Features and Fancies.

BY OLIVE GRAY.

THE GOOD HOUSEKEEPER'S HINT: She says she has discovered that she can acquire more culture by using a few moments each day for the study of some subject than by studying many hours on one day and neglecting the matter the next. In the midst of her busy round of housework she has nearly learned a language and has done it thus. Perseverance and regularity have conquered, where ample time and half-way application might fail.

"In the cry for newness, there is vast need of never forgetting the old fundamental things, the things that count in the long and happy life," says a well-known writer upon modern social themes.

When all is said and when we have erected a new code of moralities, we shall at last be thrown back upon the old qualities of right, if we would have high character. Emancipation for all, emancipation of the spirit and of the mind, but not the emancipation which shall wipe out all the old standards of right for those whose lives impinge upon ours. The new individualism is apt to foster in the child the idea that his impulses, his whims, even, are paramount over the comfort of all around him. What is apt to be the outgrowth of such tendencies? Not the simple justice which cannot be improved upon, that justice which cleaves in a straight line between person and person, giving to each his ample breathing space and permitting his full growth, but an outspreading of unwholesome growth which, allowed to remain unpruned, unrestrained, becomes an ugly burden to itself and an offense to others.

There is the same danger in the new militancy. Women should have all liberty, but it would be too bad if, in achieving it, they should trample out of existence the chivalry of men, should obliterate that delightful quality which has for several ages acted as a stimulus in social intercourse. This delicate consideration which is to the intermingled life of men and women as the atmosphere to the painted canvas, should be retained at all hazards. Without it, life would be bald and glaring, hard and unyielding. In our craze for the new, let us beware of losing the best which belongs to the old.

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"D'light."

This is its name and this is its quality as well. It is a new electric reading lamp of so alluring a type that, if one possessed it, one would be tempted to read incessantly; for you see, you may place this newly devised reading lamp at any spot and at any wanted angle. By means of a vacuum button on the back of the little arc, you may stick up this lamp on the wall beside the head of your bed. Or, by means of a circular hanger you may attach it to your bedpost. Or, if you have a favorite chair you may place this wonderful light directly at your back, adhering it to the chair back. First you place the burner in any electric socket and then pull out the cord, for all the world as though it were a tape measure, within a disc. Then after you have "vacuumed" it onto whatever place you select, you may adjust the convenient bulb to any angle, and may place the shade, which is so arranged as to fit any size of bulb, at whatever degree suits best your vision. If you are one of those who give great care to your evening toilet, you may "stick" your delightful "D'light" right on the surface of your mirror, where you can see beyond peradventure, whether the powder is well distributed along the bridge of your nose, and whether the lip stick has been impartial in its favor.

The claim is made, also, that this new lamp cuts down the electric bills, and it doubtless does, since it concentrates the light in needed places.

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"Eggsactly So."

A clever little device seen at that demonstration fair in the basement of one of the big stores is an aluminum egg-dip.

Into a small castor-like affair of aluminum you put the eggs which are to be boiled. This you immerse in the water, and when the "soft-boiled instant" arrives, you simply raise the entire "setting" by means of the cool and collected handle of the boiling castor and out come all the eggs at once! No fishing around with a spoon or ladle for one egg at a time, while the others are fast passing the wished-for state, but out they all come at once, all equally palatable.

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A "Never Shake."

An ironing board which never shakes while you are ironing is a novelty at the Demonstration Fair, in that big store. This new board is so firmly braced, and that without awkwardness, that it "wabbles" no more than would a table of cement. It has also a detachable, but firmly attached for use, sleeve board, which is quite as novel as is the ironing board itself.

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Hand Vacuum.

Like a big sister to the usual carpet sweeper, and a little sister to the electric vacuum cleaner, is the new hand sweeper shown at the Demonstration Fair. It swops up dust and dirt as voraciously as does any vacuum cleaner, and it eats up ravelings as carefully as does the best of the carpet sweepers. It is svelt in form, compared with the usual vacuum, and yet somewhat obese compared with its light-weight relative, the old-fashioned carpet sweeper. Take it all around, you see, it is a several-kinds-in-one affair and a first aid to good housekeeping.

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Half Price.

All the girls are laying in supplies of Christmas gifts and gifts for other occasions from the half-price sale at that Broadway art shop where one always finds such novel and pretty things.

"I've actually cut in half the cost of a needed wedding gift!" exclaimed Evelyn, "and have more than half filled out my Christmas gift list, besides putting several little luxuries into "hope chest" and I feel that I have frugalized more genuinely than if I had put money in the bank."

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Fashions Glimpsed.

Yellow is the most fashionable color this season.

Circular flounces effectively trim tunics and skirts.

Charming in cut and color are the little moire wraps.

Smart street suits are made of pretty colored serge.

Lingerie made of pale tinted silk is coming into favor.

Frocks of all fabrics are trimmed with bead embroidery.

The hems of taffeta are frequently trimmed with a wide ruche.

The kimono sleeves and raglan sleeves are equally favored.

Summery frocks have their skirts bordered with narrow ruffles.

Paris suggests silver tulle ribbon in making the bride's bouquet.

The younger set will wear quaint and demure bonnet-shaped hats.

The tango costume still plays an important part in the wardrobe.

The green garnet of Siberia is among the latest settings for rings.

There are new French cotton crepes with delightful flower borders.

Some of the new neck chains are made of silver and copper combined.

Many frocks are trimmed with hand embroidery done in coarse silk.

Charming negligees are made of voile.

Fashion favors the ripple hips and yokes.

It is expected that many turbans will be worn.

Everything points toward full skirted coats.

Bathing suits are in tunic and peg top styles.

ACTIVE WOMEN.

Miss Julia Avery of Madison, Wis., is to supervise a suffrage farm at Rose Valley, Pa., where only women will be employed.

Dr. Annie S. Daniel has been doctoring the poor in New York City for thirty-five years.

Miss Annie Cannon, a member of the staff of Harvard University observatory, has been admitted to membership in the Royal Astronomical Society of England, a rare honor for a woman.

Mrs. George W. Covell of Omaha, an active suffragist, declared that she would bake bread or cake with any "anti" and that she would leave the conditions entirely to her opponent.

Miss Ethel Peters is teaching the women prisoners in New York to sew.

Miss Theodora Pope is known as the millionaire architect in New York City.

Miss Maude Wetmore, daughter of former Senator and Mrs. Wetmore of Rhode Island, and member of the smart set of Washington, New York and Newport, is one of a notable group of American women working with zeal for the welfare of humanity.

Miss Sophie I. Loeb, member of the New York State Commission of Widows' Pensions, is studying the subject in Europe.

Miss Helen Scott Hay, vice-president of the National League of Nursing Education, will become superintendent of the training school for nurses to be established at the Alexander Hospital in Sofia, Bulgaria. Miss Hay's appointment was recommended by the American Red Cross, of which she is an active member, in response to an appeal from Queen Eleonore of Bulgaria, who is herself a graduate nurse.

EDUCATORS.

The oldest instructor in point of service in the Washington and Jefferson faculty, Dr. Dunlap J. McAdam, one of the leading educators in Western Pennsylvania, will retire next June from active teaching. His resignation has been accepted by the board of trustees. Dr. McAdam has been a professor at Washington and Jefferson for forty-two years.

Announcement has been made at New Haven, Ct., of the resignation of William E. Hocking, professor of philosophy at Yale, to accept a chair of philosophy at Harvard. He is expected to take up his work there next year.

Prof. Durant Drake of Wesleyan University, Middletown, Ct., recommends the dropping of creeds in churches and full freedom of belief on the part of ministers and members. He affirms the church has repelled thousands and mistakenly charged heresy against those who have denied doctrines which are now "mere husks to the average Christian, retaining a vague halo of holiness, arousing a vague sense of reverence and allegiance, but almost meaningless in terms of life."

Rev. Dr. Francis L. Patton, ex-president of Princeton University and of Princeton Theological Seminary, is to live Bermuda, where his son, Prof. George S. Patton, becomes inspector of schools July 1. The father was born there, and has always retained his English citizenship.

Robert Kirkland Nabours, professor of zoology, and the experimental breeder of Kansas State Agricultural College, will go into the heart of Central Asia, accompanied by a guard of Cossacks, to study fur farming. Dr. Nabours will spend four months in Bokhara studying Karakule sheep, the production of Persian lamb, and krimmer fur in that country.

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Silk Poplins, Taffetas and Moires. Dozens of the newest French designs, all fashionable colors and black.

$33.00 Suits at...$22.00 $60.00 Suits at...$40.00
$39.50 Suits at...$26.00 $75.00 Suits at...$50.00
$50.00 Suits at...$33.00 $100.00 Suits at..$65.00
Misses' and women's sizes.

Waists & Blouses



Of the most exclusive and ultra fashionable types. Garments for dress or semi-dress occasions designed and executed by New York's highest authorities on waist fashions.

Beautiful specimens of chiffon, of Crepe de Chine, of lace, of nets, of plain and fancy tub silks and of various combinations of these fabrics. They are shown in all the season's best colors and white.

Prices throughout the entire line.

1-2 to 1-3 Less Than Regular

Charming Silk Dresses

The prettiest, daintiest, newest-looking gowns we've ever shown. There are lustrous chiffon taffetas in plain or changeable effects, little pin-head checks and hair lines and frocks of filmy chiffon printed in gorgeous or subdued colors, also a few of printed foulards. Wide ribbons, nets and dainty laces are prominent trimming materials.

Prices start at $19.50 and range on up to $75.00 with every in-between price, which in every case is

1-3 to 1-2 Less Than Usual

Sizes for both misses and women in each line.

Neckwear Novelties

Lily Collars of sheer organdy and chiffon, nets and shadow laces; some plain, others beautifully hand embroidered. Price range 65c to $2.75.

Vestees of neatly embroidered nets, shadow laces, organdies and lawns, dozens of not-before-seen styles. 75c to $3.

Collars and Sets of embroidered batiste in endless array—every price.

New Ruchings for all purposes, 25c to $2.00 yard.

Highest Grade Toilet Goods Made, 1-2 Price

We carry the highest class, the best and most favorably known toilet goods made.

Such names as Piver, Pinaud, Violet, Hudnut, Roger and Gallet are familiar to our shelves and show cases.

These special prices for Monday only.

$4.50 Extracts, including Fleur de Jasmin, Fleur de Cyclamen, etc., at, oz., **$2.25**

$1.75 Dralle Illusion, a concentrated oil in several odors oz. 88c

$2.00 Lily of the Valley (Muguet) at, oz.....**$1.00**

$2.50 Rosamine at, oz. **$1.25**

Concentre Powders in leather-cased Cut Glass Jars $3.50 quality at **$1.75**

Farnese Powder, Blanche or Rachel, regular $2.50 quality at **$1.25**

Satin Sachets, dainty, attractive conceits in violet, rose, lily and other odors. 75c values 38c

Late Paris Model Hats



This week we show copies and adaptations of some of the latest designs originated by Lewis, Camile, Talbot, Poiret and other French milliners, at prices within easy reach of all. These are not factory trimmed, they are the work of our best makers and trimmers; hats that measure up to the well-established Blackstone standard of quality and style.

Particular attention is directed to those smart, nifty creations at $7.50, $9.00, $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00.

At Non-Prohibitive Prices

French Hats at Half

This week we offer our entire collection of imported models and pattern Hats at Half Price.

Watch for the Millinery Offerings at the Month-End Clean-Up Wednesday and Thursday

Two New Lines of Wool Gaberdines and Poplins $2.50 Yd.

The advantage of these materials is that they are suitable alike for dresses or fancy suits. The weaves are the very newest, colors the most popular that fashion can suggest.

The Gaberdines are 56 inches wide; the Poplins of silk and wool are 40-inch. Each in the best of colors. $2.50 a yard.

Ask about our tailored-to-measure skirts at $3.50 above the cost of material.

Wanted White Goods

With the approaching graduation and confirmation events and the many social functions these white fabrics become more and more interesting to the younger generation.

Dimities 25c, 35c, 50c
Stripes, checks and cluster stripes for dresses, waists and frocks for the children. 25c to 50c.

Beautiful Batistes 40c to 85c
The ideal white goods for waists, fancy summer dresses or undermuslins. 45-inch, 40c to 85c.

Nainsooks 15c to 35c
Soft finished, free-from-dressing nainsook for babies' outfits or undermuslins. 15c to 35c a yard.

Sheer Voiles, 65c to $1.25
Especially pretty for party gowns. Perfect weave and finish, soft and easy to work upon. 42 to 45-inch, 65c to $1.25.

New Crepe Fashions
Dress and summer waist materials that call for no ironing; beautifully embroidered in either white or colors. Fashion's very latest weave. Every price from $1.25 to $1.75 a yard.

Modart Corsets

The Improved Front-Laced.

The most effective advertising the Modart Corset enjoys is the enthusiasm of its wearers.

The Modart of today is an achievement of more than passing importance. The wide hip section, the highly carbonized yet light weight boning, the soft topped clasps, the flat panel back preventing spine pressure, the easy lines over the diaphragm—all are features of the 1914 models.

We are Los Angeles agents for Modart. $3.50 and up.

Art Needlework Special

Make a note of this special Monday item from the Art Needlework Section—it's worth while.

Finished Sets for luncheon or breakfast tables, made of pure linen heavily embroidered in white, and finished with scalloped edge.

Set comprises center and 12 doilies—13 pieces for $3.25.

Another line of the same but embroidered in French and Eyelet designs, 13 pieces $3.75.

Quality Linens at Popular Prices

Table Damask $1.35—Monday we offer what we claim to be the best table damask at the price, we have ever shown. It has all the ear marks of the best, yet the price is moderate in the extreme.

Full bleached Irish damask, 72-inch, double satin finish. A full line of new and really beautiful designs. $1.35 yard.

Dinner Sets $11.00—Sets of pure Irish linen—an extra fine quality, full bleached, all the newer and prettier round designs with plain centers. Cloth 2x2½ yards and 24-inch Napkins. Set complete, $11.00.

Good Sheets 70c—These sheets are particularly good for hotels and apartment-houses. They are torn 81x90 inches and finished with three and one-inch hems. Special, 70c.

News of Savings From the Home Furnishing Section

The following items taken from our home furnishing section are worthy your closest investigation—and your earliest, as the prices we name are for this one day's sale, Monday.

Grass Rugs, $6.95—The usual price of these 9x12 and 8x10 Rugs is $10.00. The borders are stenciled in greens, browns and grays. Ideal for summer use.

Wool and Fiber Rugs $7.65—Handsome and wearable Rugs of wool and fiber mixture; usual $12.50 and $13.50 values. plain or figured greens and browns. 8.3x10.6 or 9x12 sizes.

Solid Brass Beds $9.75—A heavy, strongly built solid brass bed that sells ordinarily at $15.00. It has 2-inch posts and 3-inch top mounts. Full or ¾ size.

Felt Mattresses $5.00—Thirty-pound mattresses of pure white cotton felt in fine art ticking with imperial roll edge—a regular $6.50 value for $5.00.

Wire Mattresses $5.00—Best grade woven wire spring mattress supported by heavy steel cables; ¾ or full size, usual $6.50 quality—$5.00.

Lace Curtains $1.75—A number of odd lots and broken lines embracing from one to a dozen pairs of a kind, some of which formerly sold for as much as $4.00 a pair. French and cable nets, scrim, swiss, tambour, filet and novelty laces. Choice of the lot Monday $1.75 pair.

Onyx Silk Hosiery With the Pointex Heel $1.15

The new Pointex heel adds a hundred per cent. to the appearance of the stocking, and adds to the wear, too. The reinforcement instead of being cut off square at the upper part tapers gracefully to a point giving the ankle a trim, shapely effect.

Pure Silk Pointex with lisle top, heel, toe and sole; medium weight, black only, $1.15.

Silk Lisle Pointex in white, black and almost every fashionable color, 50c.

Washable Gloves for Summer

Cheverette, the new washable, suede finished kid glove is suitable alike for dress or street wear. 12-button length, $3.50; 2-clasp, $2.50.

Buxkin," another ideal leather glove for summer wear. Wash them in soap and water. 16-button length, $3.50; 2-clasp, $1.75.

Kayser's Silk Gloves of every kind, 50c to $3.50.

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um cleaner, and it eats up ravelings as carefully as does the best of brush carpet sweepers. It is svelt in form, compared with the usual vacuum, and yet somewhat obese compared with its light-weight relative, the old-fashioned carpet sweeper. Take it all around, you see, it is a several-kinds-in-one affair and a first aid to good housekeeping.

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Half Price.

All the girls are laying in supplies of Christmas gifts and gifts for other occasions from the half-price sale at that Broadway art shop where one always finds such novel and pretty things.

"I've actually cut in half the cost of a needed wedding gift!" exclaimed Evelyn, "and have more than half filled out my Christmas gift list, besides putting several little luxuries into "hope chest" and I feel that I have frugalized more genuinely than if I had put money in the bank."

You see, this is a REAL half-price sale; not one of those where they "march the prices up and march them down again."

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Old Lavender Jars.

Perfectly adorable are those old lavender jars of china, lavender-decorated and lavender-filled!

They are shaped somewhat on the order of the rose jars which were a one-time favorite, and through the elongated apertures in the removable tops one inhales the delicious fragrance of old lavender. They are but a few cents each, and—oh! what lovely favors they would make!

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Fashions Glimpsed.

Yellow is the most fashionable color this season.

Circular flounces effectively trim tunics and skirts.

Charming in cut and color are the little moire wraps.

Smart street suits are made of pretty colored serge.

Lingerie made of pale tinted silk is coming into favor.

Frocks of all fabrics are trimmed with bead embroidery.

The hems of taffeta are frequently trimmed with a wide ruche.

The kimono sleeves and narrow sleeves are equally favored.

Summery frocks have their skirts bordered with narrow ruffles.

Paris suggests silver tulle ribbon in making the bride's bouquet.

The younger set will wear quaint and demure bonnet-shaped hats.

The tango costume still plays an important part in the wardrobe.

The green garnet of Siberia is among the latest settings for rings.

There are new French cotton crepes with delightful flower borders.

Some of the new neck chains are made of silver and copper combined.

Many frocks are trimmed with hand embroidery done in coarse silks.

Charming negligees are made of voile.

Fashion favors the ripple hips and yokes.

It is expected that many turbans will be worn.

Everything points toward full-skirted coats.

Bathing suits are in tunic and peg-top styles.

ACTIVE WOMEN.

Miss Julia Avery of Madison, Wis., is to supervise a suffrage farm at Rose Valley, Pa., where only women will be employed.

Dr. Annie S. Daniel has been doctoring the poor in New York City for thirty-five years.

Miss Annie Cannon, a member of the staff of Harvard University observatory, has been admitted to membership in the Royal Astronomical Society of England, a rare honor for a woman.

Mrs. George W. Covell of Omaha, an active suffragist, declared that she would bake bread or cake with any "anti" and that she would leave the conditions entirely to her opponent.

Miss Ethel Peters is teaching the women prisoners in New York to sew.

Miss Theodore Pope is known as the millionaire architect in New York City.

Miss Maude Wetmore, daughter of former Senator and Mrs. Wetmore of Rhode Island, and member of the smart set of Washington, New York and Newport, is one of a notable group of American women working with zeal for the welfare of humanity.

Miss Sophie I. Loeb, member of the New York State Commission on Widows' Pensions, is studying the subject in Europe.

Miss Helen Scott Hay, vice-president of the National League of Nursing Education, will become superintendent of the training school for nurses to be established at the Alexander Hospital in Sofia, Bulgaria. Miss Hay's appointment was recommended by the American Red Cross, of which she is an active member, in response to an appeal from Queen Eleonore of Bulgaria, who is herself a graduate nurse.

EDUCATORS.

The oldest instructor in point of service in the Washington and Jefferson faculty, Dr. Dunlap J. McAdam, one of the leading educators in Western Pennsylvania, will retire next June from active teaching. His resignation has been accepted by the board of trustees. Dr. McAdam has been a professor at Washington and Jefferson for forty-two years.

Announcement has been made at New Haven, Ct., of the resignation of William E. Hocking, professor of philosophy at Yale, to accept a chair of philosophy at Harvard. He is expected to take up his work there next year.

Prof. Durant Drake of Wesleyan University, Middletown, Ct., recommends the dropping of creeds by churches and full freedom of belief on the part of ministers and members. He affirms the church has repelled thousands and mistakenly charged heresy against those who have denied doctrines which are now "mere husks to the average Christian, retaining a vague halo of holiness, arousing a vague sense of reverence and allegiance, but almost meaningless in terms of life."

Rev. Dr. Francis L. Patton, ex-president of Princeton University and of Princeton Theological Seminary, is to live Bermuda, where his son, Prof. George S. Patton, becomes inspector of schools July 1. The father was born there, and has always retained his English citizenship.

Robert Kirkland Nabours, professor of zoology, and the experimental breeder of Kansas State Agricultural College, will go into the heart of Central Asia, accompanied by a guard of Cossacks, to study fur farming. Dr. Nabours will spend four months in Bokhara studying Karakule sheep, the production of Persian lamb, and krimmer fur in that country.

ART AND ARTISTS.

BY ANTONY ANDERSON.

Ex Tenebra.

The winds have showered their rains upon the sod,
The flowers and trees have murmured as with lips.
The very silence has appealed to God
In man's behalf, thodgh smitten by His rod.
Would seem as if the blight of some eclipse
Had dulled the skies—as if, on mountain tips,
The winds of heaven had spurned the life serene.
And clouds were foundering like benighted ships.
But what is this, exultant, unforeseen,
Which cleaves the dark? A fearful, burning thing!
Is it the moon? Or Saturn's scarlet ring
Hurled into space? It is the tempest-sun!
It is the advent of the Phoeban king
Which tells the valleys that the storm is done!

—[ERIC MACKAY.

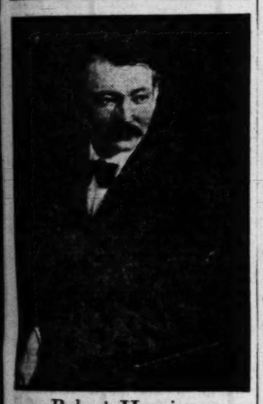
Henri in the Southwest.

Robert Henri of New York, famous the world over as a brilliant painter, a modern of the moderns, but perhaps even more widely known as a forceful and inspiring teacher of painting, is coming to Southern California.

According to a letter just received by Henry Lovins of Hollywood, a former pupil, the great man will reach Los Angeles early in May, and will be accompanied by his wife, said to be one of the most beautiful women in New York. Henri will remain in California all through the summer, studying and painting our "types," and will probably go as far south as the Mexican border. His fame rests mainly on his figure painting, though he does not disdain landscapes.

Henry Lovins, whose admiration for his instructor, both as man and artist, becomes enthusiastic to the point of eloquence when he speaks of him, was instrumental in bringing him out here. Henri has passed his summers working hard in Ireland, Holland and Spain—more often in Spain—and he has also been in Colorado, but never so far west as California. Lovins thought he was about due in Los Angeles, the ultimate goal of the east—and we agree with Lovins.

In spite of his name, Henri is an American, not a Frenchman, and he is not even of French descent, but Dutch. He was born in Pennsylvania. Moreover, his name isn't pronounced Onree, but Henrye. Though he studied in Paris, and though his best successful picture, "La Neige," was purchased for the Luxembourg, Henri has remained unalterably an American.



Robert Henri,

Famous New York painter, who will come to Los Angeles in May, to paint various "types" of people in Southern California.

For some years he taught in the Chase School in conjunction with William M. Chase, and the two men made it one of the famous art schools of the world. Later, Henri took complete charge, and every student became a Henri enthusiast. The school is now conducted by former pupils, who carry out their beloved master's methods of instruction by "talks" and brief lectures. Henri, finding himself too busy to devote any time to teaching, has of late given it up entirely. His success as a portrait painter has been very marked, and he hopes to paint some of the notables, as well as the "types," of Southern California.

Henri was one of the leaders in the war of the Secessionists, which raged hotly in New York a few years ago, and many brilliant young talents rallied around his flag of revolt, while even the old and staid Academicians did not lag far behind. His work under the influence of Manet, Renoir and Degas—as the work of a vast number of younger Americans shows the invigorating influence of Henri.

It must not be forgotten, however, that Henri had made a reputation in Paris before he made one in New York, and that "La Neige" was considered worthy of the Luxembourg in the days of his comparative youth, even before he had "graduated" from the art school. He is the winner of many honors and medals, the latest being the gold medal of the Pennsylvania Academy exhibition.

Paintings by Miss Shore.

Thirty pictures by Henrietta M. Shore will be shown tomorrow in the Merick Reynolds gallery, No. 841 South Broadway, to remain there for two weeks, when they will be followed by paintings by Earnest Bruce Haswell of Monterey, who has just had a very successful exhibition in San Francisco. Nelson's pictures will be on view to the end of May.

Miss Shore, who has been living in Toronto, Can., but who has just opened a studio in Los Angeles, and who will remain here permanently, promises to be one of the "strong" members of our local colony of artists. She has studied in London, but the most powerful direction in her art career came from Chase and Henri, in whose school she was a student for a number of years. Like all of Henri's pupils, she is a "Henri enthusiast." Despite her English antecedents she did not find English painting and English methods of teaching particularly inspiring. She much prefers the "individual instruction" followed in the Chase school in New York.

Undoubtedly her choice was a wise one. I have met her only once, but I find her to be highly sincere, impressionable, intelligent and intellectual woman who paints with her brains as well as her brushes. The evidence of pictures in the present collection will show this very conclusively. I think they also show that she is strikingly modern in her point of view, that her "impressionism" goes deeper than a free and supple brush-stroke, that her vision is never impeded by single unneeded detail.

At first glance, therefore, her work may strike you as being brusque and summary, even incomplete; but further study of it will convince you that she has said all she started out to say, and sometimes with eclat—as, for instance, in her "Woman in Black," a richly-colored Spanish type, though neither young nor beautiful. The woman is slender and lithe, however, and wears a red rose in her hair and one on her breast. The head is finely modeled and painted, the somber gown and shawl are rendered with admirable precision and knowledge of values. Hardly less interesting is "Woman With the Gold Fish," which, like "Woman in Black," is painted life size. The pose of the woman, who is dressed in dull green, is full of rhythm, the face is vividly alive, the hands are strongly, almost brutally, painted.



Sisters. By Henrietta M. Shore.

Miss Shore loves to study and to paint children and old people, for they have so much to give and to tell. She has made almost a specialty of children in portraiture and genre, and of the faces and figures of the old. "Sisters," a vigorous record of child experience, shows two little girls before a blue wash bowl, the one in black, the other in ruddy gray. They are posed against a gray background that has much warmth in it. They are charming children, deeply absorbed in the fascinating task of splashy ablutions, and the artist has caught the happy energy of their play. "The Little Girl in Green," a portrait, gives us an equally charming child resting at ease in a chair. The pose is as quiet as that of Whistler's mother, and the child's dull green velvet frock finds subtle harmonies with her loose tresses of dark hair, her pale yet warm skin, and the rich mahogany color of the chair she sits on. In composition this picture is admirable.

Effective and sympathetic studies are the smaller canvases called "Old Woman's Head" and "Flower Woman," as well as "Spanish Nurses in the Park," the last being painted in Madrid and showing two small maids and their nurses, all in white, against the purple and green of the park trees.

Miss Shore's park studies are numerous, and were made in various parts of the world. "At the Zoo, Toronto," gives us a back view of women and children staring through wire bars at the gaudy red and blue and green splendors of parrots and cockatoos. A gay scene comes from Amsterdam—the flower market, bright with spots of living color, under the soft gray skies of Holland.

The artist's pictures will interest you and though you may not agree with her method of expression, you will like her big directness and earnestness.

Pictures by Judson.

An exhibition of about thirty paintings by William Lees Judson, director of the College of Fine Arts, Garvanza, is now in progress at the Steckel Gallery, No. 336½ South Broadway, where it will remain to May 2. The pictures are in the two mediums of oil and water color.

Many of these paintings have been seen before, though there are some characteristic new ones. Judson finds his subjects everywhere—among the beautiful oak-wooded hills of Garvanza, along the sunlit shore from Monterey to Laguna Beach, on the arid expanses of the blazing desert.

Three well-painted water colors are "Fisherman's Cove," "Monterey Fish Houses" and "Laguna Cliffs." Another, even more attractive, is "Point Joe."

"Golden Catalina" is the biggest canvas in the exhibition, and one of the best. It is very different from the usual Catalina subject—Sugar Loaf, the bay at Avalon and all the others that have been painted a thousand times—in that it brings us to the interior of the wonderful isle in the Pacific, among the vast hills, yellow and dun-colored, and trailing mists of cloud under the clean sky of light blue. Another large canvas is "Sunshine and Snow," range on range of mountains towering above a valley, the nearer ones all pink and lavender, those more distant snow-crowned.

"San Jacinto, Morning," has a pleasing color scheme of grayish greens. "Corona Del Mar" shows us the gray-pink headlands covered with low-lying summer verdure, the curving loops of the green sea looking like strings of jewels. "Autumn," warmly somber in tone, shows us live oaks under a clouded sky. The blues and greens of the sea in "Laguna Headland" contrast vividly with the browns and yellows of the rocks.

ART NOTES.

The East Newport School of Art is being organized by Louise Frear Pinckney and Doris Rosenthal, both instructors in the Los Angeles State Normal School. The classes will remain in session from July 1 to July 28, and will be devoted to work in design, drawing, craft work, out-door sketching and painting.

At the little gallery in No. 311 Title Guarantee building, just opened and devoted to small objects of art and beauty, as well as pictures, eight or ten excellent water-color landscapes by E. T. Holding, the English artist, are being shown. Holding's skies are vast and beautiful, with floating mists and clouds.

Two new landscapes from the brush of Jerome Blum of Chicago are being shown in the Fine Arts Gallery, Exposition Park.

A number of pictures by Jules Pages are being shown in San Francisco. Pages is now in the northern city.

MEN AND EVENTS.

Having hauled a load of hay across the Canadian border from his house to his stable, which is in Van Buren, Me., Eugene L. Harmon was arrested for evading customs. At his trial, which is yet to come, he will contend that he has a right to carry produce from his house to his stable, border or no border.

Almost a century of service for one firm is the record established by the Schmidt family of Chicago. Since 1857 one, two or three members of the family have been in the employ of the firm continuously, while the terms of the three aggregate ninety-eight years.

G. M. Turner of Greenville, S. C., is the father of a ton of children. His family consists of ten children, two girls and eight boys. The average weight of the children is 200 pounds, the lightest being 170 and the heaviest 300.

While George Jessup was vainly trying to start a fire in his house in Collingswood, N. J., lightning struck, came down the chimney and lit the fire. It also burned down the house.

Assisted by a trolley car, Alexander Morton moved a large house from one location to another in South Norwalk, Ct., in less than thirty minutes. The city authorities gave him only that much time in which to do it, and, with the aid of a car and a large gang of men with rollers, the trick was done.

Believed by his family to have been dead for seventeen years, Jacob L. Beard, as the result of a sudden inspiration, wired his mother, Mrs. J. H. Nall, at his old home at Hickory Grove, Ky. A few hours later he received advices from there begging him to come home and telling him that he had fallen heir to $20,000 left him by his stepfather.

Stanley Kroloski, a Polish farmer living near Lop City, Nev., displayed wonderful endurance when his horse ran away, throwing him out of the wagon and breaking his leg. Although there was a blizzard raging at the time, he dragged himself to a thicket, where he cut himself a pair of crutches, on which he went to the nearest farmhouse. The mercury was below zero at the time.

After being absent from home for twenty-one years, Richard Hoffman returned to Belleville, N. Y., with the intention of surprising his brother, who he supposed would not recognize him. When he reached his brother's house, however, he found that the pleasant man he had been talking to on the train had been his brother, who had known him all the time.

"Art and Fancy"

Announce the opening of their new shop, 311 Title Guarantee Building, Fifth Street and Broadway.

Paintings of E. T. Holding and Frederic Gay never before shown in this country are among the many other wonderful works of art to be exhibited; as also dainty novelties in handmade fancy goods; East Indian Incense, Perfumes and Oriental beads.

Auda C. Baker

Special Exhibition

PAINTINGS BY HENRIETTA M. SHORE

MERICK REYNOLDS GALLERY

841 S. BROADWAY

IMPORTED—French Net Curtains;—edged with Lace applique—2½ yds. long;—usually $3.75 and $4;—Monday—$2.95!

A Monday Sale!

—Models from an Eastern Designer;—Summer "Tailleur" Suits!

THOSE quaint models with perky bolero—jaunty flary tunic;—softly becoming combining of silk and serge;—models that show the attractiveness of new Gabardine fabrics;—clingy wool crepes and faille de laine; youthful black and white check fabrics!

And these charming models—reflecting so much of Paris newness;—are to be priced, Monday—for even less than the usual tailored suit of summer.

There are attractive models—as little as

—$19.50;

Exclusive "Tailleurs"—at $25, $32.50—

—$37.50;

Brocaded silk crepe, ripple silk and moire silk afternoon costumes—in this sale—and priced at $47.50 and $50!

—A Monday Sale!—

J. W. ROBINSON CO.

Broadway and Third

Tuesday!

4000 Yards of Embroideries —at 75 cents;

THE embroideries buyer for the Robinson Store was offered 4000 yards of embroideries for much less than half the price paid usually for the embroideries of this designing "shop."

Naturally—buying at less than half—means selling at less than half!

So on Tuesday;—embroideries usually $1.50 and to $3.50 the yard;—will be on sale at

75 cents!

Carrickmacross; batiste in-set with Irish; Irish Point and Filet effects; 24 and 45 inch embroidered flouncings;—voile and batiste;—and all-over embroideries—

75 cents!

Sheer Silk Hosiery; Formerly 75 cents and $1—on sale Monday—for 55 cents!

This Week;—A DEMONSTRATION OF THE GOSSARD CORSET--AND THE NEED OF IT! WHY THE GOSSARD LACING IN FRONT CREATES THE NEW FIGURE!

Mrs. Sextion from the Gossard Designing Shops in Chicago will gladly answer questions.

J. W. ROBINSON CO.

The Hats that are $7.50 Monday;—

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that were $12, $15, $18!

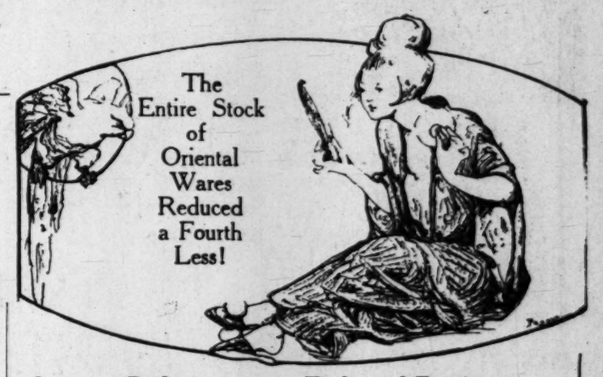
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WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS

BY SYDNEY FORD.

WERE our California roses ever so lovely as this year? That is what everyone is exclaiming. The bountiful rains and the warm sunshine have combined to give us such a glorious wealth of roses as never before. This was emphasized at the lovely "rose luncheon" given at Ebell on Thursday, when the rooms were a perfect bower of roses. The tables were aglow with the choicest specimens and roses ran riot everywhere. At every place lay a big corsage bouquet of the lovely little Cecile Brunner roses, their dainty pink blossoms smiling a greeting to each guest. The pretty idea originated with Mrs. Harry Voorhees, who so delightfully plans these luncheons, which are a semi-monthly feature of the art and travel section. On this occasion Mrs. Voorhees was ably assisted by Mrs. W. W. Homan.

In harmony with the flowers, Miss Ethel Coleman sang some charming spring songs, pretty Marjorie Hicks accompanying her on the piano. After that half a dozen of the different members described in turn certain well-known characters, leaving it for the guests to guess the identity of the persons described.

The topic of the morning programme, which preceded the luncheon, was "Literary Paris," and Mrs. H. Montague Porter led us in the footsteps of Victor Hugo, Balzac, Voltaire, Cornellie, Racine and other literary lights of France. Afterward, Miss Helen Brooks, instructor of the department, gave a most interesting talk on Millet and other Genre painters, illustrating her address by pictures on the screen of the most famous works of these artists.

State Convention Programme.

A glance at the programme offered for the State convention of women's clubs which comes off at Riverside this week, opening on Tuesday evening, shows a wide range of subjects, running from civics and science to home economics, patriotism, politics and public health. In searching the programme for a lighter quality of mental diet I find a concert, scheduled for Friday evening, coupled with a dramatic recital and a one-act comedy—the offering of the Music and Art Committees.

However, plenteously sandwiched in between this solid mental nutriment, we shall have an abundance of the syllabub of social functions. Our Riverside hostesses have looked out for this and garden parties, teas, receptions, motor rides, Rubidoux breakfasts, etc., etc., make glad our frivolous souls.

Of course the programme bristles with the usual routine of reports from different departments and districts and, aside from these, we are to have on Wednesday afternoon an address on "Housing Reform" by Carleton H. Parker, secretary of Immigration and Housing Commission; an address on Thursday morning by Dr. Martin A. Meyer of San Francisco on "Social Hygiene," and a lecture on Thursday afternoon on "The Human Cost of Industry" by Dr. Ira B. Cross of Stanford who, by the way, is to repeat this same lecture the following morning at the Friday Morning Club in Los Angeles. On Thursday evening Edwin R. Snyder, commissioner of vocational education in California, will deliver the same lecture he gave before Ebell last Monday, a report of which appeared in this department the following day. O. J. Kearn of the University of California will also give an illustrated lecture the same evening on "Education for Country Life."

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A Dutch Luncheon.

The Philotos Club held its April meeting last week at the home of Mrs. J. W. Chambers, No. 103 Manhattan place. In place of the customary literary programme a Dutch luncheon was given. The table decorations were in red and yellow tulips and tiny jars of the same gay Dutch flowers marked the places of the guests. The menu and the costumes of the members were in accordance with Dutch ideas and the afternoon programme consisted of Dutch songs, dances and recitations. Mrs. F. E. Estes, president, and Mrs. E. J. Edwards were appointed delegates to the State convention at Riverside.

Did You Write One of These?

Los Angeles was the only district in California that took part in the Interstate Literary Contest announced by the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and the district chairman of literature, Mrs. Samuel E. Epler, announces that the judges awarded first and second places respectively to the two manuscripts entitled, "German Music and Musicians" and "Chula Vista." Since no other districts in the State entered the contest, these manuscripts have been forwarded to the General Federation Committee as representative of California. No announcement of the final decision has yet been received and the writers of the two above-mentioned manuscripts are requested to send their names and addresses, together with the names of the clubs they represent, to Mrs. Epler at once.

Will Sing at State Convention.

Mrs. Harry G. Marxmiller of the Harmonia Club has been invited by Riverside hostesses to sing at the State Convention of Women's Clubs next Thursday evening.

She Wins Scholarship.

Miss Ray Feeman from the Hollywood High School has been awarded the College Women's Club scholarship, which will entitle her to entrance to the University of California next year. Miss Feeman has finished two years of junior work in Los Angeles and will require but two more years at the university to get her degree.

The College Women's Club has for some years included in its philanthropic work, this giving of a scholarship to some deserving young woman.

George Junior Boys Popular.

I imagined those George Junior boys would become popular entertainers once it was know how well they can do in that line. Since the account of their stunning performance before Eschscholtzia Chapter of the D.A.R., published in The Times, the superintendent, Gerald C. Waterhouse, has been kept busy accepting invitations for himself and his cabinet officers to appear before various clubs. Last Friday they came into Los Angeles again and appeared before the Women's Million Club in Blanchard Hall and tomorrow they are scheduled for the Sierra Madre Women's Club.

Celebrate Fifth Anniversary.

The Sierra Madre Club will celebrate the fifth anniversary of the laying of the cornerstone of the clubhouse on May 11 and plans are being made to make it an especially happy occasion. One feature of the programme will be the review by Dr. Elwood Nash of Winston Churchill's "The Inside of the Cup." Miss Verena Yule will furnish the music, there will be refreshments served, and members are asked to come prepared to make a birthday gift of gold or silver.

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All Aboard for Riverside.

Mrs. Frank Garrett, who has charge of the transportation for the State Convention at Riverside, announces that a special train will leave the Santa Fe station on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. The fare for the round trip will be $1.75, tickets good for seven days. Tickets are on sale at No. 206 Mercantile place and may also be had at the Ebell Club tomorrow afternoon. An excursion to the Grand Canyon has been arranged to immediately follow the convention. Round trip tickets from Riverside will be $25.

To Thresh it Out.

Seward Simons is the speaker, who has been selected to represent the faction of the Friday Morning Club opposed to the power bonds at the public, free-for-all discussion, which is scheduled to come off tomorrow evening at the clubhouse.

The Arlington Club.

The above club, of which Mrs. P. W. Gray of No. 2738 Kenwood avenue is president, has applied for membership in the State Federation of Women's Clubs. Although this club was organized three years ago, but little publicity has been given to its affairs. It has about twenty-five members and states its object to be mutual improvement and social intercourse.

Cosmos Club Election.

The Cosmos Club was one of the first of the more important Los Angeles clubs to hold its annual election. This event was held last Wednesday with the following result: President, Mrs. A. C. Hummelbaugh; first vice-president, Mrs. W. F. Anderson; second vice-president, Mrs. R. C. P. Smith; third vice-president, Mrs. N. L. Beihl; recording secretary, Mrs. E. H. Jacobs; corresponding secretary, Mrs H. E. Lanzit; treasurer, Mrs. T. S. Lewis.

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Next Wednesday, Miss Frances Lewis, mezzo contralto, will give a programme of classic songs and dances.

Pomona Ebell Festival.

Pomona club women are enthusiastically interested just now in a May festival which is to be held May 1 and 2, and which they declare will be the most elaborate event of this nature that Pomona has ever seen. Not only are all the best-known women of that town taking an active part, but considerable Los Angeles talent has been secured. Students from the Cumnock School will give May dances—young girls who are friends of Miss Elma Crank of Pomona, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Crank, where the festival will be given on the spacious grounds surrounding the Crank mansion on North Garey avenue. There is to be a Maypole dance and the festivities will close on the evening of May 2, with a grand ball. A big moving picture concern from Los Angeles has been engaged to go out and take shots at the fete and parade, the pictures to be shown later in Pomona and surrounding towns.

Old English May Day.

The College Women's Club announce a May festival in the form of an old English May Day coronal, to take place next Saturday in the pine grove at Hotel Raymond, Pasadena. Members representing the University of California will have charge, Miss Louise Ehrmann acting as chairman of arrangements, assisted by Miss Margaret Phillipson, and Mrs. Isabel McReynolds Grey.

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Dr. Gertrude Baeumer, president of the German League, will present a report on the progress of the movement in Germany during the past five years and will also deliver an address before the council on "The Value of the Work of the Housewife."

Among the other German representatives at Rome will be Frau Ernst Bassermann, wife of the leader of the National Liberal party. Dr. Alice Salomon, who as honorary corresponding secretary has done a great share of the preliminary and organization work for the meeting of the council; Fraeulein Pappenheim of the Jewish Woman's League, and Fraeulein Paula Mueller of the Evangelical Woman's League, and Fraeulein Israel, head of a large and recently-organized association for female clerks and business employees.

Only some twenty of the German representatives can sit as delegates and alternates at the meetings of the council; the others can attend only the public meetings and the subsequent general congress organized by the Italian women; but the presence of more than a hundred German women at Rome under these conditions is a striking testimonial to the enthusiasm in Germany for the feminist cause.

The work of the women's organizations in Germany since the last meeting of the council in 1909 has been largely directed toward legislation, and the league, with its more than 500,000 members, has become a power before which the government and parliaments have frequently had to bow. Petitions and demonstrations have been launched repeatedly against measures affecting the economic status of women, and this aspect of the programme of the Rome conference will receive the particular attention of the German delegates.

The question of female suffrage, on the other hand, is for the German women more a matter of academic interest. Practically all the organizations connected with the league are in favor of giving the vote to women, but it is generally recognized that this cannot be won in Germany in the immediate future, and attention is concentrated on other efforts. Women's associations have been organized within most of the political parties even among the Conservatives, in spite of their general attitude that the proper sphere of woman is limited to the "three C's," children, church and cooking.

Church-Side Divorce.

The "fight from the church," the movement of protest against the connection of church and state, more than doubled in 1913 as compared with 1912, according to statistics submitted at the annual meeting of the Berlin municipal synod of the Evangelical (Lutheran) Church. Some 12,781 Berliners left the church last year and 24,090 in the last three years, in response to the agitation of the "Anti-Church Committee," which aims to abolish the compulsory taxation of church members. In some parishes as high as 12 per cent. of the communicants have withdrawn.

Dr. Lahusen, general superintendent of the synod, declared that conditions were most serious and distressing, the church suffering from dissensions within (referring to recent heresy trials against clergymen of the modern "liberal" school,) as well as from attacks from without. He declared that in more than 60,000 instances last year the church had to apply to the courts and the police to collect the sums due for the service of its altars.

Violence Traced to Hysteria.

Geheimrath Joseph Kohler, professor of jurisprudence at Berlin University, discusses the suffragette outbreak learnedly in the Lokalanzeiger, comparing it to the religious mania of other people. Prof. Kohler summarizes his conclusions regarding the proper way of dealing with this hysteria (which he also compares in its violence to Nihilism,) thus:

"Society must retain complete composure. There must be no false sympathy. He who today feels sympathy for a hysterical woman is tomorrow her slave, and sympathy for hysteria as mass is a sin against society."

He says suffragettes should be made on all accounts to complete their sentences. If they become very weak they should be transferred to the prison hospitals, but on no account released. The article is interesting because Prof. Kohler is, as he admits himself, a warm supporter of female suffrage.

Count Divorces Maniac.

On the ground that at the time of his marriage he knew nothing of his wife's past life under the name of "Pussy Uhl," Count Fischler von Treuborg has obtained a divorce from the Countess, who is now serving fifteen months' imprisonment for fraud, blackmail and usury.

The trial of the Countess, which concluded in December, it will be recalled, was a "cause celebre" which attracted attention throughout Europe by reason of the piquant revelations it gave of the shady side of German society and the spendthrift night life of Berlin. Many were the noble names dragged into the case, and it was, indeed ,suggested that two young officers of aristocratic family had committed suicide through finding themselves involved in usury through the Countess's agency.

The charges ranged from grave to frivolous. Among other things she was accused of calling a telephone girl a "saucy creature," with fraud by means of a matrimonial agency, and fraudulent bankruptcy. No fewer than fifty witnesses were cited—although they did not all appear—including a Princess of Ysenburg-Budingen, aunt of the Princess Sophia of Saxe-Weimar, who recently committed suicide, who was fined for refusing to give evidence.

The Countess is over 40, although she looks much less. The daughter of a shoemaker, at the age of 18 she had already given her parents trouble, and the police were invited to supervise her doings. A few years later, under the name of "Pussy Uhl," she was the most fated demi-mondaine in Frankfort. Later she removed to Hamburg, where she easily disposed of the thousands supplied by successful admirers. Finally, a gift from one of these of $5000 enabled her to marry a wealthy hotel-keeper. She divorced, however, not very long after in the divorce court, and eventually married the Count.

At the time of her trial she was said to be living on an allowance of $40 monthly, given by her first husband. Three bottles of champagne a day were stated to be her average consumption, while she has had particular weaknesses for morphine, brandy and tobacco.



New Imperial library, Berlin.

IN SCOTLAND.

Remarkable Prison Record.

In Edinburgh Police Court Thomas Hyland pleaded guilty to having been drunk in the Grassmarket. Out of the 365 days in last year accused had spent no fewer than 336 of them in prison for various offenses. Recently an effort had been made to deal with him under the inebriates act, but unfortunately the conditions of the statute did not fully apply. Bailie Rusk sent him to prison for sixty days.

Ten O'Clock Closing.

The Committee of the National and Denominational Temperance Organizations of Scotland has issued a manifesto relating to the 10 o'clock closing of public houses in towns and cities in Scotland. It is stated that an agitation has recently been raised by a section of the liquor trade to revert to 11 o'clock as the hour for closing, but there has been no demand on the part of the public to revert to the later hour for closing.

Highlanders Clamor for Land.

A meeting of Highlanders held at Inverkeithing passed the following resolution: "That this meeting of landless Highlanders from all parts of the northern counties and the Hebrides employed at Rosyth Naval Base do hereby unanimously appeal to the Right Hon. D. Lloyd George to rescue us and our fellow landless countrymen elsewhere throughout the Gaelic-speaking areas by providing small holdings with ample pasturage to enable us to exist in our native Highlands."

Livingstone Relic.

The latest gift to Eorropaidh Church, Lewis, is the prayer book which Dr. Livingstone carried with him during long periods of isolation in the interior of Africa. This copy of the Book of Common Prayer has been inscribed as follows by the donor, Mrs. Livingstone Wilson, the only surviving member of Dr. Livingstone's family:

"This prayer book, which belonged to David Livingstone, African missionary-explorer, and which was used by him on his travels, is presented by special request and under and in terms of a separate deed, to the Church of St. Moluag at Eorropaidh, Butt of Lewis, by his daughter."

IN WALES.

Boy's Swim to Save Dog.

The Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has granted a medal to George Green, a boy, aged 14 years, who swam thirty yards to rescue a dog, which was nearly drowned, last month, in Pwllheli Harbor.

Rearing of Babies.

In his report submitted to the Dolgelley Urban Council, Dr. Hugh Jones (the medical offices,) states that last year there were seven deaths among infants under one year of age, 155 to every 1000 registered births, a strikingly high figure. He urged strongly that the management and rearing of infants generally should be compulsorily taught in every elementary school.

IN IRELAND.

Triplets.

The wife of Samuel Ballantine, draper, Fintona, has given birth to triplets. The mother and two of the babies are doing well, but the third baby died shortly after birth.

Forty-three Years a Station Master.

James Moore Gourley, who had been for forty-three years station master at Jordanstown for the Midland Railway, Northern Counties Committee, is dead at the age of 71.

Matrimonial Excuse Not Accepted.

Some amusement was caused at County Down Assizes by an excuse sent on behalf of an absent juror. "I understand there is something matrimonial in the wind"—Lord Chief Justice Cherry read from a letter handed in. "Well," he said, "I cannot accept that. I will fine him 40s. (Laughter.)

Telltale Scrap of Paper.

John Sullivan, a casual laborer, has been returned for trial at the Assizes from Kilcullen Petty Sessions, on a charge of breaking into the dwelling house of a farmer named William Humphrey of Harristown, and stealing a silver watch and chain, and some clothing. A small scrap of paper with a girl's name on it, found in an old coat, led to the arrest of Sullivan in county Monaghan.

A Fatal Sequel.

When Mrs. Mary Heffernan, licensed vintner of Main street, Athboy, was fined £2 for permitting gambling on her premises and £3, with an indorsement on the license, for selling drink at prohibited hours, it was stated that one of the men, Leyden, who had been supplied with drink on the premises after closing time by stating that he had been working at Kells, was drowned that night at Clifton, near Athboy.

Fever-Stricken Families.

A serious outbreak of scarlet fever is reported from the Ballymoe district of North Galway. In the case of a family named Fannon, the mother succumbed, and the father and six children were removed to the Glenamadda Workhouse Hospital. In another case of a family being removed to hospital, a girl of 8 years died on the journey. The schools of the district are closed.

Lady Trimlestown Dead.

The death has occurred at Bloomsbury, Kells, county Meath, of Mabel Florence, wife of Lord Trimlestown. She was married to his Lordship in December, 1907, as his second wife. She was the daughter of William Robert Shuff of Torquay, Devon. The surviving children—two sons and three daughters—are the issue of the first marriage, their mother, a Queensland lady, having died in 1901.

Father and Sons Drowned.

All hope has been abandoned of the schooner Glad Tidings, which left Garston last month for Drogheda, where she was owned by McCann and Hill. She was in charge of John Whitehead, master, his sons, Thomas and Joseph Whitehead, and Frank Owens, deck-boy. Mrs. Whitehead and five young children reside at Drogheda. Mr. Whitehead's eldest son, aged 22, was lost at sea some twelve months ago.

Parish Priest's Cattle Driven.

A serious disturbance in the course of which several people were injured in a baton charge, occurred near Creggs, county Galway, following an attempt by a number of tenants to drive cattle from the lands of Scahane House, acquired by a Tenants' Committee, of which Canon Geraghty, P.P., Kilbegnet, is president. Recently some tenants of the Gortnadieve section passed a resolution calling on the canon to give the land over to the Congested Districts Board or the Estates Commissioners. The Gortnadieve tenants, accompanied by a fife-and-drum band, cleared the lands of Scahane of the stock, which was said to belong to Canon Geraghty.

IN ENGLAND.

Women as Lawyers.

Politicians of all parties, including Sir John Simon, the Attorney-General, and Viscount Haldane, the Lord Chancellor, have given their support to a movement to admit women to practice as lawyers. The only opposition now comes from the Incorporated Law Society, the chartered body of solicitors. The question will be put to a test in Parliament during the present session if the government can find time.

Sir John Simon announced his support of the movement in a speech which he delivered in favor of votes for women, and Lord Haldane backed him up when a deputation waited upon him urging that the charge should be made immediately. The deputation laid stress on the fact that in America and in most progressive countries women were allowed to practice, and even in England women were admitted to practically every other profession.

All the universities, with the exception of Oxford and Cambridge, admit women to the law degree. The only objections seemed to be that women would enter into competition with men and that they were unsuitable by nature for the work of solicitors.

Lord Haldane advised the women to watch their chance, and when there was a lull in the House of Commons to put their proposal forward.

Railway Union Recognized.

The recognition of the National Union of Railwaymen by the railway companies is being acclaimed as one of the biggest victories won by trades unions in England for many years.

The agreement between the men and the companies, by which disputes are referred to arbitration, expires at the end of this year, and the men had decided not to renew it unless the union was recognized. Since the fusion of the railway servants, the general railway workers and the signal men last year, the membership of the combined organization has almost doubled. At the end of December it stood at 263,432, actual railwaymen, and the names of another 22,000 have been added since.

The Associated Society of Enginemen and Firemen, which has a membership of 37,000, and other unions, which work in conjunction with the National Union, absorb most of the remaining railwaymen in the United Kingdom. There are only 80,000 railwaymen, scattered throughout the rural districts and Ireland, outside the union.

Now that the union has been recognized the executive will work first of all for a change in the conciliation agreements, which the men claim always work against them, and afterwards for an eight-hour day and minimum wage.

Old Saxon Plan Followed.

Fifteen years' trial of a strange system of land reform in the little village of Winterslow, near London, has proven the success of the plan.

In 1899 Maj. Poore, father of the Duchess of Hamilton, secured possession of the old village and some of its environs, re-establishing a local government, practically identical to that of the Saxons there a thousand years ago. At the beginning of the experiment the major chose for the personnel of the scheme persons noted more for industry than for wealth. A Saxon village hundred was chosen, and this primitive legislature alloted land to heads of families under contracts whereby the payment for the land could be extended over a period from fifty to one hundred years. These plots surround a large common, which belongs to the village, and the grazing right of which is held in perpetuity by the villagers.

The village is now a self-sustaining community, and what was started as more or less of a charity has proven successful commercially. All of the villagers are free men in the old Saxon sense of the term, and the social and political life of the place is based on this assumption of equality. The promoters have been chary of publicity for fear that the plan might not prove a success, but since this has been assured they have invited the leaders of the government land reform schemes to inspect the community.

Skunk Skins Popular.

The spring fur sales indicate that there has been an enormous increase in the import of skunk skins from the United States. The supply of furs for the March sale was unusually plentiful. There being little demand from Germany, most of the furs of the world came to London. Over 4,000,000 musquash skins have been sold on the London market. The fashionable skunk fur comes next, with a total sale of 2,000,000 skins. Prices have been lower than last season. Musquash have sold for about 30 cents each; good skunk for from $3.50 to $6; silver fox for from $250 to $1500 each. Sea otter and fine chinchilla were very rare, and few of these skins were offered.



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Suits selling from $19.50 to $29.50
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Values as high as $35.00
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1300 Yards of Crinkled Crepe de Chine, Monday

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(Hamburger's—Main Floor)



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—Mrs. K. J. Evans will lecture on and demonstrate the most practical method of cooking New England Codfish Dinner and will explain Short Method of Bread Baking.

—Tomorrow from 2 to 4 o'clock.

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$10.00 French Ostrich Plumes at $4.75

—This brief card announces one of the strongest values in the Buyers Sale tomorrow—beautiful $10.00 French Plumes, 21 inches wide, to sell at $4.75—two for less than the usual price of one. Fine male stock, full heads, in the newest millinery shades, including chartreuse, brass, orange, purple, French blue, emerald, black, green, wine, turquoise and white.

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$2.50 Untrim'd Shapes, $1.19

—More Buyers Sale News from the Millinery Salon.

—A group of Milan hemp braid shapes, to sell at $1.19 each. Medium sizes, chiefly in blue, tan, navy and white; fashioned in the round crown shape with the high side flare; many of them silk lined.

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50c to 75c FLOWERS at 25c

$1.00 Flowers and Foliage at 50c

—In the lot at 25c are the large and small flowers that Madame Fashion has so highly favored this season—pansies, roses, forget-me-nots, lilacs, foliage, etc.

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Men's $3.50 Oxfords at $1.95

—A group of 300 pairs of men's $3.50 and a few $4.00 Oxfords from our own lines, marked down to $1.95 for a busy Monday in the men's shoe section. Patent leather, dull calf, tan calf and elkskin, including both button and lace styles; in all sizes when the sale opens.

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Cut Glass Fern Dishes

Brilliant $3.95 Dishes at $2.95

—Footed cut glass fern dishes, in buzz-saw or star-cut designs, with silver-plated lining. An opportunity worthy a trip downtown tomorrow to share.

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—Heavy Milanese silk gloves in the popular 16-button length, with two clasps at the wrist and Paris-point stitching on the backs—double finger tips for added service. The season's favorites for wear with summer's short-sleeve blouses.

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Music Folios at 25c

—Vocal and instrumental—ten different folios, including piano and violin pieces, duets, songs, sacred music and children's selections—the regular 48c editions.

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—$1.00 Salad and Dessert Plates—55c.

—They'll make most acceptable wedding gifts or artistic additions to your own plate rail.

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Black, Colors—Lustrous Quality

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Dress Trunks, $13.35

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Militant.

SUFFRAGETTES VS. PANKHURSTS.

"They Must Go," Rallying Cry of Revolutionists.

Becoming Too Autocratic to Suit Rank and File.

Professional Pawners Reap a Harvest in London.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, April 12.—The "Pankhursts must go!" promises to be the rallying cry of a new suffragette organization formed by leaders who believe woman's cause has suffered a setback by the practices of the leading militant society. A significant feature of the new movement is that it is fathered by suffragists who were once strong supporters of militant tactics, but who, at various times, have been forced to withdraw from the Women's Social and Political Union.

The simmer of discontent, which now promises to break into revolt, began last year when Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pethick Lawrence on their return from Canada were informed that Mrs. Pankhurst no longer desired their services on the Executive Committee of the organization. This intimation was carried to the Lawrences before their boat reached the dock. They were inclined at first to laugh at it as preposterous, but on landing they found that Mrs. Pankhurst had made herself so powerful during their absence that it would be hopeless to fight her edict, so out they went.

As firm believers in the efficacy of militant tactics, the Lawrences did not air their grievance, in the hope that the autocratic regime of the Pankhursts would advance the cause, which they held above all else. This truce and the determination of the various constitutional societies not to criticise any tactics, which sought a common end, gave Mrs. Pankhurst and her daughter Christabel abundant time in which to perfect their organization, before opposition was offered to their autocratic sway. But the promised results did not materialize and now the Women's Social and Political Union faces both opposition without and dissension within.

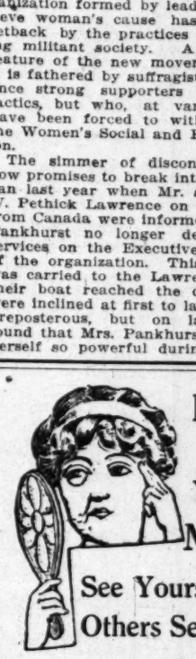
While dismissing members of her personal staff, Mrs. Pankhurst has also been discharging privates in the ranks. One of these women, who was expelled from the organization last week, declared that she was dismissed on the most trivial pretext possible and that lately Mrs. Pankhurst had dismissed a number of the workers from the organization apparently through caprice. The dismissed member asserted that the militants are dwindling daily until at the present moment there are only 3000 active workers in the Women's Social and Political Union.

These women are subject to Mrs. Pankhurst's autocratic decrees and may be called upon at any time to perform militant deeds. In spite of the dwindling number of workers the finances of the organization are said to be in an excellent state. This is due mainly to two Scottish spinster sisters, whose fortunes were made in an Atlantic steamship line. Their subscriptions to the funds of the militant fighting forces are heavy and unfailing.

WORK OF PAWNERS.

A Police Court case has called attention to the existence in London of an avocation which is not known to exist anywhere else in the world. It is that of pawner, a profession given over entirely to women, who, in the poorer districts of London, undertake for a small compensation to carry the goods of their necessitous but sensitive neighbors to the pawnshops. Most of this work of pawning is done for women who are ashamed to be seen entering a pawnshop, but some of it is done for other women who are too busy to attend to the formality.

In certain districts these pawners are known as "runners" and they live on this work, charging from 1 to 2 cents for each journey, according to the means of their clients. In one of the meanest streets of the East End, which has a pawnshop at either end, two women ply a busy trade as pawners. One of these women is a widow, known and trusted in this work, and she has built up a big connection in the neighborhood. She uses a perambulator and is frequently seen passing along the street with a load of miscellaneous articles destined for the hungry maw of the pawnshop. Monday morning is her busy day, as hundreds of ill-paid casual laborers living in the district depend many times for their week's maintenance upon pawning something that day. On Saturday when the head of the family brings home his money the pawner is called upon to redeem the goods, which she carried away the previous Monday, and usually the next Monday the first journey is repeated.



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Charm of Word Hunting.

[Chicago Evening Post:] Logan Pearsall Smith, in an interesting article on "Dialect Words" in the current issue of the English Review, describes the fascinating hunt for new words and old words long lost to educated colloquy, that he and others have pursued in the rural districts of Great Britain and Ireland.

He quotes one enthusiastic word hunter as writing in his record of an unusually successful search:

"The ground had been twice worked over by two different collectors. The later, too, had gleaned a thousand words which his predecessor had neglected. We, however, in the course of a month, bagged some hundred and fifty new specimens. This gives an average of five a day, which may be looked upon as very fair sport. We are sorry to add that an excellent clergyman and an energetic schoolmaster are committing irreparable mischief by teaching the people to read."

One can catch something of the thrill of this gentle sport from so lively a picture. It is assuredly better worth while than chasing cottontail bunnies with a shotgun or—if the disloyalty be pardonable—pursuing big game in Africa.

Nor need one go to England to engage in it. If there be any reader of the Evening Post to whom the charm of a word hunt appeals we can assure him a visit to the Kentucky mountains will well repay him. He may come back with material for a book of genuine interest to all who are interested in the science of language.

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EIFFEL TOWER SILVER JUBILEE.

Twenty-fifth Anniversary Is Celebrated in Paris.

Aristide Briand Now Seeking a Seat in Parliament.

Sufferers from Alcoholism Quarter of Insane.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

PARIS, April 12.—The Eiffel Tower has been celebrating its silver jubilee. On April 2, just twenty-five years ago, the French flag was hoisted on its summit. It was the principal attraction of the exposition of 1889. Both at the time of its erection and afterwards it was the subject of hostile criticism on the part of artists and men of letters.

The composer, Charles Gounod, the great poets, Leconte de Lisle, Sully Prudhomme, Francois Coppee, the novelist, Guy Maupassant, united in protesting against the disfigurement of Paris by a structure which would not be tolerated even "by commercial America." Other critics declared that it would not last twenty years, but it stands today as strong as ever to vindicate its creators, the symbol and triumph of modern industry. For the Eiffel Tower was the pioneer of the light metallic construction which makes possible by its suppleness and enormous strength the most daring conceptions of the architect and engineer.

The famous tower is, indeed, a miracle of lightness with all its 5000 tons of metal, as a simple calculation shows. If a model on the scale of one-thousandth were made it would be twelve inches high and would only weigh twenty-eight ounces, the weight of a thick sheet of paper.

At first, hardly more than an engineering curiosity, the Eiffel Tower found its vocation when wireless telegraphy was invented. Now the correct time and a budget of the latest news is flashed from it twice daily to ships at sea and far-off French colonies in Africa.

BRIAND SEEKS ELECTION.

Aristide Briand, leader of the Federation of Democrats of the Left, which, in opposition to the present ministry of the Radical and Socialist-Radical groups, is seeking a majority in the parliamentary elections (April 26,) is looked upon even by his political foes as one of the first orators in Europe. He has eloquence and humor, the power to illuminate dry facts by his manner of presentation and all the gifts of the winning campaigner. His voice, sometimes malicious, sometimes sharply penetrating, varies amazingly from extreme rapidity of utterance to sober dignity. Some of his auditors at a meeting of 4000 in Paris the other evening were moved to tears, not by pathos, but by the beauty of his periods, which affected their emotions. Briand is from Southern France, whence nearly all the great orators of France come.

CANDIDATES' EXPENSES.

Candidates' expenses have been greatly reduced in the 1914 election campaigns by limiting the space used for the posting of manifestos and other campaign literature. Mayors are required to provide large boards at different points within their jurisdiction. On these each candidate is allotted an equal space. Any placarding of campaign posters elsewhere may be punished by a fine of from $1 to $2 for each offense. This places candidates with small campaign funds more nearly on equality with their wealthier rivals.

Another reform aims at absolute secrecy in the vote. It stipulates that the voter must deposit his ballot, enclosed in an envelope, in a box which is placed in an isolated cabinet, a structure resembling a tent, where he will be completely screened from the view of those outside.

ALCOHOLIC INSANE.

Persons suffering from alcoholism form more than a quarter of the army of insane in Paris and the Department of the Seine, and the number increases from year to year, according to figures just made public by the municipality. An additional argument, based on official statistics, is thus furnished Deputy Henri Schmidt and others, who have been leading a vigorous anti-drink campaign throughout France.

Out of a total of 89,728 admitted to the asylums in the department mentioned from 1887 to 1911 the number of mentally deficient, victims of the drink habit, was 27,315. The figures also show that insanity in general as well as hereditary insanity is increasing. The combination of alcohol and strenuous life of the cities is among the reasons given for the growing number of cases of hereditary insanity.

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Man Who Had Served Term in Prison for Forgery Secures Position as Burgomaster by Assuming Name and Title of an Acquaintance Successfully.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BERLIN, April 25.—The second Burgomaster of Koeslin, a Pomeranian city of 20,000 inhabitants, is under arrest here charged with perpetrating a hoax which surpasses in daring the noted hoax of Voight, the cobbler of Koepenick.

This burgomaster, who won his position in competition with 700 other candidates, had served a term in prison in Berlin, for embezzling money from a bank in which he was employed under the name of Henry Thermann. During a temporary release from prison he assumed the title of doctor of laws belonging to an acquaintance named Edward Alexander, and forged papers to prove his identity.

He started a new career in the Prussian civil service, and two years ago became Assessor in Bromberg, where he contracted a marriage with a woman of wealth.

But a woman in Berlin, who had been the bank clerk's sweetheart, brought a charge of blackmail against him, and this led to an investigation of the Vice-Mayor's papers. He was then lured to Berlin and arrested.

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MRS. ALEXANDER WHITE GREGG,

Wife of the Member from Palestine, Texas, Who Served Successfully as President of the Congressional Club and Has Been Prominent in That Distinguished Organization.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Some of the charming types of American womanhood are found tucked away in quiet nooks of Congressional society. In the lower House of Congress there are now almost five hundred members and allowing for the usual proportion of bachelors, the feminine side means, at a casual estimate, nearly half a thousand whose prime duty in Washington is to establish social relations with each other and with officialdom generally. Some are leaders known throughout the country. Others are potent forces, little recognized except among the thoughtful. There are others like Mrs. Alexander White Gregg who fill an important role ably, yet unostentatiously, in the larger affairs of the capital and wield an influence which extends to all parts of the country. Mrs. Gregg presents what seems a complete paradox. She is an unalterable enemy of feminism as such, and all its including cults, suffrage and political life. Yet she is one of the astute politicians of the capital, is her husband's secretary and has conducted some of his campaigns to a most successful issue. She is the purely domestic type, finding her home and children quite a sufficient mission and interest outside the duties towards her husband voluntarily undertaken and most conscientiously discharged.

"Every one in and out of Washington seems to imagine that a regular armed conflict is in progress over the calling complication," remarked Mrs. Alexander White Gregg of Texas, one of the committee appointed by the president of the Congressional Club to present the question from different angles. In my opinion, it was all a tempest in a teapot, unduly magnified and almost universally misunderstood both by on-lookers and by those practically concerned in the conclusion. Frankly I have said from the very beginning that I thought the whole discussion was discourteous, not intentionally of course, but discourteous for all that. I have urged that the controversy be dropped as a controversy, and that each woman in official life be permitted to solve the question as her time, inclination and most important of all, her strength will dictate. I firmly advocate broad views about the obligation of making calls, and not to permit the accessories to blind the real purpose which means social intercourse. I opposed the controversy mainly because I dislike to have it said that a Democratic regime would even tacitly indorse the court customs of discharging social obligations by sending calls through the mails. That was recommended and very kindly received at first glance. However, in the end every woman will decide for herself. Personally I believe that if we do our duty as far as we are able graciously and dilligently, no more can be asked. About the returning of calls, if we should place ourselves in the other woman's place and allow her full benefit of good intentions much of the misunderstanding would disappear. Some women are better managers than others. Some have far fewer obligations. Take time with young children. How unkind to expect the same of the young mother as of the woman whose cares are infinitely less.

"But one excellent result has come from the discussion in the Congressional Club. It has been recommended that hereafter whenever there are large numbers of Congressional women, strangers to official life, that a leaflet be sent with regular notices from the clubs giving in detail the etiquette as it holds in Washington. Social amenity here is different from every section of the country. The stranger here must make a series of first calls, how many is a matter which every woman decides for herself. According to the hard and fast rule, she must include every woman in recognized divisions of official life whose husband has preceded hers in length of service. It is a large task rarely undertaken, unless one has abundant leisure and untold endurance. However, the customs will be set forth in the leaflet, together with the days and hours on which these calls must be made. The stranger and even the woman here for years can ponder the matter, map out what she can accomplish without detriment to more serious matters and do her best. One other good result of the discussion is that hostesses who entertain frequently are generous enough to excuse party calls. With these concessions it seems that the controversy should be considered as adjusted most satisfactorily. Further I think that when one desires to visit a certain highly placed woman, like the wife of the Speaker whose calling obligations would mount so high as to become impossible, one should feel at liberty to do so, without fear of calling to her attention the necessity to return the call. It resolves itself into a question of good sense and charity.

"Now I am much concerned about women taking cognizance of their duties in every regard. This movement known throughout the world as the feminist movement gives me much to think about. As I see it, married women have two imperative duties, the first to have children and the second to become entirely familiar with every phase of public life where it touches home and the rearing of children. I taught for a short time in the public schools of my home city and I would not give that experience, that insight into real things for all that life has brought me since. This feminine movement and the startling discussions in which its leaders indulge, should I believe arouse the energy and fighting principle of every mother and right thinking woman in the land.

"I stand arrayed against the entire agitation, whether it be for suffrage or the larger liberty which the new leaders assert is our due. I grant that suffrage need not indorse the principles held by these advanced theorists called feminists, but the lines are drawn too close to each other and interlock too often to be indorsed by those who wish to conserve the home and the family. To vote or not to vote seems a small matter and should require little time or energy. But the vitiating paths into which all public questions will lead its students are, I think, better out of the lives of womenly women.

"In Texas we do not need to be protected by the law. The chivalry of men is sufficient, except in the most isolated incidents. We had one very unjust law on the statute books, but last winter it was changed at the request of the women of Texas and without their having to receive the vote in order to enforce its passage. It referred to the property of women, its control on their marriage.

"Every worthy woman is a mighty force in the Texas community, whether she be married or single. I grant that some phases of the vote might seem alluring. For instance, I deplore that we pay our teachers so little in comparison to the salaries paid other professions doing a far less valuable work. But how will votes for women raise the revenue to make this increased salary possible? How will votes for women help to lower the cost of living? I can see no connection. But I do see how living and everything else becomes more costly because so many neglect the sacred duties of home in order to attend to what is wrongly called higher duties. The feminist frankly advises against the home and children, as hampering to the brainy progressive woman who must work for the world. Such specious logic will of course carry its own doom with the rank and file of sensible American women. But there are enough lured away by these false prophets to call for a protest from all who stand for the old order of woman in the home to rear her children, to aid her husband, to be a good neighbor and a responsible citizen."

Representative and Mrs. Gregg reside in a charming little city of Texas which bears an alluring name, Palestine. Love of home is a dominant trait in the entire family. Mrs. Gregg is a stanch advocate of the public schools and all the children began their education there and continued it through various seats of learning, all within the confines of the Lone Star State. There are four children, the eldest May Gregg, well known in Washington, is now Mrs. Leigh Ballowe of Cuero, and she has two small sons. There are three boys, the oldest John G. Gregg, who is now practicing law in Galveston. William Reeves Gregg is also in Washington at present, and the youngest, Alexander W., Jr., was studying in Washington, but not being in the most robust health, departed for home soon after Christmas and is now waxing strong and tall in the home in Palestine.

Mrs. Gregg has many interesting phases of character. She was before her marriage Miss Mary Brooks, and her parents had resided for some years in Palestine. Her father's kindred came originally from Massachusetts, and were of English descent. They passed from the Bay State to Connecticut and later to Virginia. A further migration brought them to West Virginia, though the family tradition has it that the far South was the original intention, and the halt at Charelston, W. Va., the result of Cupid's intervention. Mrs. Gregg's grandfather, with a number of others, leaving Connecticut for the South or West, halted for the night at the home of Miss Otis, near Charleston, fell in love with the daughter of his host and refused to follow his fortunes farther. He married Miss Otis and remained in Charleston for the rest of his life. His son, Nathaniel Skinner Brooks, however, went further south and lived for many years in Mobile, Ala. Mrs. Gregg was born in that fair city of the South, but her parents started for Texas in her infancy and located at Palestine. She claims as distinguished and ancient lineage on her mother's side, where she inherits heriot Scotch-Irish blood. Her mother's father, Col. Clough Shelton, settled in Virginia. He served in the Second Continental Regiment throughout the War of Independence. Mrs. Gregg is eligible to all the patriotic societies, but having the care of young children until very recently she never felt she could spare time to take an active part. She is, however, most sympathetic with all the aims and aspirations of women's clubs, literary, historical and philanthropical, and it is her ultimate intention to join such of these as fit in with her daily avocations.

From its formation she has been a consistent and enthusiastic supporter of the Congressional Club. She joined among the first and had the distinction of being chosen one of the original first five vice-presidents representing the Southwest. She served most successfully and when the death of Representative James Breck Perkins, caused the resignation of Mrs. Perkins, first president and founder of the club, Mrs. Gregg was chosen to fill out her unexpired term. As Mrs. Perkins had just entered on her second term, Mrs. Gregg served most successfully for nearly two years. She declined to have her name put up for regular nomination and has not since filled a place on the national board. She remains a strong force in the rank of privates and one of the effective workers on committees, and a faithful attendant at its social and business meetings.

TWENTY-THREE MILES HIGH.

A Balloon Penetrates the Upper Regions and Brings Back Records of the Varying Temperature.

[New York Press:] The highest point ever reached by man-made mechanism is 37,700 meters, or about 23½ miles. No man has ever been anywhere near so far away from earth, a balloon sent up on December 17, 1912, from the observatory at Pavia record this altitude. The balloon was of rubber, inflated with hydrogen and furnished with a parachute. It was 1900 millimeters, or about 6 feet 3 inches, in diameter, and carried automatic meteorological instruments. These recorded a minimum temperature of —56 9-10 deg. C., not, however, at the highest point reached, but at 19,730 meters, or about 12½ miles high. Until 14-5 miles up the thermometer fluctuated between 10 deg. above zero C., the temperature at which it started, and zero, which it reached at about two miles. Then came a rapid drop, until just above the usual level of the cirrus clouds, or about seven miles up —55½ deg. C. was registered. At this the thermometer remained steady for several miles, then rose slightly, again descending to —56 9-10 C., at about 12½ miles, from which it steadily rose. At the highest point it reached —51 3-5 C.

The earth is surrounded by air called the atmosphere. How thick this blanket is no one knows, but it has certain definitely defined layers of strata, the thickness of which has often been measured. The pioneer in this atmospheric exploration was M. Leon Teisserenc de Bort, who founded the observatory at Trappes, France, and died only a few weeks ago.

As one rises from sea level, either in a balloon or in climbing a mountain, the density of the air sensibly decreases and the temperature diminishes.

The atmosphere may be divided into three parts. The first extends from sea level to about 10,000 feet high. In this layer are almost all the water vapor or cloud and all the dust. In it all the storms take place. The temperature tends to decrease, but very irregularly. The second layer extends to between six or seven miles high. In it are the cirrus clouds; the temperature decreases uniformly. Man cannot go beyond it.

These two layers together are called the troposphere, because in them all the vertical movements of the air take place. Beyond them is the stratosphere, in which occur any movements of the air in planes parallel to the earth's surface.

The temperatures recorded at different heights by the balloon sent up from Pavia are approximately those found in the upper regions all over the world, but it has been found that near the poles no such cold is found as in the air over the tropics. The temperature of the tropical air falls more rapidly, because the air is dry, and it continues falling for a longer time because the troposphere is thicker than in the arctic regions, and it is always coldest where the troposphere ends and the stratosphere begins. At nine to ten miles high over the equator it is 20 or 30 degrees colder than it is over Lapland, according to observations made in 1906, 1907 and 1908 by M. Teisserenc de Bort.

USE OF PANAMA CANAL.

Believed the British Shipowners Will Gain More from Its Construction Than the United States.

[London Times:] As the creator of the Panama Canal it is claimed that the United States has every right to feel proud, but in the navigation of the canal, it is going to take a second place. If this is true, the first place as a user of the canal will fall to the United Kingdom. The dramatic event of opening a new waterway to the world will unquestionably expand the existing water lines, and in that operation Great Britain will secure a good share. Whatever may have been said or written about the injury the canal will do to the transcontinental railways, there is every reason to believe that these ominous forebodings are more imaginary than real. Two of the trunk lines extending across the continent are hastening to complete their track to the coast, and by the time the canal is open, we shall have eight railway systems with direct connections extending between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, five through American, and three through British territory. Does this not indicate that the venturing interests believe that the canal will have plenty to do to take care of the low-priced traffic which will naturally seek such a route, and of the immense European tonnage that is only waiting for it to open? There is much to be said in favor of the opinion that the canal is not destined to work a great revolution in traffic conditions or rates. A glance at map indicating the trade routes of the world will show that all those from Liverpool, Amsterdam, Genoa, Odessa, from any point of Europe, the North Atlantic, and the Mediterranean Coast will be shortened by the Canal, not only for commerce destined for the Pacific Coast of North America, but also for the east coast of Asia, and many a point in the vast southern oceans where commerce is great and growing. Surely, therefore, the general conclusion is a satisfying one that the Panama Canal will be a creator of new rather than a disturber of old business.

WORLD'S SMALLEST ADULT.

A Dwarf Who Recently Died in London Smaller Than Tom Thumb But Would Not Exhibit Himself.

[Rochester Post-Express:] The smallest man in the world died lately in London. His height was only 21 inches, yet he had fought the battle of life for fifty-three years, and was looked up to by children who frequented his candy shop. Compared with Tom Thumb, he was no more than a Tom Littletoe, and might easily have earned his weight in silver every month as a museum attraction.

But the little man would not make a spectacle of himself, as bigger men so often do, which was much to his credit. He owned his store, and being thus like King Pepin, a big man in his own house, he was content and wisely shunned notoriety. Yet he was probably the tiniest adult in the human family, smaller by half than that "pygmean race warred on by cranes," who appear to have been about four feet in height. He was bigger than a pint of cider, yet not so big as the dwarf dished up in a pie to the astonishment of royal banqueters who saw him break out through the crust.

The smallest of historic dwarfs was Richebourg of Paris, 23 inches, and Chemah, a Chinaman, whose height was 2 feet 1 inch. Tom Thumb was 31 inches, and there have been other men who were but little taller. Science is beginning to surmise that there is a gland in the body which regulates growth, and when it somehow gets out of order the result is a manikin or a monstrosity. But what deranges it or what would regulate it, nobody has the least idea; and the fact is that we know about as little of our own anatomical mechanism as a cat down at the kodak plant would understand the multitudinous processes going on all around.

How American Women May Keep Faces Young.

"The American smart woman ages early, far earlier than the English woman," says Christian Miller, F. C. I., the famous English health expert. She adds that our climate "so exhilarates that you over-exert yourself and grow old before you know it. That same exhilarating air dries the skin. The skin that lacks moisture grows pale and withered-looking and soon forms wrinkles.

"The American complexion" is best treated by applying pure mercolized wax, which causes the faded, lifeless cuticle to flake off in minute particles, a little each day, until the fresh, young skin beneath is wholly in evidence. Every druggist has this wax; one ounce is sufficient. Spread on at night like cold cream, washing it off next morning.

For wrinkles, dissolve an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half-pint witch hazel; bathe the face in this. Immediately every wrinkle is affected, even the deeper lines. Both treatments are remarkable facial rejuvenators.

Drink Puritas Distilled Water
5 Gallons 40c
Delivered within the old City Boundary Lines.
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ART GOODS

5c J. & P. COAT'S CROCHET COTTON; Monday, 9 to 10 a.m.; spool 2½c
Coat's silk finish crochet cotton in all wanted colors, including white and black; 100-yard spools for one hour only, 2½c. Limit of six spools to a customer; no phone or mail orders.

$1.00 Stamped Combination Suits, 69c
Fine grade of nainsook combinations in beautifully stamped designs, both French embroidery and punch work; all made up and finished with buttons and beading belt; $1.00 values, Monday, 69c.

Lane's Dry Goods Co.
327-329 S. BROADWAY

Very Smartest New Bags at a special price Monday.... $1.29
Fine Corona pin seal, pin Morocco and moire bags in the very newest shapes, the popular one-strap bags. We made a most fortunate purchase of these and at the price we offer them Monday, there should be a great demand. $1.29.

BEAD CHAINS—the newest 72-inch effects in black and white effects, alternated with crystal and amber beads, finished with handsome large silk tassel. $1.50 and $2.00.

Bargains

Fancy Trimmings and Braids 5c
Formerly sold for as much as 25c yard.
In this lot, which goes on sale Monday, are wash braids, silk embroidered bands, silk applique and braid trimmings in a big range of colors and designs. All go at 5c yard.

25c Pleatings 15c
Fine net and printed voile pleatings, 1 to 2¼ inches wide, which formerly sold for 25c, on sale tomorrow at 15c yard. Both cream and white.

Jet & Beaded Bands 75c.
Formerly sold at $2.00
A big variety trimmings, consisting of jet and beaded band trimmings, appliques and garnitures, priced for a big clean-up sale Monday at only 75c yard.

Shadow Allover Laces 35c
Cream, white and ecru shadow laces, 18 inches wide, which formerly sold for 50c, on sale tomorrow at 35c yard.
25c and 35c Shadow and Camisole Laces, white, only, yard, 20c.

Pretty Crepe de Chine Camisoles $1.50
Another big lot in a kind and quality which has always sold at $2.50 before, go on sale tomorrow at only $1.50. They are daintily trimmed with fine shadow laces and there is a wide range of new colorings.

Embroideries 15c
35c and 35c are former prices.
An assortment of fine match sets, 18-inch allover embroideries and flouncings. Think of it! Tomorrow your choice at 15c a yard.

Embroideries 25c
22 and 24-inch fine allover embroideries of sheer Swiss and Nainsook; good for waists and yokes. Kinds which formerly sold for as much as 75c, tomorrow at 25c yard.

600 New SUITS—300 New COATS
In a Great Monday Event!



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$25, $30, $35 Suits Monday $18.75
One of the greatest suit events of the season will be here Monday, when we place this splendid lot of high-class suits on sale at this price. Suits of every kind, style, size and color.
MANY HANDSOME WOOLTEX SUITS INCLUDED.

$20 and $22.50 Suits Will Be $14.75
Many of them would bring the regular price, but for Monday's selling they will be sold at this low figure. Plain tailored and fancy models in a dozen different styles—serges, checks, crepes and novelties.

1000 New Silk Petticoats
An immense shipment has arrived for Monday's selling and such values as we have never seen before. Plain or two-tone messaline of the same quality that is usually found in petticoats selling for twice as much. Some are in string tops, the others in fitted tops.
300 will sell for $1.25
300 will sell for $1.95
400 will sell for $2.95

$15 & $20 Chinchilla & Novelty Coats $10
One hundred swagger little coats in chinchillas, shepherd checks, broche weaves and novelty coatings in white, green, blue, tan and high colors. Sizes for misses or ladies at $10.00.

Wooltex Coats—Extra Special $15
We are indeed fortunate to announce these unusual values in such unusual coats. Swagger models and conservative styles in a wide range. Beautiful materials are used. Some are half lined — others are unlined, while many are full lined. Genuine Wooltex Coats, $15.00.



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5c Clark's Cotton Thread, 4 for 15c

John J. Clark's best 4-cord spool cotton, white and black; 200-yard spools; limit of 4 to a customer.
No Phone or Mail Orders Filled.
Girdle Foundations, 5½ inches and an exceptional value at 10c
Dress Shields; fine nainsook covered; the washable kind; in sizes 2, 3 and 4; at, per pair 10c
Shoe Trees that will keep your low shoes in shape; on sale Monday, at, pair..... 10c
Bias Tape of fine lawn and cambric, in widths 1 to 7 and in 6 and 12-yard bolts, at..... 5c
1c Dress Fasteners, white or black; all sizes; guaranteed moisture proof; sale price, per dozen..... 2½c
Genuine Steel Scissors; sizes 4 to 6; an extraordinarily good value, at, pair..... 25c
15c Whisk Brooms, double stitch; black enamel; wooden handle; they are the 9-inch size; for Monday at only.. 10c

Get Women's Summer Union Suits, Monday, 35c



Firmly woven, perfect fitting garments, low neck, sleeveless with cuff knee. Sizes 36 and 38 and decidedly underpriced at 35c the suit.

$1.25 Outsize Union Suits $1.00
The famous Merode make in low-neck, sleeveless style or with sleeves, cuff knee, sizes 40, 42 and 44. This is an out size suit that the stout woman will appreciate.

Women's $1.25 Black Union Suits for Bathing Wear $1.00
These are low-neck, sleeveless suits with cuff knee and they are in great favor for wear under bathing suits.

Knitted Bloomers 50c
They are fast black and are just the thing for wear with bathing suits. Sizes 5 and 6, and they are surely well worth the price asked, 50c pair.

We Carry the Noted "Merode Hand Finished Underwear"
All the new Spring and Summer Weights are in at 50c per garment and upwards.

Corsets For Every Woman at $2

Many women who have not seen these lines and styles we are showing in corsets of national repute will be surprised at the extent, the completeness and the value to be found in this big assortment at $2.00. Medium and low bust corsets with long and medium skirts. Some have elastic backs and sides that will appeal to the woman who appreciates style and comfort combined. Other models for the athletic girl, the summer girl—even the woman who want a lace-front corset will find it in this assortment. All sizes from 19 to 36.



THOMSON'S "GLOVE-FITTING" CORSETS.

RUGS! GOING! GOING! GOING!



You'll have to hurry—Just few left in some sizes—in others there is a fairly good assortment, and we've placed some most SENSATIONALLY LO WPRICES on these for a big Monday Clearance.—As before stated, we are going to quit the Rug Business entirely—Every rug in stock and every yard of linoleum is being sold at about cost and in some cases even less than cost.
If you've a rug need of any kind whatever, this sale presents a most out of the ordinary chance for you to get one at a wonderful saving.

LINOLEUMS

65c and 70c Printed Linoleums, Special, per square yard..... 39c
$1.25 inlaid linoleum, square yard 75c
$1.50 and $1.75 first quality heavy inlaid linoleum, square yard $1.10
(Bring your measurements.)

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"Kayser" Silk Gloves
An unequaled value within the reach of every woman's purse.
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Short "Kayser" Silk Gloves 50c, to $1.25
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"THE TIPS OUTWEAR THE GLOVES."

Monday a Sensational Sale of GLOVES

75c and $1 Gloves, in light shades only, at, pair..... 25c
Gloves from a celebrated maker that sell ordinarily at 75c and $1.00, in odd lines and light shades only, at only 25c pair Monday.

Empress Real Kid Gloves
Cut from $2.25 for a rousing big sale Monday to 95c.
A fine three-clasp glove of real French kid, cut seam, in a full range of shades, tomorrow for only, 95c pair.

Bacmo Washable Buxkins $1.00
$1.25 is the regular price of these. A glove that is guaranteed to wash and give satisfaction.

50c Chamoisette Gloves 39c
A fabric glove that looks exactly like the real chamois and is really much cooler for Summer wear. Come in natural chamois, gray and biscuit shades. Tomorrow only 39c pair.

Kayser Chamoisette Gloves 25c
A nationally known glove, two-clasp, in all shades, for only 25c pair.

$1.25 and $1.50 Silk Gloves 55c
Think of it! A finely made Milanaise weave Gloversville silk glove for 55c pair. There are blacks only.

$3 Real Kid Long Gloves $2.25
Extra fine, 16-button, 3-clasp, real kid gloves, O. S., white only, every pair fitted. Monday at $2.25 pair.

Pleasing New Wash Fabrics

It truly seems that this spring has brought forth more pretty novelty dress materials than ever before for the making of smart summer frocks, party dresses, waists, etc.
From a wonderfully large selection we have chosen a few for your special attention and also particularly to the very attractive prices we have made on them.

Polo Crepe 49c
Fabrics of equal beauty and serviceability would sell ordinarily at 60c. A sheer silk woven novelty, 40 inches wide in pink, maize, light blue, navy, salmon, etc.

Colored Voile 29c
A 35c value special for Monday at 29c yard. It is 27 inches wide and has a crepe ribbon stripe.

25c Domestic Crepe Ratines 19c
Stripes and checks, 37 inches wide. Very serviceable and decidedly good looking for only 19c yard.

Monday Special—A Large Assortment of White Materials Cut from 25c to 15c Yd.
A big offering for one day, checks, stripes and plain white goods go out on the White Goods Counter at, only 15c yard.

Monday Specials

Big Values from the Linen Department
Our $1.50, 72-inch, full double Damask Irish Linen. A Monday Special $1.19
Our $1.25, 72-inch Double Damask Irish or German Linen, ten patterns to select from, at only, yard 95c
Our 65c Damask, full 72 inches wide, and will give you perfect satisfaction; a special for Monday only at, yard 49c
$2.50, 20 and 22-inch all pure linen Napkins; a big saving to you Monday, at only, dozen $1.75
20x20, Heavy Quality, full-bleached ready for use Damask Napkins, at only, doz..... $1.25
$1.50 value, 20x20, German Linen Loom Dice Napkins, Silver bleached, a big Monday Special, dozen $1.19
$3.50 and $4.00 Odd Pattern Cloths, only a few that we have Napkins to match; 2 and 2½ yards long. These are all good, heavy quality, pure Irish Linen; your choice Monday at only..... $2.69



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All Styles, All Colors. Double Tips, Double Wear. A Guarantee Ticket in every pair. Short Silk Gloves, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 up. Long Silk Gloves, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 up.
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EIFFEL TOWER SILVER JUBILEE.

Twenty-fifth Anniversary Is Celebrated in Paris.

Aristide Briand Now Seeking a Seat in Parliament.

Sufferers from Alcoholism Quarter of Insane.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

PARIS, April 12.—The Eiffel Tower has been celebrating its silver jubilee. On April 2, just twenty-five years ago, the French flag was hoisted on its summit. It was the principal attraction of the exposition of 1889. Both at the time of its erection and afterwards it was the subject of hostile criticism on the part of artists and men of letters.

The composer, Charles Gounod, the great poets, Leconte de Lisle, Sully Prudhomme, Francois Coppee, the novelist, Guy Maupassant, united in protesting against the disfigurement of Paris by a structure which would not be tolerated even "by commercial America." Other critics declared that it would not last twenty years, but it stands today as strong as ever to vindicate its creators, the symbol and triumph of modern industry. For the Eiffel Tower was the pioneer of the light metallic construction which makes possible by its suppleness and enormous strength the most daring conceptions of the architect and engineer.

The famous tower is, indeed, a miracle of lightness with all its 8000 tons of metal, as a simple calculation shows. If a model on the scale of one-thousandth were made it would be twelve inches high and would only weigh twenty-eight ounces, the weight of a thick sheet of paper.

At first, hardly more than an engineering curiosity, the Eiffel Tower found its vocation when wireless telegraphy was invented. Now the correct time and a budget of the latest news is flashed from it twice daily to ships at sea and far-off French colonies in Africa.

BRIAND SEEKS ELECTION.

Aristide Briand, leader of the Federation of Democrats of the Left, which, in opposition to the present ministry of the Radical and Socialist-Radical groups, is seeking a majority in the parliamentary elections (April 26,) is looked upon even by his political foes as one of the first orators in Europe. He has eloquence and humor, the power to illuminate dry facts by his manner of presentation and all the gifts of the winning campaigner. His voice, sometimes melodious, sometimes sharply penetrating, varies amazingly from extreme rapidity of utterance to sober dignity. Some of his auditors at a meeting of 4000 in Paris the other evening were moved to tears, not by pathos, but by the beauty of his periods, which affected their emotions. Briand is from Southern France, whence nearly all the great orators of France come.

CANDIDATES' EXPENSES.

Candidates' expenses have been greatly reduced in the 1914 election campaigns by limiting the space used for the posting of manifestos and other campaign literature. Mayors are required to provide large boards at different points within their jurisdiction. On these each candidate is allotted an equal space. Any placarding of campaign posters elsewhere may be punished by a fine of from $1 to $2 for each offense. This places candidates with small campaign funds more nearly on equality with their wealthier rivals.

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ALCOHOLIC INSANE.

Persons suffering from alcoholism form more than a quarter of the army of insane in Paris and the Department of the Seine, and the number increases from year to year, according to figures just made public by the municipality. An additional argument, based on official statistics, is thus furnished Deputy Henri Schmidt, and others, who have been leading a vigorous anti-drink campaign throughout France.

Out of a total of 89,728 admitted to the asylums in the department mentioned from 1887 to 1911 the number of mentally deficient, victims of the drink habit, was 27,315. The figures also show that insanity in general as well as hereditary insanity is increasing. The combination of alcohol and strenuous life of the cities is among the reasons given for the growing number of cases of hereditary insanity.

Daring.

CLEVER HOAX IN POMERANIA.

COBBLER OF KOEPENICK'S FEAT IS SURPASSED.

Man Who Had Served Term in Prison for Forgery Secures Position as Burgomaster by Assuming Name and Title of an Acquaintance Successfully.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

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This burgomaster, who won his position in competition with 700 other candidates, had served a term in prison in Berlin, for embezzling money from a bank in which he was employed under the name of Henry Thormann. During a temporary release from prison he assumed the title of doctor of laws belonging to an acquaintance named Edward Alexander, and forged papers to prove his identity.

He started a new career in the Prussian civil service, and two years ago became Assessor in Bromberg, where he contracted a marriage with a woman of wealth.

But a woman in Berlin, who had been the bank clerk's sweetheart, brought a charge of blackmail against him, and this led to an investigation of the Vice-Mayor's papers. He was then lured to Berlin and arrested.

Come in and see our large mahogany "Armoire," containing over $6000 worth of the La Fayette sterling tableware—the seasonable wedding silver.

THE Armoire with La Fayette Service is a modern embodiment of an old Colonial institution—perfectly adapted for the preservation and harmonious display of a complete silver service for breakfast, luncheon and dinner.

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AT ALL STORES

In the Realm of California, Where "Sets the Sun."

A DEBUTANTE'S LETTER.

LOS ANGELES, April 24.

Chrystabel Dearest:

We were so very delighted to have your sweet letter—even if we don't always approve of your politics. We are so glad you met our dear friends in Paris, they write us glowingly of you and were so surprised to find that you were quite a normal young woman, and not a bit of an ogre.

We, too, are in the throes of war, a purely masculine war with plenty of blood in the offing. Hosts of our best men are off to Mexico, and it is, of course, casting gloom o'er most of our frivolous social functions. I think I told you about our Capt. and Mrs. R. H. Miner, among our creme de la creme here. The captain has volunteered for the war, too, and he seems to have set the fashion. You see, California is still very Spanish in many ways and we probably take an even keener interest in the tribulations here than in the Eastern States.

Yet, with it all, we are not slackening up at all on our social functions, and considering, you are all apt to regard us as living in semi-barbarism over here, I think I must regale you with a tale of some of our sparkles. Public opinion to the contrary, I happen to know you are not too strong-minded to like a little social tittle-tattle once in a while, and most of the names are familiar to you.

So you knew the Cavendishes were coming over. Well, they are to arrive this week to stay with the Underwoods. They are likely to have a sumptuous time—we are certainly not remiss in our hospitality to the British peerage over here. Suffragists, but not militants, eh? That is, of course, a good deal more respectable—in America.

I told you about Martha Hayes, quite one of our most striking beauties. She was married on Wednesday to Williner Heater, a truly charming affair. She is a Canadian girl, Vancouver.

You ask about the Hunters, yes, they are still here. He shines up brilliantly in golf affairs occasionally, but one doesn't expect too much consistency of a new bridegroom. I think they are returning East shortly and the Garlands, to whom he is related, are giving one of their de luxe parties for them on Monday. Out at a picturesque gun club—something on the idea of the shooting lodge in Scotland, you know—and doing the simple life luxuriously for two days.

Am so glad you did not think baseball stupid. It made us cross the way some of the silly English papers wrote about our New York Giants, national heroes. It is certainly much more thrilling to watch than cricket; if it hadn't been for that nice Leyland boy I couldn't have sat through that afternoon at Lord's last year, so there!

Just at present we are organizing some very stylish amateur baseball teams to form a country club league, so the jeer that only professionals can play the national game will be removed. The first match is on Saturday out at our Midwick Country Club, a lovely place not unlike Ranelagh, except that they haven't had time to grow any of those fine old trees yet. Naturally we are making it the social event of the month and some of us are hard put to it to wear our club colors and still retain our complexions. But baseball expects that every woman will do her duty. The Los Angeles Country Club colors are red and green, but earnest society dames will manage to wear 'em somewhere or perish. The Midwick colors are purple and white (your militant suffragette colors, dear!) and much more easy to arrange for.

They have erected a gorgeous marquee for a grand stand down on the polo ground and seem to have chosen all the handsomest men for the teams. You see, baseball calls for special physical perfection, those Giants and Sox you saw over there were really not exceptional in that respect, even our Los Angeles (we call them angels, bless them) and Venice teams are made up of fine-looking men like that.

Yes, the Von Schmidts leave here in a week or so for Austria, and are receiving showers of social blessings e'er they depart. Mrs. Dan McFarland, the W. A. Barkers, Mrs. Bryant, Louise Burke, the Hollidays, the Dunns and Mrs. Herron are all doing their noble duty by the illustrious departees and the community.

We have just been bubbling weddings this week, with dozens more to come—we do that sort of thing rather well over here, quite up to a St. Peter's or a Notre Dame affair, I can assure you. We are not quite so sternly conventional, there is often a much more homey atmosphere about things. True, you don't shed your wedding vows quite so soon or so easily over there, so perhaps the more weighty proceedings are more profoundly convincing. Still, dear, it is nice to be able to wear orange blossoms picked with the dew on that morning! Orange blossoms mean chastity, did you know? A pointer for one of your caustic articles on suffrage, cherie.

The Lee Allen Phillips gave a very stylish dinner on Wednesday evening—chiefly for the matured and married. Debutantes prominent by absence. Lots of political celebrities of the fair sex—including that amiable and sprightly old lady, Mrs. Shelley Tolhurst, you asked about. Oh, yes, she is quite a factor in politics here, and the Friday Morning Club, a woman's club, will be the scene of one of the most important of the city political meetings on Monday evening. If the men are not very careful the women will have the entire State politics in their hands before another term is completed. I suppose you think that will be all right, of course.

But to atone for this we are having a gorgeous fashion play at the Midwick Country Club tomorrow night on the lines of a Lucille dress parade in Bond street. It was Mrs. Miner's idea, and society dames will masquerade as mannikins in the very dernier cri of la mode. The scene will be a dressmaker's establishment with Mrs. Brackenridge as modiste, and Mrs. McGowan will be one of the shoppers, a regular Mrs. Malaprop with stacks of money, who wants to buy the whole bag of tricks. That enables the mannikins to parade in every kind of dress from a negligee to a ball gown a la mode. A society man, Avery McCarthy, will play the tailor—quite a lark. Much more fun than a cabaret—it all takes place on a platform while the rest of the members eat a dinner de luxe and make remarks.

You are established in the very citadel of fashion, but I don't believe you could give us many pointers. We are fearfully, alarmingly up-to-date here.

The mater joins in best love, Chrystabel dear.

Your affectionate

BETTY.

Senators John W. Weeks of Massachusetts and Henry A. Du Pont of Delaware offered their services to President Wilson for services in Mexico on the 15th inst. Senator weeks is a graduate of the Naval Academy and served two years in the navy. Senator Du Pont graduated from West Point and served in the Civil War.



[Photo by Mojonier.]

Mrs. Harvey Blanchard Lyon,

Whose wedding Tuesday evening in the First Baptist Church was witnessed by 500 friends.



[Photo by Matzene.]

Mrs. Mai Matthews,

Charming young Nashville, Tenn., visitor who is the house guest of Miss Martha Woolwine.



[Photo by Hoover Art Co.]

Mrs. Rollin B. Lane

Of Hollywood with her son Robert, who assisted as Cupid at the brilliant supper-dance given at their home, "Holly Chateau."

BITS OF VERSE.

When I Shall Come Again.

What shall I be when I shall come again?
Of all that now is I what shall remain?
Lightly I clothe me, lightly cast the robe
That serves me on this wandering, twilight globe.

And back I go to splendor, for a while—
No solar star but light from Krishna's smile;
But when I would remember in what wise
I then lived blest the frightened memory flies.

For Krishna will not have it that I know;
Lest I with eyes of torture earthward go—
Lest I the shuttle and the loom forsake,
And mar the pattern I was set to make.

So I, once shut of pleasure and of pain,
I meet them ever when I come again.
They are my tyrants, I their slave, poor thrall!
They toss me ever; I between them fall,

I know there is a better than our best,
Than even love, that dearest bosom guest;
I held its image when at peace I lay
In light of Krishna's smile, in timeless day.

It was of purer, subtler, than pure flame;
But chidden memory can not yield its name.
I only know when I shall come again
There will await me here love, pleasure, pain.

—[Edith M. Thomas in the New York Sun.

The Thinker.

Back of the beating hammer
By which the steel is wrought,
Back of the workshop's clamor,
The seeker may find the Thought.
The Thought that is ever master
Of iron and steam and steel,
That rises above disaster
And tramples it under heel!

The drudge may fret and tinker
Or labor with dusty blows,
But back of him stands the Thinker,
The clear-eyed man who knows;
For into each plow or saber
Each piece and part and whole,
Must go to the brains of labor
Which gives the work a soul!

Back of the motor's humming,
Back of the belts that sing,
Back of the hammer's drumming,
Back of the cranes that swing,
There is the eye which scans them,
Watching through stress and strain,
There is the mind which plans them—
Back of the brawn, the brain.

Might of the roaring boiler,
Force of the engine's thrust,
Strength of the sweating toiler,
Greatly in these we trust.
But back of them stands the schemer,
The Thinker who drives them through,
Back of the job—the dreamer
Who's making the dream come true!

—[Berton Braley in the American Machinist.

The Telegram.

Over the plains I fly,
Over the mountains high,
Over broad rivers that gleam in the light;
Flashing from sea to sea,
Dashing relentlessly,
Swift as a bullet, as sure in my flight,

Voiceless yet eloquent,
Speeding where'er I'm sent—
North to the snow line or south to the palm;
Freighted with weal or woe,
To wound or heal I go;
Bearing a dagger or carrying a balm.

Piercing the mother's breast,
Blighting scenes happiest;
Ay, or uplifting the heart that is sad,
Projects sublime I wreck;
Evil and crime I check;
Mighty my power for good or for bad.

Maine calls to Oregon,
Georgia to Washington;
City to vast, surging city replies.
So I fleet, caring not,
Pitying, sparing not;
Binding a nation with numberless ties.

Great, busy presses grind,
Broadcasting to the wind,
Tidings I've brought them from far and from near,
Sorrow and mirth I bring;
'Round the wide earth I fling
News of the moment while people give ear.

—[Walter Guy Doty in the National Magazine.

Spent.

When I look back along the way I came,
And count each bootless prayer at wayside shrine;
When I remember all the altar stones
I've stained with wanton gifts of tears and wine
And wound with roses broken ruthlessly,
To buy reluctant blessings of the powers;

When I consider these my empty hands,
And this, my heart, that leaps no more at life,
And is too tuneless to give back the sound
Of dancing feet and lure of flute and fife
That call and beckon from the market place,
Where once I danced to mock the graybeard hours;

When I remember all the wealth I had,
Of joy and faith and careless youth of heart,
Which slipped from hands held out for lesser things—
I can not wonder that the high gods sit apart
And mock me cruelly, by sending you
To lift the latches of an empty heart!

—[Dorothy Paul, in Harper's Monthly Magazine.

Danger in a Diary.

[Indianapolis News:] People in the habit of noting their candid opinions in diaries should be careful when showing them to other people. Shirly Brooks records that "Delane, the editor of the Times; Sir William Russell and Lord Hartington were in a railway carriage when some dispute arose about a date Russell affirmed that he knew, having made an entry in his diary. This was in his traveling case, and he produced it. He found the page, but not being able to read—his glass having slipped into his trousers—he gave it to Delane to read, who read: 'John Delane tells me such is the case, but then he is such a d—d liar that one doesn't know!'"

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MRS. JOHN WILLIAM ARNOLD OFF of this city and San Juan Capistrano entertained the young women of the Off-Somers bridal party Friday with a smart luncheon at the California Club. Baskets of spring blossoms brightened the table, where there were covers for Miss Georgia Helena Off, Miss Elizabeth Wood, Miss Winifred Maxon, Miss Gertrude Shafer, Miss Katherine Flint, Miss Dorothy Greaves of San Francisco, Miss Amy Busch and Mrs. Walter McCarty. Jack Somers will claim Miss Off as his bride Wednesday, the service taking place in St. John's in the presence of several hundred guests. Besides the matron of honor and maids there will be two little flower girls, Margaret and Dorothy Fulton, the attractive daughters of Dr. and Mrs. Fulton. Milton Clark Somers will stand with his brother as best man and the ushers asked are Carlton S. Burke, William Kay Crawford, George H. Reed, James R. Page, Irving M. Walker, Jerry H. Powell, Harry B. Wilson, Allen T. Archer, Chalmers Couts Gray and Albert G. Glass.

Complimentary Parting Dinner.

In honor of Adolf Tandler, the eminent and appreciated leader of the Los Angeles Symphony Orchestra, a complimentary farewell dinner function occurred at "Whitehall," Wilshire boulevard, last Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Charles Wellington Rand being the hostess, skillful, gracious and charming as usual. The affair was timed to occur on the eve of the departure of Mr. Tandler and wife for Europe, where they go on a visit, at the conclusion of which they will return to their chosen home in Los Angeles, where the talented and accomplished leader will resume his important musical engagement. The table was charmingly laid and was brilliant with exquisite napery, silver and glassware, rendered more luminous, if possible, by a lavish display of the favorite flower of the hostess. Covers for thirteen were laid, all of the invited guests being professionals.

Amateur Players.

Members of the Amateur Players' Club will enjoy a morning reading Tuesday at 10:30 o'clock at Thirty-first and Hoover streets. Mrs. Horace King will read "Nowadays," by George Middleton.

Mrs. Bronson Hostess.

A bridge luncheon of ten tables was presided over Friday by Mrs. H. B. Bronson, who entertained at her home, No. 2090 Harvard boulevard.

For Brides-to-Be.

Complimenting Miss Evangeline Dozier, who is betrothed to Irving Walker, and also Miss Isabel Watson, who is to wed Stuart O'Melveny, Mrs. J. F. Francis of South Bonnie Brae street entertained with a luncheon Saturday. Killarney buds and valley lilies arranged in a basket occupied the center of the table, while china bells filled with nosegays formed dainty favors for the guests, including Miss Kate Van Nuys, Miss Ruth Kays, Miss Lena Roland, Miss Lucy Carson, Miss Clara Waton, Miss Katherine Banning, Mrs. H. H. Cotton and Mrs. Clarence Moore. Decorations about the rooms were attractive, quantities of American Beauties and spring flowers having been arranged in the hall and in the drawing-room. Killarney and gladiolus lent their beauty, while yellow and purple iris adorned the living-room.

Charity Ball.

"The Evolution of the Dance," presented recently by members of the Amateur Players' Club, is to be repeated the evening of May 12, much to the delight of local and Pasadena society folk. This time the proceeds will go to the young women of the Orphans' Home Auxiliary, who will buy pretties for the beach home being completed for the little tots at the Los Angeles Orphans' Home. Not only will the interesting and clever programme be repeated, but the evening will conclude with a brilliant ball and Capt. Banning's place at Thirty-first and Hoover streets, will be crowded with those wishing to help the worthy cause.

At Hotel del Coronado.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Jarvis Barlow of South Figueroa street registered Sunday at Hotel del Coronado. Mrs. W. R. Hook of Menlo avenue, is also a guest at the picturesque resort.

Mrs. Crenshaw Hostess.

A handsome centerpiece of Scotch heath and maidenhair, extending the full length of the table, and cut-glass candelabra with pale yellow silk shades adorned the luncheon table Wednesday presided over by Mrs. George Charlotte Crenshaw of No. 1419 Willard place, and Mrs. Joseph Carlisle Brown. The lovely affair, which is the first of a series of spring parties planned by the clever hostesses, was given in honor of Mrs. William Morris, formerly of St. Louis, who will make Los Angeles her home, and also for Mrs. Thomas Grier of Dakota, who is occupying her winter residence in this city. Cards hand-adorned with butterflies marked places for Mrs. Charles Sharp, Mrs. Oscar M. Souden, Mrs. Thomas Wilson, Mrs. J. T. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Orra E. Monnett, Mrs. William Irving Hollingsworth, Mrs. Hugh Harper, Mrs. Charles MacFarland, Mrs. Willard Allan Featherstone, Mrs. Willard V. Day, Mrs. Loren O. Crenshaw, Mrs. William Mead and Mrs. Roger Johnson.

Wedding Announcement.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Fannie L. Marks and Mr. Feisleben, which took place April 15, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Marks, of 125 South Gramercy place. Rabbi Hecht was the officiating clergyman.

Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Montgomery of Benton, La., who are occupying their new home in this city, entertained Sunday evening with a dinner party in honor of their son, Ewing Montgomery, and his bride, who are here on their honeymoon trip. The bride was formerly Miss Mattie Belle Scanland of Benton, La., and the wedding on the 15th inst. was one of the fashionable events in the southern city. Mr. Montgomery, who is a well-known business man of Anaconda, Mont., will take his bride there to live. He is interested with his father in a large packing-house.

Parmenter Hostess.

Mrs. George Edward Parmenter entertained with an "original evening" party, to which about 100 guests were bidden. Ferns and palms beautified the ballroom of the Engstrum apartments, where the interesting affair took place. The clever programme opened with the reading by Miss Marjorie Charles Driscoll of her play "The Flax," a witty Irish farce supposed to have taken place an hour before cock's crow on a midsummer night. Miss Edna Weh Sterrett followed with several original poems and Miss Fanny Charles Dillon delighted those present with two of her own compositions. Mrs. Samuel Connon occupied another half hour presenting "Mammy's Hush Song" and "Mammy's Wake-Up Song," by Miss Alberta Jones of Pasadena, while the next number was several of Beatrice Hubbell Plummer's songs, sung by Mme. Michael de Kvapishevska. Other interesting numbers were provided by Mrs. S. T. Clover, who read her new play; Miss Edna Gerheart, who read one of her own short stories, and Mrs. Walter Putnam, who concluded the altogether interesting event with selections from her fairy stories.



Mrs. Ewing Montgomery,

A young bride from Benton, La., who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Montgomery, who are at present domiciled in their winter home in this city.

Wedding Announcement.

Miss Morna Keller, who for the past three years has made her home at Hotel Pleasanton, and who is a cousin of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Alexander of the Hershey Arms, was quietly married at 5 o'clock yesterday to Othello Dixon Dorsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dorsey of Los Angeles. The ceremony took place in the First Christian Church before the immediate family, Rev. Shepp officiating. Following, dinner was served at the California Club. At the conclusion of a brief trip Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey will make their home at No. 1503 South Figueroa street.

New Visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff J. Fox of West Thirty-sixth street are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a baby boy. The new visitor has been named Cliffe Walter.

Mother Honored.

Mrs. John Wesley Tomblin of No. 720 West Twenty-eighth street, assisted by her sisters, Mrs. John H.

Beeman & Hendee
351-353 So. Broadway

Exquisite Silk Dresses



This is a "Silk Season," and we are prepared to show you handsome Models in Crepe, Taffeta and Poplin that are indeed excellent values. We have all the tones that are most in favor—rich shades of blue, green, black, red, tango, etc.

Of course, every Dress in this assortment is strictly up to the Beeman & Hendee standard—the very latest in style and finish, with ruffled skirts and delicate lace trimmings.

For Girls and Misses Up to 20 yrs.
$15.50 to $29.50

Graduation Dresses

Delicate, beautiful models in Marquisette, Voile and Net. Though these Dresses lean toward simplicity, as is customary with Graduation Frocks, the styles embody the newest vogues, such as double skirts and dainty foot ruffles. We have sizes for girls and misses up to 20 years. They will be in our window Monday
$10 to $25

Children's Coats

Fancy Coats for Little Girls are here in an exceptional variety. The most favored materials are Silks and Poplins, with contrasting Belts, Collars and Cuffs, some of wash materials. All the lovely tones of pink, blue, etc., that look best on children are here for you to choose from.
$5.00 Up

—New Dolls—

As usual, we have introduced another Novelty in the way of unique Dolls. Be sure to look in our windows for the Kewpies, dressed in rich blue silk, in the very latest fads and styles. We have also dressed some other dolls in fashions that can be found nowhere else in town.



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Tango
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The Corset reproduced above is designed for any of these purposes. Entire elastic top. An unusual corset at one price—$1.50.

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Monday Special Black Silk Hose, $1.50 quality at $1.

Monday and through the week we conduct a

Mid Season
Clearance Sale

of certain Corsets we are not to reorder. Included will be found lots from the best makers and a very large collection to select from. As a suggestion of the advantage to purchasers at this sale we will mention two groups, while corsets at other reduced prices will be shown. These two lots give an idea of the saving.

Collection including $10 to $25 corsets $4.95
Collection including $3.50 to $6.

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They MUST Be Sold!
Every Pair Offered at Practically
Your Own Price Now

As the time grows shorter in this great sale of ours, we find that stronger and stronger grows the necessity for cutting prices already cut and for increasing values already tremendously increased.

There has never been, in the shoe selling history of Los Angeles, a time when a store, with the reputation which this one enjoys for handling nothing but the highest quality shoes has been placed in a position where it was absolutely compelled to put prices on thousands of shoes at the point where we have now placed them.

Discriminating men and discriminating women who realize the value of a dollar and who want their shoe money to do double duty and in some instances treble duty, flock to the store daily.

Make it a point to see our windows tomorrow.

Every Pair Men's Shoes Values $4.50 Up to $6.00 . . . $2.95

Every Pair Boys' Shoes Values $2.50 Up to $4.00 . . . $1.85

Every Pair Women's Tan Colonial Pumps Values to $5.00 . $1.35

Every Pair Women's Colored Satin Slippers Values to $5.00 . $1.95

Ladies' patent colt, button shoes, welt sole, $5.00 value	$2.95	Broken lines in ladies' kid and patent leather lace shoes, values to $5.00	$1.95
Ladies' gunmetal, button shoe, welt sole, $5.00 value	$2.95	Ladies' gray suede button shoes, value $6.00	$3.95
Broken lines in ladies' patent leather, kid and calf, pumps and colonials, $5.00 value	$1.95	Broken lines in ladies' tan calf button shoes, value $4.00	$2.45
Broken lines in ladies' patent leather, kid and calf pumps or Oxfords, values to $5.00	$1.95	Ladies' patent leather and kid lace shoes, turn and welt soles, value $5.00	$2.45
Broken lines in ladies' patent leather and kid Oxfords and slippers, values to $5.00	$1.45	Ladies' black satin pumps, value $4.00	$2.95
Ladies' tan calf, button shoes, values to $5.00	$2.95	Ladies' satin kid and patent beaded colonials, value $5.00	$3.85

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Another great lot of Fisk and Hyland hats, at about half, at $7.50



—Just imagine buying Fisk and Hyland hats at close to half—(some are less than half)—right now with summer just beginning!

—It's another demonstration of the helpfulness of this Jacoby Millinery Store—of the rightness of its styles and the lowness of its prices!—

—Fisk and Hyland are both names that stand high in the millinery world—both names that mean more to women than a whole page of glowing description—

—And think—these Fisk and Hyland hats that most stores would have been glad to have had at full price are to be about half—

Monday is to be a great day to buy and save!

—Among these hats at $7.50 are both tailored and dress hats in most every style—straw and color—with every new wanted trimming effect, too—

Untrimmed hat shapes an unusual outgoing at $3.95



—Hat shapes that were bought to sell in a special way at ever so much more than $3.95!

—There are plain sailors, bandeau effects, shepherdess models, turbans and wide brim affairs of hemp, milan hemp, milan, leghorn, Panama and split in tan, citron, brown, blue, white, black and quite a few of the new novelty shades!—

—A sale extraordinary at $3.95.

Second Floor—Jacoby's.

Women's coats and dresses---scores of them out in a big Monday event at close to half and way less than half . . $14.95

—The Jacoby garment store has sent out many wonderful new items this past year—but none of them have been of more importance than this sale of coats and dresses which we announce for Monday at $14.95.

—The coats came in a special purchase!



—There are dozens of models for street, evening and for motor wear—some of taffeta—some of moire and of faille and of poplin—others of gabardines—English mixtures—wool crepes—shepherd checks—serges—granite and waffle weaves and brocaded fabrics—

—All shades among them and all sizes 14 years to women's 44's.

—The dresses have all been taken from our regular stocks—all of them have been so much more than $14.95 that were we to quote the actual reductions in this advertisement—it is more than likely there would be enough women waiting when the doors open Monday morning, to take every one of them—

—There are hardly two in the whole lot alike—that means that every style—every material and every color that you could wish for is included—and every size, too, from misses' 14 years to women's 44's.

—We suggest early choosing!—

Crack! --- smash! --- bang!! Box after box is being opened

—just as this advertisement is being written.

—and piling out of them, are coming *the most exquisite wash weaves* that any summertime has found in years and years!

—Some of those the winter saw, were such delicate mistlike affairs that it's hard to imagine that they were really woven by a man-made loom.—And there were others sprinkled with dainty flowers that nature might be glad to claim as her own!

—No!—not high priced at all—most of them very modestly priced you'll think—some are even under what they were made to sell for!—

—A window showing of them ready today!—

—Here are a few of them—

—36-in. Imperial crepe at 35c.
—40-in. Egyptian voile at 25c.
—40-in. plaid ratine at 25c.
—40-in. woven voiles at 25c.
—40-in. floral voiles at 25c.
—38-in. Devon ratine at 25c.
—36-in. ratine striped crepe at 35c.
—38-in. floral rice cloth at 25c.
—40-in. pompadour voile at 25c.
—40-in. matinee voile at 25c.
—42-in. white French voile at 50c.
—27-in. white pique at 19c.
—36-in. white snowflake crepe 45c.
—45-in. white mercerized batiste 40c.
—42-in. white frosted crepes 75c.
—40-in. white twilled crepe 50c.

Jacoby's Mezzanine.

Suits---two sales---$13.95 and $21

—Both lots contain suits that are one-third to almost a half under worth!—

—Both lots contain suits in all sizes from misses' 14 years to women's 44's—suits in every one of the season's smartest styles—in practically all of the most wanted materials and most desired colors!—

—Either lot is worthy of a great deal more space than we have been able to give both of them here.

—Remember the savings amount to at least a third—in some cases they are close to a half!—

Third Floor—Jacoby's.

$5.00 will buy crepe de chine waists of unusual worth!

—Waists such as you are in the habit of paying more than $5.00 for—waists that you gladly pay more than $5.00 for—

—They're all low neck models—with drop shoulders and either long or short sleeves—the collars and cuffs are neatly hemstitched—some have dainty frills added—

—The color range includes maize—peach—apricot—violet—emerald—copenhagen—black and white.

Our famous dollar waists

—have proven to be strong factors in the up-building of the 4th Floor waist store!—

—You'll not wonder at it when you see the waists themselves, for they have little in common with waists that sell at $1.00 or with many that sell at even more!—

—There are included waists of voile—of batiste and of crepe with high or low necks and with long or three-quarter sleeves—some lace, some embroidery trimmed—all sizes—

4th Floor, Jacoby.

Silk petticoats

—Two items for Monday that will be read with a good deal of interest by women who would buy good petticoats and save!—

At $1.95 are messaline petticoats with deep plaited flounces and small dust ruffles—these come in emarald, Copenhagen, navy blue, American beauty, orange and purple.

At $2.95 are petticoats of messaline and others with jersey tops and deep messaline flounces—these are in emerald, American beauty, tango, black, white, wistaria, Copenhagen, purple, orange and brown.

—Fourth Floor—Jacoby's—

16-button silk gloves 75c

—This is one of the most important announcements that the Jacoby glove store has made in a long while—Hall's 16-button, 2-clasp, Milanese silk gloves in black, white and gray. Very specially priced at 75c pair!

A special lot of 2-clasp lamb gloves 75c

—These are in black, tan, mode, cream, blue and green—very specially priced at 75c pair.
—Between the Entrances, Jacoby's.

"How is it that you can sell these splendid adjustable dress forms at $5.98 when other stores ask so much more for them?"



—A customer asked that question of us the other day!

—And we answered: "We can sell them at $5.98 because we buy them by the carload (over 300 at a time).

—"Any store that had the courage to buy them in such quantities could offer you an equally low price—provided, of course, that they are satisfied with as little profit as we figure on"—

—Ask to see these splendid forms on Monday.

—Special Demonstration—Main Floor, Jacoby's.

81x90-inch seamless sheets—special at . . 50c

—Yes!—50c is way under the worth of this splendid sheet—but we're anxious for you to know more about the new home of the "Sheets and Pillow Cases" up on the Mezzanine—so we've named this low price to attract you there Monday!—

—These sheets are made of a good heavy round thread muslin—without seams—and with deep hems at top and bottom!—

—Just 300 of them to go at 50c!—

—Double bed-crocheted spreads, 79c.
—Genuine Marseilles spreads, $3.59.
—18x36-in. Huck Towels at $1.00 doz.
—18x36-in. Bleached Bath Towels, 15c each.

Mezzanine.

Corsets

—There are so many splendid new corsets ready in the new second floor corset store—and each one of them has so many features that are good and new (and in most cases exclusively their own) that we can but list them here and invite you to come see them Monday and let our expert corsetieres fit your model to you—

—La Marquise, La Rita, Lotus and Redfern at $3.50, $5.00 and up—
—La Revo and Regaliste at $5.00 and up—
—Lace front La Camilles at $2.50 and up—
—W. B., Warner's, Merito, Kabo and C. B. Corsets at $1.00 and up.
—Nemo Corsets and Rengo belts at $2.00 and up—Second Floor, Jacoby's.

2000 yards of shadow lace flouncings, in Monday sale, 75c

—Because a big New York importing house was ready to clear stocks—this lot of 2000 yards came to us considerably under worth—and Monday we are to offer it at an equal reduction!—

—It's all cotton lace, to be sure, but it's so much finer—in so much prettier patterns than laces selling at even so much more than 75c—that many women, who had expected to buy high-priced silk shadow laces will buy it for their new waists and frocks!—

—The widths range from 17-inch to 27-inch—the colors include white, cream and ecru—

—See the display of it in one of our windows today!—

North Aisle—Jacoby's.

Muslin underwear an offering at $1.25

—and it's a very unusual offering, too—for not only does it include gowns of crepe and muslin and the regulation drawer and corset cover combinations—but there are also included the new envelope chemise and the new knickerbocker combinations!—

—Many women will buy enough garments for wear all summer at this price!—4th floor, Jacoby's.

Tango novelties at half price

—Accordian plaited chiffon Princess slips at $2.97.

—Tango garters in white, light blue and pink at $1.75.

Fourth Floor—Jacoby's.

Make use of our phone and mail order departments! Expert shoppers will fill your orders as carefully as though you gave them in person!—

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Something New Every day
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SOCIETY.

Coulter of Alhambra and Mrs. Wayne Becktelheimer of Fullerton, entertained Tuesday with a luncheon in celebration of the 73rd birthday anniversary of her mother, Mrs. William A. Chambers. The table was gay with a centerpiece of lavender sweet peas adorned with bows of tulle. At each corner was placed a lavender-shaded candelabrum. Sixteen neighbors and friends, who have known the honoree for over twenty-five years, and who formerly resided in Adams county, Nebraska, were present.

Today Mr. and Mrs. Tomblin will give a dinner to sixteen relatives. This affair will be in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Tomblin's sister, Mrs. William L. Tubbs of Santa Ana. The table will be decked with pink peas.

Enjoyable Luncheon.

Mrs. H. K. Williamson, who leaves April 27 for an extended trip abroad, and Mrs. Eugenia Riggin, who has been spending the winter in this city and is returning to her home in Snowhill, Md., shared honors at a bridge luncheon Friday afternoon, given by the Misses Margaret and Esther Dent at their home, No. 2720 Wilshire boulevard, when covers were laid for thirty guests. Assisting ladies were Mrs. E. R. Bradley and Mrs. Bruce Williamson.

The home was attractively decorated throughout. Maman Cochet roses were used in the large living-room, American Beauties in the library, long sprays of Marechal Niel roses in the hall, and in the dining-room hanging baskets of spring blossoms were utilized. Guests were seated at two long tables, with an honor guest at each. One represented a miniature ocean, a mirror extending the length of the table, surrounded by quantities of white tulle, forming the ocean waves, while in the center was the General Grant, the steamship on which Mrs. Williamson sails. Other boats and craft were in the harbor and kewpies were waving farewells. The other was centered by a large mountain of snow, suggesting Snowhill, the home of Mrs. Riggin, also a limited train on which she will travel. Cards marking covers were hand-painted, adorned with old-fashioned ladies carrying silk shopping bags. Following luncheon games of auction employed the afternoon.

Another affair for Mrs. Williamson during the current week was the informal bridge tea given by Mrs. Nicholas E. Rice at her home, No. 317 Occidental boulevard, at which forty guests were included. The dining-room and living-room were effective in pink Maman Cochet roses, while the den, the sunroom and the breakfast-room were enlivened with the General McArthur roses. Score cards were scenes representing the four seasons.

To Tour the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard Jess will leave tomorrow for a tour of the East. They go first to Hot Springs, Va., and from there will go to New York and Boston.

Musical Tea.

Mrs. O. P. Huntington of Lu Verne, Minn., and Miss Olive Heiss, who has recently returned from a European trip, were the complimented guests Wednesday afternoon at a musical tea given by Miss Mary Huntington at the home of Mrs. Scott Ormsby on Garfield avenue, Pasadena. Miss Heiss, who is a notable pianiste, gave a delightful programme and Mrs. Clover read an original poem. Assisting ladies were Mrs. Scott Ormsby, Mrs. Benjamin F. Huntington and Mrs. Harry Powell. Fifty guests were included.

Fourth of a Series.

Mrs. C. R. Luton, No. 2301 Mercy place, has extended invitations for the fourth of the series of luncheons with which she is entertaining, the affair to take place Tuesday afternoon, April 28.

Missouri Guest Honored.

Mrs. George McIntyre entertained with a bridge luncheon Wednesday at her home, No. 330 South Alvarado street, honoring her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Newland of Fulton, Mo., who with her grandfather, George McIntyre, Sr., are guests in the city. The table was laid with a handsome lace cloth, centered by a brown basket, the handle tied with fluffy pink bows and the whole filled with pink chantress carnations. Place cards were adorned with charming little girls with quaint bonnets. Guests at auction were the pleasure guests of the hostess, following luncheon, and prizes were captured by Mrs. Unruh and Newland. Those invited to meet the honoree were Mrs. Joseph W. Thayer, Mrs. Frank Wells of Ocean Park, Mrs. A. G. Frost, Mrs. A. E. Houghtelin, Mrs. F. D. Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. David Unruh, Mrs. E. Knox, Mrs. Harry Harrison, Mrs. M. E. Johnson and Mrs. Clara Hill.

To Europe.

Mrs. Peter Barry and her daughter, Mary Beatrice, of Coronado street, are leaving shortly for a few years' sojourn in Europe, where Miss Barry will resume her studies in music and the languages.

Series of Affairs.

A charming hostess of the week was Mrs. David Unruh of Alvarado, who entertained with bridge luncheons Friday and Saturday, at her delightful home in Arcadia. For the home was embellished with a profusion of pink roses and on Saturday snowballs were utilized, all from the hostess' gardens. Place cards were adorned with Dutch scenes. Friday marked covers for Mrs. Jobson, Mrs. Irving Bancroft, Mrs. Robert Gortner, Mrs. H. A. Barker, Mrs. Albert Wilson, Mrs. Joseph Byrne, Mrs. George L. Peyton, Mrs. Richard Sterling and Mrs. Norman Craig.

Saturday guests included were Mrs. Robert Smith, who furnished a delightful programme of music during the afternoon; Mrs. Thomas Wright, Mrs. Frank Bradbury, Mrs. Ann Thomas, Mrs. George Hunt, Mrs. George McIntyre, Mrs. M. Coffman and Mrs. John W. Thayer.

On Eastern Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckner Rison will close their home at No. 944 Alvarado street and leave next Saturday for New York City, where Mr. Buckner will study voice culture six months. They will then go to Paris, where she will coach with Gabriel La Pierre for a year or two.

Engagement Made Known.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bolles of 2636 La Salle avenue made known the engagement of their daughter, Miss Matie, to J. Doherty of Denver, Colo. The wedding will be solemnized in June.

Children's Party.

Little Katherine Moore, talented young daughter of Mrs. Moore of North Coronado street, was hostess recently, entertaining a number of her small friends in celebration of her fifth birthday anniversary. The tots were delighted with the large Kewpie doll, surrounded with pink and white blossoms, which centered the table, laden with goodies. Boys and girls who enjoyed the afternoon were Marcia Cleveland, Frank Goldenson, who did some fancy dances during the afternoon, Ruth Moon, Grace Wing, Kathleen Adams, Dorothy Adams, Mary White, Helen Tiernan, Anna Mae, Katherine Milbach, Betty de la Rosalynn Johns, Robert Lewis and George Kiefer.

Engagement Announcement.

Mrs. A. F. Huntoon of No. 948 West Forty-eighth street announced today the engagement of her only daughter, Miss Ethel Emerson, to George Edward Rinehart, a prominent business man of this city. The young people have chosen June 11 for the date of the wedding, which will be quietly solemnized in this city. The bride has many friends in the social world, being a member of the Alpha Chi Omega Sorority.

House Guest.

Miss Esther Love of No. 447 Alvarado boulevard is entertaining

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Featuring The Frolaset Corset
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Graceful in their lines, correct in their form, superbly made of the best possible materials, these incomparable front lace corsets have no superior anywhere.

Frolaset models to fit all figures and to assure the most perfect fitting gowns

Let our expert corsetiere show you the particular model designed to meet your every individual requirement.

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a delightful programme and Mrs. A. Clover read an original poem. Assisting ladies were Mrs. Scott Orcutt, Mrs. Benjamin F. Huntington and Mrs. Harry Powell. Fifty guests were included.

Fourth of a Series.

Mrs. C. R. Luton, No. 2205 Gramercy place, has extended invitations for the fourth of the series of bridge luncheons with which she is entertaining, the affair to take place Tuesday afternoon, April 28.

Missouri Guest Honored.

Mrs. George McIntyre entertained with a bridge luncheon Wednesday at her home, No. 330 South Alvarado street, honoring her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Newland of Fulton, Mo., who with her grandfather, George McIntyre, Sr., are guests in the city. The table was laid with a handsome cloth, centered by a brown basket, the handle tied with fluffy pink tulle bows and the whole filled with enchantress carnations. Place cards were adorned with charming young girls with quaint bonnets. Games of auction were the pleasure provided by the hostess, following luncheon, and prizes were captured by Mrs. Unruh and Newland. Those invited to meet the honoree were Mrs. John W. Thayer, Mrs. Frank Wells of Ocean Park, Mrs. A. G. Pruhing, Mrs. A. E. Houghtelin, Mrs. F. Davis, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. Robert G. Smith, Mrs. David Unruh, Mrs. E. Knox, Mrs. Harry Harrington, Mrs. M. E. Johnson and Mrs. Charles Hill.

To Europe.

Mrs. Peter Barry and her daughter, Mary Beatrice, of Coronado street, are leaving shortly for a two years' sojourn in Europe, where Miss Barry will resume her studies in music and the languages.

Series of Affairs.

A charming hostess of the week was Mrs. David Unruh of Arcadia, who entertained with bridge luncheons Friday and Saturday, at her delightful home in Arcadia. Friday the home was embellished with a profusion of pink roses and on Saturday snowballs were utilized, all from the hostess' gardens. Place cards were adorned with Dutch scenes and Friday marked covers for Mrs. E. Jobson, Mrs. Irving Bancroft, Mrs. Robert Gortner, Mrs. H. A. Unruh, Mrs. Albert Wilson, Mrs. Jane Byrne, Mrs. George L. Pennima, Mrs. Richard Sterling and Mrs. Loman Craig.

Saturday guests included were Mrs. Robert Smith, who furnished a delightful programme of music during the afternoon; Mrs. Thomas A. Wright, Mrs. Frank Bradbury, Mrs. Ann Thomas, Mrs. George Bischo, Mrs. George McIntyre, Mrs. M. Castman and Mrs. John W. Thayer.

On Eastern Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckner Ringo will close their home at No. 944 Manzanita street and leave next Saturday for New York City, where Mrs. Buckner will study voice culture for six months. They will then go to Paris, where she will coach with Gabriel La Pierre for a year or two.

Engagement Made Known.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bolleu of No. 2636 La Salle avenue made known the engagement of their daughter, Miss Matie, to J. Doherty of Denver, Colo. The wedding will be solemnized in June.

Children's Party.

Little Katherine Moore, the talented young daughter of Mrs. E. Moore of North Coronado street, was hostess recently, entertaining a number of her small friends in celebration of her fifth birthday anniversary. The tots were delighted with the large Kewpie doll, surrounded with pink and white blossoms, which centered the table, laden with goodies. Boys and girls who enjoyed the afternoon were Marcia Cleveland and Frank Goldenson, who did several fancy dances during the afternoon; Ruth Moon, Grace Wing, Katherine Adams, Dorothy Adams, Edna White, Helen Tiernan, Anna Moore, Katherine Milbach, Betty de Lano, Rosalynn Johns, Robert Lewis and George Kiefer.

Engagement Announcement.

Mrs. A. F. Huntoon of No. 1338 West Forty-eighth street announces today the engagement of her only daughter, Miss Ethelyl Emmetta, to George Edward Rinehart, a young business man of this city. The young people have chosen June 11 for the date of the wedding, which will be quietly solemnized in this city. The bride has many friends in the sorority world, being a member of the Alpha Chi Omega Sorority.

House Guest.

Miss Esther Love of No. 457 Harvard boulevard is entertaining a

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Visit for a week Miss Margaret Smith of San Bernardino.

Golden Wedding Celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Berny of No. 111 North Ardmore avenue received about fifty of their friends last week in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary. Their home, in honor of the notable event, was decked with golden blossoms, and the table, a wedding gift fifty years ago, held a huge wedding cake surrounded with yellow flowers. A feature of the afternoon was the gold shower presented by members of the immediate family. From church friends came a beautiful gold clock. The lovable old couple were assisted by five of their daughters, the Misses Emma, Carry and Helen Berny and Mrs. W. N. Hall and Mrs. G. L. Ballada.

Pleasant Affair.

A supper-dance was given recently by Commodore and Mrs. Alexander Mitchell of St. Andrews place, when the following guests were entertained: Miss James Flathers, Mrs. Lottie Coates, Mrs. Alfred Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Freeland, Mr. and Mrs. P. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Miner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hays of Hollywood, Louis Masher and Jack Glendering.

Orpheum Party.

Mr. and Mrs. George G. Germain of No. 1761 Harvard boulevard entertained recently with a box party in honor of their house guest, Mrs. Cora B. Richardson of Springfield, Mo. Mrs. Richardson is a sister of Mrs. Germain.

To Entertain.

Miss Margaret Bentel, No. 1627 Alvira avenue, will entertain a party of young friends at the opening performance of "Wan o' the Wood" at the Little Theater Tuesday afternoon.

At the Beach.

Many local society folk attended the dinner-dance at the Merritt Jones Home at Ocean Park Tuesday evening. The presence of several naval officers and their wives from the battleships moored off the Los Angeles coast gave the affair a semi-military ball. Dancing in the tango-room followed an elaborate eight-course dinner in the main dining salon. Among the guests were: Dr. and Mrs. Floyd Nutting, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Fielding, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Perew, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mr. and Mrs. Parker Byron, Mrs. [illegible] Gillis, Miss Selma Taliafero, Mrs. Ervin Tape, Mrs. Leona Chapman, Miss Cecile Smith, Misses Mary and Ruth Hoppe, Miss Ovidia Weld, Miss Wilcox, Otto Weld, Earl Remington, John Byers, Louis J. McCarthy, Mr. Freese, T. C. Gordon, Lieut. A. Logan, U.S.N., Lieut. F. G. U.S.N., Victor Kleinberger, Irvin Bunt, Helen Brown and Irving

Autumn Wedding.

Miss Kathryn Estelle Wardenburg, daughter of Mrs. Nelle Wardenburg of 1388 East Thirty-seventh street, was united in marriage on the 16th inst. to Alan Warde Ross. The service took place in the study of the First Unitarian Church, Rev. E. Stanton Hodgin officiating. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Ross of San Francisco, mother of the groom, and John Wardenburg of Salt Lake City, brother of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Ross left immediately for the northern part of the State, where they will spend their honeymoon. Their future home will be in San Francisco.

Bride-Elect Honored.

Miss Edna Thacker, who is betrothed to Paul McClure, was the complimented guest recently at a tea given by the Misses Zoe and Ruth McClure at their home in Highland Park. The rooms were beautifully with baskets of Cecile Bruners, and on the mantel Kewpie brides and grooms attended by a long bridal veil, was the clever arrangement. Among the guests were Mrs. C. I. Thacker of Newport, Mrs. Harry Chase of Glendale, Mrs. Titus Kinsey of Venice, Mrs. John Udell, Mrs. Grace Frees, Mrs. James Smart, Mrs. H. M. Chapman, Mrs. Charles Oden, Mrs. D. R. McClure, Miss Heleh Oden, Miss Florence Ringle, Miss Luella Rice, Miss Ruth Parland, Miss Etta Rogers, Miss Mabel Ringle, Miss Katherine Hale, Miss Byrd Roce, Miss Edna Miller, Miss Henrietta Ringle, Miss Stella Ayers, Miss Myrtle Nevins, Miss Ruth Nevins and Miss Mary Nevins.

Bride-Furry Wedding.

Miss L. M. Furry of Montrose, Colo., and Edward M. Beall of Hollywood were married a day or so ago at the home of the groom's brother, C. A. Beall of Lemoine avenue. Rev. Sallee of the Alvarado Christian Church officiated. At the conclusion of a honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. Beall will be at home at No. 6042 Carlton way, Hollywood.

Engagement Announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla C. Krebs of No. 1910 Linden avenue, Berkeley, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Holmes Krebs, to Everett Richard Ludden of San Francisco. The groom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Ludden of Martinez, Cal. The bride-elect was born and educated in this city and her many friends here will shower her with congratulations.

Guests at Alexandria.

Among prominent young bridal couples registered at Hotel Alexandria is Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Reitler from Chicago, who are touring California. Mrs. Reitler is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Goldstein of Little Rock, Ark., her father being a very prominent banker and capitalist of that city. She is very pretty and a great favorite of her own city, and also in Chicago, where she has spent several months with friends. The young couple intend to remain in California for several weeks, dividing their time between here, Pasadena and Coronado Beach, and later intend to sail for Honolulu.

A number of social affairs have been tendered in their honor by Mr. and Mrs. Laurence W. Searts of Westmoreland Arcade.

Informal Dinner.

One of the enjoyable parties of recent date was the dinner given at the home of Beverly Hills by J. E. Carter, followed by his daughter, Mrs. Langley. The affair was planned as a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Clarke, who will soon leave for an extended tour abroad. Those participating in the enjoyable event were Mr. and Mrs. Strong of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack, Miss Ada Gillett of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Whitney of Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter of Long Beach, and M. Rogers.

Miss Sunquist Honored.

Mrs. Wilfred Gayton Lane, of No. 1 Ingraham street, entertained with a charming luncheon party recently, honoring Miss Beulah Jungquist, who will be one of the interesting brides. Miss Jungquist assisted as maid of honor at Mrs. Lane's wedding in September and the young couple are warm friends. Others present to share the good time were Miss Ray Reed, Miss Ada Campbell, Miss Florence Danforth, Miss Grace Helen Pease, Miss Berenice Marcher, Miss Pearl Kardel, Miss Josephine Neil, Mrs. Frederick Jungquist, Mrs. Mathew Thorn and Mrs. Harry Underwood.

China Shower.

Miss Pearl Getchell, whose engagement to J. A. Robertson of Long Beach, was recently announced, was the guest of honor at a china shower given by Mrs. J. Standlin Jones at her home, No. 549 West Forty-fifth street. The rooms were elaborate with quantities of ivy, pink Killarney roses and Shasta daisies. Places at the table were marked with miniature bridesmaids carrying tiny scrolls bearing the guest's name and a clever little toast. The gifts were hidden in a huge centerpiece of ferns on the top of which was a bisque bride. There were present Miss Adele Tower, Miss Alice Olson, Miss Ethel Jacobs, Miss Josephine McCune, Miss Florence Olson, Miss Lillie Paine, Mrs. Helen Millar, Mrs. R. D. Stein, Mrs. George Fetch, Mrs. E. A. Riggs, Mrs. George A. Getchell, Mrs. Harriet Tower and Mrs. George W. Blake.

At Beverly Hills.

One of the enjoyable society functions of the past week was a luncheon given last Wednesday by Miss F. E. O'Mera of Kingsley drive, for about seventy-five of her friends at the Beverly Hills Hotel. Tables were artistically decorated with tulips and maidenhair ferns. After luncheon the guests retired to the sun parlor, where cards were enjoyed for the afternoon.

Arrive at Pekin, China.

A cable has been received announcing the safe arrival in Pekin, China, of the following Angelenos: Mrs. D. F. Robertson, Mrs. C. R. Taylor, Mr. William Neill, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Rector, Miss Wilhelmina Rector, Mrs. L. P. Frost, Mrs. M. A. Stratton, Dr. and Mrs. David Dack, Mrs. C. W. Thode and Miss Louise Nachtsheim. The party is well and will remain in Pekin eight days. They will then proceed to Tsingtau, thence to Shanghai, Hongkong and Canton.

Symphony Lovers.

Reservations for season tickets for the Symphonies for next season are arriving in most satisfactory numbers and within the past week these names have been registered from the city: Mrs. C. C. Carpenter, Miss Helen A. Klokke, Mrs. W. E. Dunn, Elizabeth W. Johnson, Mrs. C. V. A. Sidell, Mrs. Frank Parmalee, Mrs. H. W. R. Strong, Mrs. Stoddard Jess, Miss Clare Germain, Mrs. R. Wednigk and Mrs. William S. Percey.

Beverly Hills Gossip.

Dr. S. H. Baker of Hollywood entertained a number of his friends at a dinner party Friday evening at the Beverly Hills Hotel. The table was beautifully decorated with red roses and foliage. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. James Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Coulston, Mrs. Carrier, Mrs. Ollier and Mrs. Baker.

From Montana.

Dr. and Mrs. Spotswood and children of Missoula, Mont., are spending a month in Los Angeles. They are stopping at Hotel Leighton.

Sorority Party.

Members of the Theta Pi Beta Sorority entertained with a dansant and supper at the home of Miss Margaret Campbell, on Budlong avenue, Friday evening. The house and porch were beautifully decorated with roses and greens combined with the club colors. Those who enjoyed the evening were the Misses Mary Louise Burns, Agnes Weber, Margaret Campbell, Margaret Lecklighter, Venus Cake, Mary Dolan, Harriet Blake, Emily Kirchner, Mrs. Jack Klein and the Messrs. Earl Coffman, Jay English, Carl Weber, Thomas Brinker, Norman Bradshaw, W. Cake, George Barnes, Dugan Blake, G. Thompson, Charles Luckenback, J. Stevens, Jack Klein and H. Luckenback.

To Leave.

Mrs. George W. MacKnight of No. 1652 Gramercy place, with her daughter, Miss Alpha MacKnight, left last week for San Francisco, where they will spend three weeks.

Musicale Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Mausard entertained recently with a pleasant musicale at their bungalow, No. 251 North Western avenue. Mrs. Emile Cole-Ulrich, who with her husband and little daughter has come to Los Angeles to reside, was present as special guest. The programme was presented by the honoree, Gustave Ulrich, Paul Heidenrich, Madame Lauge and Mrs. Athon. Following supper dancing was enjoyed.

School Friend Honored.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Schmitt entertained at their home, No. 1430 Connecticut street, recently, honoring Mrs. Jacob Kolb of Detroit, Mich., a school friend of Mrs. Schmitt. The home was attractive in a violet and gold scheme and the evening was passed in interesting games and conversation. Name cards held places for Mr. and Mrs. Kolb, Miss Mattie Kolb, Mr. and Mrs. William Fowler, Miss Bessie Marie Fowler and Mrs. Mary Kellner.

Musical Tea.

A musical tea was the pleasure provided by Mrs. Roy Moore for her friends Wednesday afternoon at her home on Mariposa street. A yellow color scheme was carried out in the music and living-rooms by the Spanish iris and Scotch broom, and in the dining-room a basket of American Beauty roses adorned the tea table. A delightful programme was furnished by Mrs. Harry G. Marxmiller, Mrs. William Boothby Stringfellow, Mrs. Vining, Miss Nell McCutcheon, Mrs. Paul Lindsay Conklin, Mrs. Junquist, Mrs. Harry Underwood and Mrs. Roy Moore.

Seattle Guest.

Mrs. D. Winkler of Seattle is the house guest of her daughter, Mrs. P. J. Moran, No. 737 Rampart street, where she will be at home to her many friends.

Will Go Abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robert Paul of Sycamore avenue, Hollywood, will leave for New York May 10 and will sail for Europe about June 10 in company with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Max Hart of Chicago.

Mrs. Kellie Hostess.

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. Kellie entertained a large party of friends at cards at her beautiful Hollywood home. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. L. D. Miller of Glendora, Mrs. Ward Rice of Beverly Hills, Mrs. William Briggs and Mrs. Willis Durfee.

The prize winners were Mmes. E. F. Bogardus, T. A. Thompson, R. P. McJohnston, George Wilson, Laura Thomas, Miss Alice Smith and Miss Rita Smith. The rooms were brightly decorated with spring flowers.

Marriage Announced.

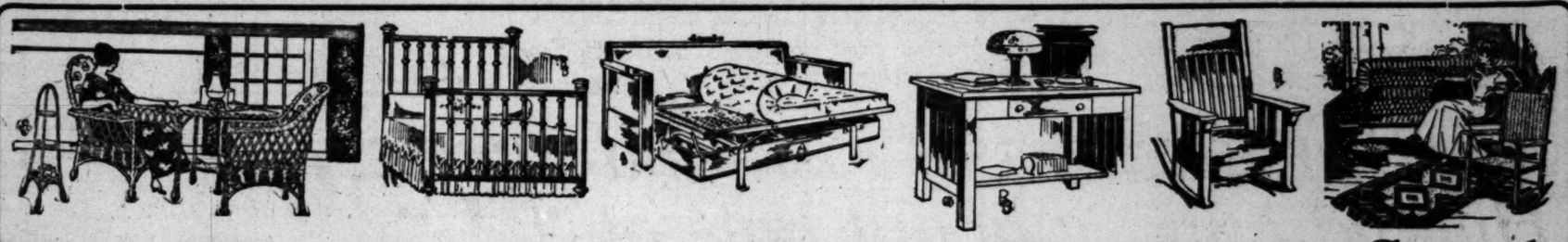
Cards have been issued, announcing the marriage of Franklin S. Wade, son of C. J. Wade of De Longpre avenue, Hollywood, and Miss Carol Dudley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Cooke of San Diego, Wednesday, April 15, in Los Angeles. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Hotchkins before the immediate relatives of the bridal couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade will reside in Hollywood, having secured an apartment at the Hollywood apartments.

Dinner and Dance.

Miss Geraldine Sullivan and Charles Sullivan of Laurel avenue entertained with a dinner party of fourteen covers on Thursday evening. Yellow and green constituted the color scheme for the table decorations and appointments.

The guests were Misses Charlotte Wilson, Morris Johnson, Alice Gower, Catherine Cartwright, Francis Kadish, Elizabeth Carpenter, Geraldine Sullivan, Messrs. Parker, Foster, Edward Lewis, Thomas Hosler, William Owen, William Kellie, Hawthorne Miles and Charles Sullivan. After the dinner the young people attended a



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KEARSLEY TAPESTRY RUGS—4 patterns; 8.3x10.6 ft.; regular $18.50; special at $10.50

FIBRE RUGS—6 patterns; 9x12 ft.; regular $12.00; special at $8.50

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dance at Wilcox Hall, where the young men of the party were hosts to over 100 guests. The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. S. Owen and Mrs. H. S. Dukes.

Bride Showered.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mrs. George Walker, a recent bride, at the home of her mother-in-law, last Friday afternoon. Baskets of pink roses, quantities of fern and pink hearts were used to decorate the rooms. Over twenty guests were present.

After the refreshments the bride was showered with many beautiful gifts.

Charming Bridge Party.

The Misses Blanche and Irene Kellie of No. 7254 Hollywood boulevard were the charming hostesses at a large bridge party Friday afternoon. The house was effectively decorated with yellow Scotch broom, yellow tulips and yellow iris.

Prizes were awarded Mrs. Leo Youngworth, Mrs. Kenneth Bissell, Mrs. Bryant Matthews, Mrs. Mariette Rust, Mrs. Robert Bryer, Mrs. M. R. Anderson, Mrs. Samuel Baker, Mrs. Ivan Mattison, Mrs. William McKay, Mrs. Foote, Mrs. Kent of Pasadena, Misses Mary Turner, Florence Wachter, Eileen Wagner, Ethel and Julia Vanderburg and Elizabeth Wood.

Studio Supper.

Miss Viroque Baker was hostess at a delightful "studio supper" Thursday evening at the photographic studio of her mother, Mrs. Maud Davis Baker, No. 1616 Vine street. Candles and Scotch broom brightened the tables, and a delicious supper served buffet style. All the rooms were lighted with candelabras. Impromptu solos were rendered by Frank Kurtz, and Miss May La Grande. Later cards were enjoyed.

Places were marked for Mrs. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cody, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Moeller, Misses Helen Dickey, Mabella Lewis, May La Grande, Myrtle Hoel, Etheln Hunkins, Miss Baker and Messrs. Frank Kurtz, John Curtis, Harold Chambers, Duane Lyon, A. R. Hamm and George Bont.

Charity Garden Fete.

The handsome grounds of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil E. Hodgson at the corner of Franklin and Fuller avenues, Hollywood, was the scene of a delightful al fresco affair yesterday afternoon from 2 until 6 o'clock, when the Princess Mary Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, held their annual garden party for the benefit of their philanthropic work. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. Lionel Van Deerlin, Mrs. Lawrence Morgan and Miss Elsa Palmer.

The chapter members and friends assisting were: Candy, Misses C. E. Magee, Lalla Fagge, Dorothy Sadler and Muriel King; fish pond, Mrs. Lionel Van Deerlin and Miss Daisy Walters; fancy articles, Mrs. Aubrey Allen, Misses Dorothy Moore and Wilkie Gilholme; tea and ice cream, Mmes. M. C. Wilson, Robert Plant, Reginald Whitaker, Morgan, Misses M. Moffatt, Elsa and Miriam Palmer, B. Allen, M. Scott, Stirling, Jamison, Audrey Creighton and B. Lillingston, Miss Marion Phinney; punch, Mrs. C. J. Fox, Jr., and Miss Young; fortune teller, Mrs. Robert Barrett; Aunt Sally, Gerald Hodgson, Barton Jones and Percival Morley; donkey game, Misses M. Walters and D. Scott. Miss Laura Mitchell made pen and ink silhouettes from life. During the afternoon a splendid programme was given by the Hollywood ladies' quartette, Miss Gladys Edmonds and Miss Bawif of Long Beach, readers. The Reception Committee was composed of Misses Aubrey Allen, C. E. Hodgson, Hugo Wallace and Harold Allen of South Pasadena.

OUT-OF-TOWN-SOCIETY.

Pasadena.

TWO of the most artistically appointed social functions given last week in Pasadena were a luncheon and an auction bridge party at which Mrs. Henry Vilas of Markham place was the hostess. Both affairs were given in honor of Mrs. Vilas's sister, Mrs. J. B. Modisette, of St. Louis, who has been spending several weeks here, and who has been an honored guest at many social functions. The luncheon was given Wednesday at the Valley Hunt Club, when covers were laid for twenty-four. The extension dining-room was beautifully decorated with trailing vines of asparagus plumosus and ferns and Cecile Brunner roses were used in profusion. As a centerpiece for table decoration a low basket was filled with Cecile Brunner roses and dainty favors of lace baskets tied with pink tulle were at each place. Coffee was served in the drawing-room after the luncheon, the hostess presiding over the coffee urn. Those present were Mmes. E. H. Moulton, Henry Van Dyke, David R. Scott, DeWitt C. Le Fevre, George E. Hale, Benjamin Folsom, Arthur A. Libby, Fred Elmer Wilcox, John Earle Jardine, H. M. Robinson, Walter S. Volkmar, F. G. Cruickshank, G. Lawrence Stimson, J. Foster Rhodes, B. B. Bush, Torrey Everett, C. C. Clark, S. M. Hamilton, Misses Dorothy Vandevort, Jane Stimson and Barbara Blankenhorn. Friday afternoon Mrs. Vilas entertained at her own home with auction bridge. The library and drawing-room where the card tables were placed were charmingly decorated with Killarney and Radiant roses. Prizes were awarded after the games and refreshments were served at the card tables.

Mrs. A. M. McDearmont of West Colorado street was the hostess at one of the larger auction bridge parties of the week Friday afternoon when she entertained forty of her friends in honor of her house guest, Mrs. H. M. Evans, of Kansas City. After the games tea was served in the dining-room and other friends of the hostess came in for refreshments. The rooms were beautifully decorated with garden rose and in the dining-room a color scheme of pink and green was carried out with Killarney roses and wood ferns.

Quite the largest social affair in which Pasadena society was interested last week was the fashion show dinner dance given at the Midwick Club last evening. The affair was under the direction of Mrs. William Brackenridge and Mrs. Samuel Cupples Pierce of Pasadena, assisted by Mmes. Randolph Miner and E. A. McCarthy of Los Angeles. Among those exhibiting stunning costumes were Mmes. Sam J. Haskins, P. L. Letchworth, Howard E. Huntington, Irving Armstrong, Montague Ward, Avery McCarthy, H. J. Cook, Rufus Spaulding, Misses Emily McBride, Dorothy Bailey, Theodora Robbins, Sallie McFarland, Marjorie Ramsay, Helen Jones, Catherine Ramsay, McCarthy, Clara Watson, Elizabeth Sherk, Isabel Watson and others. Assisting in entertaining were Mmes. Harrison Guthrie, Granville MacGowan, with Mmes. Brackenridge and Miner. There were about 200 guests present.

Members of the Valley Hunt Club and a few of their friends enjoyed a supper dance at the clubhouse Saturday evening. Owing to the fashion show at the Midwick there were only seventy-five present, but the affair was elaborately appointed and one of the most delightful entertainments of the post-Lenten season.

Mrs. Hampton L. Story of Altadena has issued invitations for an auction bridge luncheon, which will be given tomorrow at the Altadena Country Club.

Tuesday will be art day at the Shakespeare Club and an informal reception will be given to artists who have exhibited or will exhibit their artistic work there during the season. The Reception Committee is made up of the executive board and those assisting are Mmes. M. L. Means, R. B. Ashley, Webster Merrifield, Jeremiah Rhodes, Arthur Noble and J. H. Woodworth. Hector Alliot will give a lecture on three centuries of art in America, and among artists exhibiting now are Benjamin Chambers Brown, California landscapes; Ernest Batchelder, arts and crafts work in tiles; Miss Waldvogel, embroideries; Julia Bracken Wendt, sculptor, and other artists of note. Of added interest are pictures loaned by Mmes. F. G. Cruickshank and J. N. Burnes.

Miss Stella Noble will entertain her friends living on New York avenue tomorrow with an auction bridge party at her home on Marengo avenue, Altadena.

The Pasadena alumnae of the University of Michigan were entertained early in the week by Mrs. M. B. Butler at Hotel Vista del Arroyo, at luncheon. Covers were laid for Mmes. H. H. Clark, Ralph W. Bailey, John D. Mersereau, Clayton R. Taylor, Edward T. Parker, Misses Isabel Cass, Margaret S. Carhart, Fannie E. Hanlon, Alice C. Brown, with the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Moulton of West Green street were the recipients of a pleasant surprise party Tuesday evening when thirty-five of their friends came in to help them celebrate the thirty-third anniversary of their wedding day. Gifts of cut glass and silver made the occasion memorable and music, games and refreshments added to the evening's pleasure.

Mrs. Charles Miller of Sunset avenue announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Mabel Marion Miller and Ernest Le Roy Arnold of Long Beach. The wedding will occur in June.

Mrs. Florence Clemence gave a dinner at her home on East Green street Tuesday evening complimentary to Miss Regina Martin and Frank Holloway who are soon to be married. Covers were laid for eight and later other guests came in for the evening. Among those enjoying this hospitality were Misses Julia and Eva Heck, Doris Archer, Hilda Anderson, Marie Bonney, Fern Shoemaker, Dorothy Jones, Ruth Peterson, Naomi Bradley, Lucy James, Pearl Ott, Manilla Martin, Jessie Jones, Annie Ward, Messrs. John Kane, Adderley Gladden, Frank B. Hyde, Gerald B. Martin, Oscar Swanson, V. S. Clemence, Walter Hartley, Arthur Stover, Charles Anderson and Mrs. Sarah Jenks Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hazard Halsted of North Grand avenue, who have been absent from Pasadena two months returned home Wednesday having spent the last month in Berkeley.

The Valley Hunt Club was the scene last week of several small affairs as well as large ones, and among luncheons given, was that of Mrs. L. W. Jutten of Markham street, who entertained Thursday with covers for sixteen. Mrs. A. S. Halsted of South Euclid avenue, gave a small luncheon Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. Henry T. Fuller entertained with a small auction bridge party.

Mrs. Joseph Hixon entertained Friday with an auction bridge party at her home at Oak Knoll complimentary to her house guest, Mrs. E. M. Kelley. There were twenty-four present.

Mrs. Rufus Spaulding of South Grand avenue gave a small luncheon party Wednesday when covers were laid for six.

Mrs. George Crosby of Duluth, whose winter home is on Linda Vista avenue, entertained a few friends with auction bridge Wednesday.

Mrs. John C. Alexander of New York, who has spent the winter at Hotel Green, and who has just returned from a week at San Diego, the guest of Mrs. Daniel Cree of John avenue, for ten days.

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Covers were laid for Miss Austin, Miss Marguerite West Hester Billingsley, Miss Irene well, Miss May Hatch, Miss Ge Bacon, Miss Edith Reynolds, Emma Freeman, Miss Dorothy Miss Edna Perry, Miss Laura Ware, Miss Annie Mumford, Grace C. Hunt, Miss Mildred Miss Katharine M. Graham, Bertha E. Walker, Miss Ethel Walker, Miss Edith Walker, Gregg Horton, Mrs. Frank E. Mrs. Harry Hunt, Mrs. Pendan and Mrs. Martin Wolf.

Mrs. E. A. Hamilton, No. 1 mont, has as her house guest Mary W. George of San Jose, stopped in this city en route to York, where she will sail for for a six months' continental with friends.

Complimenting a card club of she is a member, Mrs. E. E. pen, No. 1202 Milan place, tained at her home last evening kets of pink roses adorned the given over to the affair, with festoons of smilax, the same bination used on the dining table, where a delicious supper lowed the games of Five Prizes were awarded to Stamps, Howard, Munger and Howard, Luckenbach and Special guests included were Mrs. Harry Hazard, Dr. and W. Munger, Mr. and Mrs. Mosher of Inglewood; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. King and Mrs. Fox Stamps, Mr. and Charles Luckenbach, Mr. and John Howard, Mr. and Mrs. F. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Pyle.

Miss Marguerite De Silva tained with a grown-up party Wednesday evening at home, No. 1419 Laurel, the being her birthday anniversary. guests came dressed in Norfolk suits, French frocks perky bows, Buster Brown and Lord Fauntleroys. The room, where children's games played, was fragrant with roses, while American Beauty nodding from long stems in vases, embellished the dining where refreshments were Those enjoying the hospitality evening were Miss Josephine Miss Ellen Lowry of Pasadena, Hazel Hermann of San Fran Miss Maybelle Towers of Mont.; Miss Grace Palfser of eley; Miss Amy Davenport,

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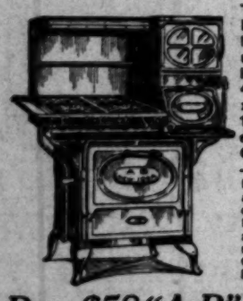
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Covers were laid for Miss Helen Austin, Miss Marguerite West, Miss Hester Billingsley, Miss Irene Cowell, Miss May Hatch, Miss Gertrude Bacon, Miss Edith Reynolds, Miss Emma Freeman, Miss Dorothy Ware, Miss Edna Ferry, Miss Laura Ware, Miss Annie Mumford, Miss Grace C. Hunt, Miss Mildred Shaw, Miss Katharine M. Graham, Miss Bertha E. Walker, Miss Ethel Walker, Miss Edith Walker, Mrs. Gregg Horton, Mrs. Frank E. Cates, Mrs. Harry Hunt, Mrs. Frank Padan and Mrs. Martin Wolff.

Mrs. E. A. Hamilton, No. 1501 Fremont, has as her house guest Mrs. Mary W. George of San Jose, who stopped in this city en route to New York, where she will sail for Europe for a six months' continental trip with friends.

Complimenting a card club of which she is a member, Mrs. E. H. Cree, No. 1202 Milan place, entertained at her home last evening. Baskets of pink roses adorned the rooms, given over to the affair, combined with festoons of smilax, the same combination used on the dining-room table, where a delicious supper followed the games of Five Hundred. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Stamps, Howard, Munger and Mosher. Howard, Luckenbach and Mosher. Special guests included were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hazard, Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Munger, Mr. and Mrs. Mosher of Inglewood; and members, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Kitts, Mr. and Mrs. Fox Stamps, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Luckenbach, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Deacon F. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Deacon Fyle.

Miss Marguerite De Silva entertained with a grown-up children's party Wednesday evening at her home, No. 1419 Laurel, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The guests came dressed in Russian and Norfolk suits, French frocks and perky bows, Buster Brown collars and Lord Fauntleroys. The large living room, where children's games were played, was fragrant with pink and white roses, while American Beauty roses, nodding from long stems in crystal vases, embellished the dining-room, where refreshments were served. Those enjoying the hospitality of the evening were Miss Josephine Queen, Miss Ellen Lowry of Pasadena, Miss Hazel Hermann of San Marino, Miss Maybelle Towers of Miles Mont.; Miss Grace Palliser of Beverley; Miss Amy Davenport, Miss

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—Plain pumps, Colonials, strap effects. We are enthusiastic but not too much so, when we tell you that this is indeed extraordinary. Aisle 3, Monday, $1.95. Basement Balcony.

And Here's the "Ostend," the Newest Pump for Women—$2.95

—In many places this style pump is not shown under $4 to $5. We've specialized at $2.50, now Monday an unusual lowered price has been named—$2.95.

—It's the new idea for spring. There's a rhinestone ornament on the side. They're made with the new Cuban Louis heel. You can't very well afford to miss such an opportunity.

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Satin Mire, Antique, $1.85 yard.
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Hat Stockings 35c Present for Women.

Favored us with this lot of splendid values but not fashioned. Double sole, heel and toe, double sole, garter top. Will not be procured regularly at this price. Buy them Monday at 35c.

Union Suits 40c

Fine union suits for women. Low neck, short sleeves and ankle length. Not all sizes in any one style, but sizes and one style. These are extra light. Sizes 34, 36 and 38.

Stockings 39c Pairs for $1

Fine stockings for women. Fashioned, with double sole, deep garter top. Monday 39c, or 2 pair for $1.

25 Union Suits 77c

Fine style, either lace or tight knee. Some sizes are broken, we'll hurry them up. We've marked them at $1 and $1.25 for the extra sizes. All in-

25 Balbriggan Hat Robes 79c

Fine Balbriggan night robes for men, with collar, long sleeves or low neck, and medium sizes. Regular $1.00 values, at 79c.

Embroidered Gowns Combinations $1.95

Value $2.45 and $2.95.

Garments had come from Paris and French American manufacturer, in the early wash of France, the original cost nearly twice as much. They are in an American factory, but with the art by the French, so beautiful dresses and combinations at $1.95 are unusual. Fine dainty lace and ribbon. Sale

Gowns $1.25

Dresses are $1.75 and $1.95. Soft finished on yoke. Trimmed with

Here Are Values That Will Re-echo—In This Great Garment Sale

New Samples and Regular Lines Coupled

Silk Moire, Silk Poplin, Crepes & Serge Suits With Crepe de Chine and Taffeta Dresses $14.75

—"Come to the receiving room and let me show them to you," said the Garment Buyer. These beautiful sample suits that I've just unpacked, I'm going to put everyone of them into the great garment sale Monday at $14.75.

—And one by one he took them from the boxes. Silk moire, and silk poplin suits, and even changeable taffetas. "And all these suits I'll include with them." These pretty crepes, serges and novelty weaves. Some with Russian tunic and tier skirt. Fancy silk collars.

—There will be dozens of different styles, represented in blue, black, tango, mustard, green as well as checks and stripes, mixtures, etc.



And Fully as Wonderful Are

The Beautiful Dresses at $14.75

—Of crepe de chine, taffeta, figured silks and fleu de soie. Dresses with ruffles and tunic skirts. Beautiful new models with shadow lace vests. Dainty frills, and style touches that proclaim them out of the ordinary.

—Here are blues, greens, tango, mahogany, black, etc.

Six of the Garments Have Been Pictured.

Remarkable News of New Wash Dresses at $5.95

—You'll be charmed with the styles. Striped and embroidered crepes, ratines, figured voiles and pique in white and pink.

—Some combinations, others in coat effects, some floral designs.

Who'd be bothered making the dresses when such splendid fitting, neat appearing garments can be had for so little.

75c Waists 39c

9 to 11 a.m.

—Nets, crepes, voiles. Waists with high neck, low neck, long or short sleeves. Lace or embroidery trimmed. Fine tucks and frills. Some in blue and black striped voiles. For two hours, if they last, 39c.

$1.95 Sweaters $1.00

9 to 11 a.m.

—Ruff neck sweaters, but in white only, wool, too. $1.15 is the regular price. Slightly soiled. Buy them for $1, for the first two hours, second floor.

49c Petticoats 25c

9 to 11 a.m.

—There's a limited number of these Gingham and ripplette petticoats. Plain and stripes, blue in gray. Flounce effect. 49c regularly, 9 to 11, at 25c. Second Floor.

$1.95 Wash Dresses 95c

9 to 11 a.m.

—Crepes in white and combinations, plain white skirt with blouse and peplum in Dolly Varden patterns. Others trimmed with lace and velvet buttons.

—Marked $1.95, from 9 to 11 Monday, or while they last, they'll be 95c. Second Floor.

Men's Work Shirts 32c

100 Dozen—Imperfect.

—These work shirts were intended for a 50c number, but slight factory imperfections brought us 100 dozen that we were able to mark at a special price. Now Monday, extra special at 32c. Limit 3.

Men's Shirts 39c

Negligee, 75c Quality.

—This is the overstock of a local jobber's shirts that were intended to sell at 75c. We bought them for less and marked them for a special sale at 53c. Now Monday we place them out on the bargain tables at 39c.

—They're cut full and roomy with plenty of sleeve length.

17c Handkerchiefs 12½c

Pure Linen.

—Pure Irish linen handkerchiefs that are marked in the regular way at 17c. Out Monday at 13½c, in aisle 1.

Men's 50c Underwear 25c

—Derby ribbed underwear—shirts mostly blue.

—There's a broken range of sizes, so that regular 50c garments will be on sale at 25c, aisle 4.

50 Calling Cards Printed for 17c

—This for name only, and they're satin finish calling cards at that. A Monday price feature to acquaint you with the splendid work of the printing department on the Basement Balcony.

WEDDING INVITATIONS—And announcements. Genuine Irish kid finish stock, imported and purchased at one-quarter of its real value, so that we can name these low prices while the quantity lasts.

—25 Announcements or Invitations $1.75.

—50 for $2.75 and 100 for $4.50. Lower prices on larger quantities. Double envelopes. Folded ready for mailing and latest type to select from. Basement Balcony, direct entrance from Hill street.

$7.95 Dresses $4

9 to 11 a. m.

Just 30 of these crinkled and figured crepes, some in Bolero effects. While they are marked $7.95, they are special at that. From 9 to 11, 2nd floor, buy them at $4.

—Choice of blue, brown, tango and white.

$6.50 Suits $2.95

9 to 11 a. m.

—These are wool suits that although marked $6.50 are worth more.

—Mixtures, stripes and plain colors. Spring styles mind you. Kimono and set-in sleeves. All semi-tailored models.

—Just 30 of them, while they last $2.95.

A Sale of Art Linens

Soiled From Display

Full ⅓ Under Price

—There isn't a housewife who would consider a piece of art linen any less valuable for having become crumpled or soiled in her home, and yet in the interest of good store-keeping we give you the opportunity of choosing from a really remarkable collection of Fancy Linens, including hand made Clunys and Renaissance and hand drawn and embroidered Japanese linen, centerpieces, doilies, scarfs and squares,

—Nearly any size from the 6-inch Doilie to the 72-inch round.

—What's the odds if they are a trifle soiled, it's been the means of bringing them to you at a full third less than regular. They are now marked in stock 29c to $15. Monday, 3rd floor—⅓ less.

Five Reliable Makes of

Axminster Rugs $12.50

Imperfect $22.50 to $30 Qualities.

—A grouping of 37 Rugs—30 of which are imperfect. Qualities that would otherwise retail for $22.50 to $30. Bought and marked specially and now presented Monday in a great sale way at $12.50.

—The sizes range from 8.3x10.6 to 9x10.6 and 9x12. Choice of Hartford, Smith, Overbrook, Bigelow and Candahar. While they last, $12.50.



A Lot of Odd Rugs $4.50

Mismatched or Imperfect $6.50 to $12.50 Qualities.

—Because they are mismatched or imperfect these odd rugs in sizes 6x3, 7.6x3, 8.3x10.6 and 9x12 have been specially marked, although, if perfect, they would be $6.50 to $12.50. Monday, choice, while they last, 17 of them, $4.50 each.

Look! Inlaid Linoleum 59c

6 to 14 Yd. Lengths.

Bring Your Measurements.

—You know that these qualities of Inlaid Linoleum bring $1, $1.15 and $1.25 at retail. But these are remnant lengths and show slight imperfections from the mill.

—We bought these under price and marked them for a great sale at 75c, now Monday, pay 59c square yard. Bring your measurements to facilitate quicker service.

PRINTED LINOLEUM, 33c—This is the usual 55c to 70c qualities that because of slight imperfections have been marked for a sale at 48c. Monday 33c sq. yd.

New Sunfast Drapery Madras Arrives

—In all the desirable shades, plain colors or fancies, and this department on the 3rd floor is noted for the splendid variety of Sunfast draperies and the lowness of the prices.

—This new lot has been marked 59c, 85c, 95c, $1.10 and $1.25.

—And to further emphasize and acquaint you with the extensiveness of the stock

We Will Make and Hang Free Curtains From Sunfast Draperies

—All orders placed Monday for any of the above Sunfast draperies will be made and hung free.

—We advise you to bring your own dimensions so that quantity may be cut off when selection is made.

We've Just Unpacked New 40-In. Marquisette 15c

—Plain white, ivory and ecru. A curtain material that is absolutely correct and very much in demand.

—You may be assured of good wearing curtains if they are made from this marquisette, and think of the price, 15c yd.

Door Panels 35c and 45c

—Of course they're marked much higher. Os French cable net. There's a number of popular motif designs in the regulation sizes. The ones marked 59c will be 35c and the 75c panels will be 45c. 3rd floor.

$28.50 Bed Combination $18.90



$10.00 Bed
$4.50 Spring
$8.50 Mattress
$4.00 Lace Spread
$1.50 Bolster Roll

—Bed is white enamel or Vernis Martin, and the combination consists of the bed, bed spring, mattress, lace bedspread and bolster roll and cover—the combined value of which is $28.50. We present it beginning Monday on the 3rd floor at $18.90.

This Rocker $2.50

Should Be $4



Rockers said—"you are selling greater quantities than some other accounts." This is because of the lowness of the price, conditions you'd pay $4 for this rocker.

mal or green finish, medium low back, wide and deep arm rests.

mited, so early shopping is advisable. Third floor.

100 Pair Scrim Curtains 95c

Now Marked $1.50 to $1.95

—Read that headliner and be impressed with the importance of this Curtain offering. Here are ecru scrim curtains with cluny edge and insertion, some with the cross bar design, others hemstitched.

—Some with cotton lace edging and insertion.

—And the assortment includes as many of the $1.95 as there are of the $1.50 and $1.65 qualities.

—100 pair full length, all perfect. 95c pair. Third Floor.

Combination Floss Cushions 25c

—They're 20 inches square—what you need for fancy pillows.

—And when we tell you that they've been marked very much higher even for a special price, you'll appreciate the importance of buying them at 25c.

REVERSIBLE AUTO ROBE, $2.75—This is the well-known "Stirook" make. Size 50x60, so-called plush. We are featuring it at $2.75.

The 2nd Annual

Waist Sale

65c, 95c, $1.45, $1.95 and $2.95

Presents Possibilities of Greatest Economy.

—We began with 4000 waists, equally divided among five different lots beginning as low as 65c, then 95c, $1.45, $1.95 and $2.95.

—The most charming styles of the year assembled after months of preparation and presented at prices that emphasize the principles back of this organization. Greatest possible value for the money and presentation of the most needed merchandise at a time when it is most appreciated by you.

—Assortments are still wonderfully complete.

Petticoats 85c

—These are in cotton messaline, but the prettiest of blues, greens, tango, American Beauty shades. These have the pleated flounce, and are petticoats that are well made.

Forward March

Hand Bags $2.45

Marked $3.50 to $4.

—Right from regular stock an out-going of hand bags that are now marked $2.50, $2.95 and $4. These will be placed on the firing line Monday at $2.45.

—There's a good range of colors as well as excellent blacks.

—Real morocco and genuine pin seal leathers, some fitted with coin purse and mirror, others with coin purse only. This is an important sale at $2.45.

You'll Appreciate This.

16 Button Silk Gloves 75c

—Because it's just the time when long silk gloves are in demand. These are under price in keeping with our policy to supply the merchandise most needed at prices that will be profitable to you.

—Milanese silk, made with two clasps at wrist. These are in black only. Worth ever so much more.

Imperial Dictionary With Stand $6.25

—Here's an Imperial Dictionary that you'd find it hard to duplicate under $5. The big, office style Dictionary and in addition to this, one of these tall stands that usually retail at $5.

—The book is covered with real sheepskin, the stand is adjustable. You may buy them both for $6.25.

The Vogue for Beads In Neck Chains

—*The Dancing vogue that is sweeping the country has influenced the Fashions to a marked degree. This is apparent particularly in the extensive use of Neck Chains and Tango Beads.*

—*We were exceptionally fortunate in providing in advance, extensive varieties, prominent among them*

NEW BEADS AT 50c—Tango beads in the very latest colorings, popular lengths, white galalith, royal, coral, imitation amber, imitation sapphire and wooden beads in the new blues, blacks and purple.

NEW MOIRE ROUGE BEADS, 75c—A tango bead in a bright cherry red. One of the most popular of the moment. Made of galalith and will not break.

Other colors, including the new greens, imitation turquoise, imitation topax, etc.

OTHER BEADS AT $1, $1.25 AND UP TO $1.50.



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Mrs. J. P. Whitmore, No. 1123 Fairview avenue, entertained with a luncheon Friday, honoring her house guest, Miss Mary Southworth, of Plymouth, Ind., to which only former Indiana guests were included. The table was laid with a Cluny lace luncheon set, centered by a basket filled with Cecile Brunner roses, the handles tied with fluffy bows of pink tulle. Place cards were adorned with Venetian scenes, which the hostess brought from Venice on her recent European trip. Covers were laid for the hostess, the honoree, Mrs. J. R. Rankin and Mrs. Layton Greenwood of Los Angeles; Mrs. A. Haffner of Lamanda Park, Mrs. E. O. Wickiser and Mrs. F. O. Gardner.

The marriage of Miss Gladys E. Merrill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Merrill of Whittier, to Benjamin Dean of this city, occurred Friday evening at the bride's home before immediate relatives only. Mr. and Mrs. Dean will make their home at No. 915 Fremont avenue, this city, where they will be at home to friends after May 15.

Mrs. H. A. Kehler entertained the members of the Beata Hora Club with a luncheon at her home, No. 1716 Fletcher avenue, Friday afternoon. A mound of vari-colored roses formed the centerpiece for the table, and were utilized in the rest of the rooms. Following luncheon, current events were led by Mrs. Martin McQuigg, and the balance of the afternoon was spent in the rose garden of the hostess. Members present were Mrs. L. L. Spencer, Mrs. James E. Pierce, Mrs. A. H. Gates, Mrs. P. A. Lord, Mrs. E. L. B. Godfrey, Mrs. Marcus L. Godfrey, Mrs. Wilbur J. Filley, Mrs. William Council, Mrs. Don P. Gates, Mrs. E. A. Hamilton, Mrs. E. Schermerhorn, Mrs. Martin McQuigg, Mrs. Margaret Reehl, Mrs. Edna Harter, Mrs. C. C. Gates and two special guests, Mmes. Farwell of Los Angeles and Standacher of Alhambra.

Members of the Saturday evening Auction Bridge Club were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hill at their home on Mt. Washington. The home had been turned into a bower by quantities of roses, and prize winners of the evening were Mrs. E. N. Grant and Charles Bingham. A delicious collation followed the games of cards.

Alhambra.

MRS. JOSEPH HENRY DOUGLAS of Sunny Slope entertained the Sunny Slope Wednesday Afternoon Club very pleasantly last week at the home of Mrs. E. K. Alpaugh. A large number of members and several guests were present, and a delightful afternoon was spent.

A delightful dinner party, with covers laid for twelve, was given by Fred Turner of Alhambra at the San Gabriel Country Club Saturday evening. At the conclusion of the supper Mr. Turner and his guests attended the monthly dance at the clubhouse.

The Satira class of the First Presbyterian Church, Alhambra, met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. James McLaren, with a large attendance. The programme was one of exceptional merit, and close attention was given the several papers which were read during the afternoon. The hostess served delicious refreshments, assisted by Mrs. Clarence Van Graham and Mrs. R. L. Stewart. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Mabel Rice, No. 109 South First street.

One of the charming social affairs of the past week was the party given Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Emberson, Sunny Slope, complimentary to Mrs. Charles E. Lovelace of Highland Park and Mrs. A. W. Layne of Ocean Park.

One of the pleasantest of the many dances given by Die Schwalbe Club occurred at the clubhouse in San Gabriel, on Rose road, Friday night. Music for the delightful affair was furnished by the Wachtel Club, and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Burgwald were patron and patroness of the occasion. About twenty-five couples were in attendance and dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

The Berean Class of the First Baptist Church, Alhambra, have elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, Miss Mildred Jackson; vice-president, Miss Nannie Alford; secretary and treasurer, Miss Mabel Drake; class teacher, Mrs. T. N. Lord. A class dinner that was a most pleasing affair was given in the classroom at the church last Tuesday evening, which was largely attended.

The Wednesday Afternoon Club of Alhambra had its last regular meeting in the new club home on South First street. The club women feel that they are not only on terra firma, but are also on the eve of the most prosperous time of the club's existence. A song recital, in charge of Mrs. F. D. Simon, was the thoroughly-enjoyed programme of the afternoon.

Mrs. W. W. Reidel of San Gabriel entertained with an elaborate party on Friday at her home on East Broadway. The attractive home had been beautifully decorated, a color scheme of pink and green prevailing through the rooms. The guests of the occasion were: Mrs. William Planck, Mrs. Chester McGee, Mrs. B. F. Morrow, Mrs. William Wagner, Mrs. R. Wilcox, Mrs. Ballantine, Mrs. William Weller, Mrs. R. D. Sperry, Mrs. C. C. Noble, Mrs. George Eno, Sr., Mrs. George Eno, Miss Eno, Mrs. William Eckert, Mrs. A. J. Epling, Mrs. H. E. Chur, Mrs. William Brown, Mrs. L. S. Cottle and Mrs. Thomas Brown.

The San Gabriel Woman's Club gave such a successful affair at the party which was supposed to close the club's social activities for the present season that they are being strongly urged to give another social evening some time in May. The delightful affair took place Friday night, and the programme was in charge of Mrs. R. H. Dyer of Alhambra, who is a reader of unusual talent. Later dancing was indulged in until time for adjournment, and a comfortable sum netted to be used toward the payment of the club's piano.

Mrs. E. P. Whitney of No. 128 North Curtis avenue, Alhambra, who, with her daughter, has been the guest of relatives in Ontario, Can., for several months, returned home Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Meyer of Alhambra have had as their guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevenson of Santa Monica, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haden of Los Angeles and Mr. Lombard, who represents the German Colportage of the American Baptist Publication Society.

Eagle Rock.

MISS FLORA MAY ROSS gave a delightful birthday dinner party on Tuesday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. R. Scouten, on East Park avenue. The color scheme was pink and white, and a delicious five-course dinner was enjoyed. A beautiful birthday cake adorned with candles was one of the important features. Dainty pink and white cards marked places for Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Coe and Dr. Herbert Edgar of Los Angeles, P. C. Wagstaff, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Scouten of Eagle Rock.

Seventeen young friends of Miss Leota Bond of N. Kenilworth avenue came in and surprised her on Tuesday evening, the event being her birthday. She was taken unaware,

An Invitation To Compare Values

TO those who may be unfamiliar with the superior values offered at all times by the "California"—we submit the splendid living-room table shown below.

This masterful example of cabinet-making is from the celebrated shops of W. K. Cowan & Co. It is fifty-four inches in length, contains one large, roomy drawer, and is constructed entirely of specially selected solid mahogany. The price, $42.50, is not a reduction; it is our standard every-day price for this table, and we know that your own unbiased comparison will prove our statement that it is the best value obtainable in a high-grade living-room table in Los Angeles today.

We cordially invite you to make value comparison, not merely with this table, but with all home furnishings shown upon our seven floors. Even though your need be the simplest, most inexpensive article, you will find that the "California" always offers values that you cannot afford to overlook. One price and that the lowest possible consistent with quality. Whether you are prepared to purchase now or not, you will be very welcome.



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but soon composed herself and proved to be a delightful hostess. Games were enjoyed, after which a fine lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Candee have been entertaining the latter's brother-in-law from Lancaster, Pa.

Mrs. J. E. Stanton of South Highland avenue gave a charming dinner party on Sunday. The guests were from Puente, Pasadena and Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Milne of Floristan avenue are entertaining the latter's sister, Miss Baird, of Davenport, Iowa, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Varble of East Colorado boulevard, both having passed their birthdays last week and this, decided to give one party for both, so on Monday evening the birthdays were celebrated with a party. The evening was spent in playing games. Twin birthday cakes prettily decorated was an unusual feature. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomson of Hartwick avenue had as their guests over Sunday Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Blackburn of Walnut Lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Daniels of South Central avenue are entertaining the latter's mother, Mrs. S. E. Keyes, of Batavia, Ill., and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keyes and children, of Cumberland, Wis. They arrived last week.

Mrs. George Kightlinger gave a very delightful luncheon at her home, "Earl Mont," to a few of her old friends on Thursday. The table was beautifully decorated, and a sumptuous luncheon was served to Mrs. Myers of Highland Park, Mrs. Goode of Glendale, Mrs. Sarah Hare, Mrs. K. V. Franckleton, Mrs. M. A. Hickson and Mrs. S. W. Broxholme.

Miss Purie Gillette entertained the O.F.F. Club at her home Saturday night. "Rook" was played for most of the evening, Miss Marguerite Birch and Miss Susie Sanderson receiving the prizes, after which a fine lunch was served. Those present were: Mrs. Gee, Misses Huestis, Comfort and Willamette Hemstreet, Beryl Jeter, Anna Megilligan, Lucile and Marguerite Burch, Alice Hoyt, Susie Sanderson and Lois Candee. A matinee party was decided on for Saturday afternoon. Miss Anna Megilligan will be the next hostess.

Glendale.

PROBABLY the leading event of the week in local society circles was the opening of the new Masonic Hall on Brand boulevard Tuesday evening, this being in the form of a house-warming. Many Masons, both local and visiting, were present as were a large number of friends of the lodge, in all there being 450 people present. Richard Sternberg, master of the lodge, presided at this affair. The following short programme was rendered. Character reading, Mrs. Wayland Brown; piano selection, Mrs. E. V. Lawton; violin solos, Miss Francis Paine; vocal numbers, Miss Marjorie Duncan; vocal selections, Richard L. Phister. Miss Dorothy Lee was accompanist. Following the programme the evening was delightfully passed in dancing. Refreshments were served during the evening. The following committee of Masons had the affair in charge: Messrs. Thomas Wood, chairman; Fred Deal, Don Erskine, A. E. Beamon, William Nash, Harvey Hoff, Albert N. Chase, Ernest J. Morgan, Ben Wilde, J. S. Neil, these being assisted by Mrs. John G. Hunchberger and Mrs. A. M. Beamon. The temple has just been completed at an expense of $10,000 and is a model in completeness as a lodge home.

A happy surprise was tendered to Miss M. Louise Butterfield at her home, No. 808 Broadway, Monday evening, the affair being in honor of her birthday anniversary. The surprise was complete as precautions had been taken by having Miss Butterfield entertained at dinner at the home of Mrs. Dellos Jones on Louise street. When the young ladies repaired after dinner to the Butterfield home the surprisers greeted the guest of honor. Games, a musical programme and delicious refreshments were enjoyed during the evening. Among the guests present were Misses Ethel Collins, Ruth J. Wright, Ruby F. Wright, Hazel Anderson, Ellen Fletcher, Marguerete Flower, Vera Kimball, Edith Bangard of Los Angeles; Messrs. Roy Pierce, Herbert Collins, Victor Carr, Mark Francey, Walter Hilkey, Howard Anderson, Roudolph Egginwelider, Frank Butterfield, Paul Butterfield and Henry Webb of Highland Park.

An informal afternoon was enjoyed Tuesday at the home of Mrs. H. J. Miller on Louise street, when that capable hostess entertained the South Louise-Street Thimble Club. American Beauty roses were used to pretty effect in the decorations. During the afternoon tea was served to the following guests: Mrs. Agnes Begg, Mrs. N. Foster, Mrs. A. W. Randolph, Mrs. J. Culver, Mrs. Frank Hester, Mrs. Walter Scott Whitworth, Mrs. Clarence M. Good, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. H. M. Dow, Miss Edith Miller and Miss Ellabert Miller.

The Monday Evening Five Hundred Club was entertained this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cross at their home, No. 1429 Pioneer drive. The Yellows captured the highest scores of the evening and the defeated ones proved themselves "good scouts" by serving the refreshments, which followed the play of the evening. The next meeting of this club will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Corwin, No. 419 North Central avenue, May 4.

The last of a series of social events held by the Monday Auction Bridge Luncheon Club during the winter months, was held Monday at the home of Mrs. Arthur D. Lewis of No. 241 South Kenwood street. Pink carnations and ferns were used in the decorations of the various rooms. Mrs. Lewis was assisted in entertaining by her daughter, Miss Catherine Lewis. The guests present included Mmes. Everette K. Barnes, H. H. Faries, C. M. Goode, J. H. Smith, O. E. Clemmons, Charles E. Shattuck, Willis M. Kimball, D. H. Smith, C. O. Pulliam of Glendale, and Mrs. R. E. Hewes and Mrs. J. A. Crankhite of Los Angeles, the latter having been winner and special guest of the afternoon.

The members of the Good Time Embroidery Club were guests recently of Mrs. Earl R. Naudain, No. 903 Lomita avenue, when Mrs. Naudain and Mrs. J. R. Roman were hostesses. Caroline Tostout and Marechal Neil roses were combined with ferns in the decorations of the various rooms. Mrs. Chester O. King and Mrs. J. W. Usilton received pretty prizes for having made highest scores. The next meeting of this society will be held in May at the home of Mrs. J. W. Usilton, No. 1120 West Seventh street, with Mrs. Usilton and Mrs. Frank H. Vesper as hostesses. This affair was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Usilton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Vesper, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Englehorn, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. Chester O. King, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Naudain and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Roman.

Mrs. D. K. Newell, who with her small son has been spending the past three months in Southern California, left Tuesday for her home in Kenosha, Wis. During her sojourn in this section, Mrs. Newell spent considerable time with her sister, Mrs. H. R. Boyer, No. 327 Louise street, this city. A number of society events were given in her honor while here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Crampton of No. 1011 Chestnut street, were host and hostess to the following out-of-town friends Monday: Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bowles, Victor Bowles, Mr. and Mrs. F. McAlister, Ben McAlister, Ethel McAlister of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. W. Stretton of San Pedro.

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Sierra Madre.

A PARTY consisting of Mrs. Charles H. Baker, Mrs. I. Houghton, Mrs. F. H. Wright and Miss Annis B. Coffey will leave Monday, April 28, to attend the State Federation of Women's Clubs convention to be held in Riverside.

Mrs. E. W. Knapp, formerly a well-known resident on East Grand View boulevard, who has been visiting friends here, left for Madero, Cal., where her husband operates a large ranch. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Camp have just returned from a week's visit in San Francisco.

Mrs. R. H. Maher and son Robert, who have been the guests of Mrs. M. D. Welsher, left Monday for Salamanca, N. Y., where they will pass the summer.

The Dickens Fellowship Club was entertained by Mrs. J. E. Fairbanks Wednesday, April 23.

Mrs. A. T. Gay was hostess at a Five Hundred card party on Wednesday evening. About thirty guests were present. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. I. A. Greene and Nelson Gay of Los Angeles and Miss Ruby Thomas of Pasadena.

Mrs. J. R. Allen was entertained at a bridge party given by Miss O. H. Churchill of No. 2201 South Figueroa street, Los Angeles, on Thursday, April 23.

Miss Dorothy Camp has been spending her vacation with Miss Antonette Guernsey of Oberlin, O., a college classmate.

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Inglewood.

A QUIET but pretty wedding occurred at high noon Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Way, when Miss Mina Russell became the bride of their son, Byron Way.

During the ceremony the couple stood under a beautiful arch of smilax, ferns and white roses and the marriage lines were read by Rev. Dr. P. P. Carroll of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Inglewood.

The bride wore a pretty gown of white voile and carried a bouquet of orange blossoms. Following congratulations the happy couple left for a brief honeymoon trip to San Diego and upon their return will go to Grant, Mont., with the groom's parents, where all have interests in a large cattle ranch near that place.

Mrs. E. J. Frederick wife of Col. E. J. Frederick of Havana, Cuba, was a guest during the past week of her sister, Mrs. L. E. Greenfield of Inglewood. Col. Frederick, who is one of the Cuban commissioners to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, is at present in San Francisco in charge of the Cuban building, whence Mrs. Frederick will join him following a visit with relatives in Los Angeles and Inglewood. Col. and Mrs. Frederick will remain at the Cuban building until the close of the exposition, when they will return to their home in Havana.

One of the very delightful events of the past week was that of Friday evening, when Mrs. B. F. Eshelman entertained a company of friends complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McFadden of Santa Ana. In the contest games prizes were awarded to Mrs. McFadden and Miss Mary Allen. Dainty refreshments were served during the evening at small tables, by Mrs. Eshelman assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Glen Clifford Snow.

Mrs. Pauline Winters has returned to her home at Inverness, Mont., after spending the winter in California as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harris Dull, at her home, corner of Olive and Fur streets.

Mrs. A. F. Alexander and daughter, Miss Carrie, of Galva, Ill., who have been spending the winter in Southern California, were the week-end guests of their old-time Illinois friend, Miss Harriet Farmer, of Commercial street.

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Casa Verdugo.

NAT BROWNE of No. 1620 Stocker street was host at a beautifully appointed dinner on Sunday, last. The table decorations were pink and white roses, which also banked the mantel, and were used in profusion throughout the house. The morning was devoted to the favorite game of tennis, several of the guests being expert players. After dinner the time was spent in sociability, and music. The dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Saye, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gochenour and Judge Craig of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bourne, Miss Rae Davis, Miss Alpha Clemment, Miss Ruth Browne, L. R. Sims, Earl Shook, Walter Bowers, Miss Harriett Bayard and Mrs. N. R. Browne of Glendale, and Casa Verdugo.

The Hon. and Mrs. William H. Espeller of Winnipeg, Man., entertained at the Pacific Electric Spanish resort, La Ramada, on Saturday evening, with a Spanish dinner. Covers were laid for seven, the guests being Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Murray, Mrs. Clara B. Heywood, Mrs. John H. Breyer and Mrs. Alva Nelson of Pasadena.

The Misses Dorothy and Marian Williams have returned to the Bishop's School at La Jolla, after spending a most delightful Easter vacation with their aunt, Miss Ellen D. Williams, of the Hegen apartments, on North Brand boulevard.

Mrs. F. S. Balthis of No. 519 North Brand boulevard, entertained with a luncheon on Tuesday afternoon, complimentary to her aunt, Mrs. Lillian Van Kenren, of Denver, Colo., who is spending the winter in Los Angeles.

On Friday afternoon, last, the third regular monthly meeting of the Casa Verdugo Foothill Club was held at the beautiful home of Mrs. Charles H. Toll, of No. 1635 Kenneth road. Yellow and white was the color scheme of the decorations, snowballs and phlox being used in profusion in the living-room and dining-room. Choice selections on the Victrola were enjoyed during the afternoon, and an interesting advertisement guessing contest afforded much merriment. The handsome prize for the successful guesser in the contest was awarded to Mrs. William Stone.

Later the guests descended into the billiard-room, where delicious refreshments were served at small tables. On the center of each was a small gilt basket filled with tiny, yellow flowers and ferns. Each place was marked by cards on which were inscribed bits of humor and witticism, and were read aloud in turn by the guests, calling forth bursts of laughter. The club will be entertained on May 15, by Mrs. Joseph McMillan, in her beautiful new home, No. 915 Mountain street.

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Highland.

MRS. ROBERT S. THOMPSON gave a charming luncheon on Wednesday at her home on East Highland avenue, in honor of the Luncheon Club. Scarlet amaryllis and smilax decorated the long luncheon table and covers were laid for the following members and special guests: Mrs. M. M. Randall, Mrs. P. F. Coy, Mrs. T. A. Ewing, Mrs. John Hedley Evans, Mrs. Grats Brewer, Mrs. H. H. Linville, Mrs. C. H. Bonner, Mrs. John L. Yarnell, Mrs. [illegible] Atkinson of San Bernardino, Miss Margaret Langley, Mrs. F. Libby, Mrs. W. T. Noyes and the hostess.

Mrs. James Worley planned a pleasing surprise in honor of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Gleason, who is a guest at the Worley home on Orange street for a few days. The afternoon was spent with fancywork, after which a collation was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Yund threw open their home Tuesday evening to the members of the H.T.C. Bridge Club. Following the games a delicious two-course luncheon was served by the hostess.

Mrs. G. W. Prescott and daughter, Mrs. Florence M. Orton, who have been entertaining with a series of handsomely-appointed parties, received another company on Thursday afternoon at their Palm-avenue home. The company included Mrs. John Burke, Mrs. Cora Harrington as guest, Mrs. Ohlds of Los Angeles, Mrs. Dorcas C. Randall, Mrs. Orra Barnes, Mrs. S. W. Neal, Mrs. V. [illegible] Argo, Mrs. Josephine True, Mrs. L. Cram, Mrs. J. P. Coy, Mrs. F. [illegible] Dill, Mrs. C. M. Hill, Mrs. C. F. [illegible] Follette, Mrs. C. L. Fraser, Mrs. Irwin Eugene Corwin, Mrs. Guy [illegible] Fraser, Mrs. H. H. Linville, Mrs. Annice York, Mrs. E. J. Rohrer, Mrs. James Millar, and Misses Rosie [illegible] Neil and Sylvia Sloan of San Bernardino.

Mrs. J. Ethan Allen entertained with a lovely 6 o'clock dinner on Saturday evening last at her home on East Pacific avenue. Nasturtiums decorated the table, where covers were laid for nine.

A jolly company of young people gathered at the Brown home on Pine avenue on Tuesday evening and enjoyed a "fish fry," two of the young men of the party having just returned from a fishing expedition. An elaborate spread was provided and following this the friends lingered for an evening of music. The merrymakers included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin, Misses Fannie and Jennie Hensley, Rose Rohrer, Martha Linfesty, Agnes Pinkall, Hazel Bagwill, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Barnes, Dr. G. W. Fitzgerrell, Miss C. Durkee, John Linfesty and Alice Bingham.

Mrs. C. L. Fraser and Mrs. Irwin Eugene Corwin were luncheon guests Wednesday of Mrs. Homer C. Laughlin of Rialto.

G. W. Parsons has returned from a trip to San Francisco and Palo Alto.

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San Dimas.

THE following ladies of San Dimas were the invited guests of an auction bridge party given at the home of Mrs. C. E. Hawley of Los Angeles in honor of Mrs. Bertha Barrett Wednesday afternoon: Mmes. Frank H. Harwood, Elmer W. Bell, W. A. Johnstone, Lucien S. Thom, Russell W. Teague and Harry L. Walker. Mrs. W. C. Sheppard, formerly of Laverne, and Mrs. John C. Roberts of Hollywood, formerly of San Dimas, were also guests. Mrs. E. W. Hart was the capturer of one of the prizes. Mrs. Hawley was a former San Dimas resident.

The Claremont and San Dimas auction bridge teams were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Compton at their home on San Dimas avenue Tuesday evening. San Dimas carried high score by a somewhat narrow margin. The club members, with their wives, will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Woodford of Claremont next Tuesday evening, the regular club meeting will be held today, May 5. Mr. Griswald of Claremont will entertain at "The Oswalda," on the Foothill boulevard.

Mrs. W. A. Johnstone entertained Mrs. Florence Collins Porter, lecturer, Mrs. Frank Taylor and Mrs. Tinsley and Baker of Pomona, Mrs. at luncheon. Mrs. Collins addressed the Ebell Club of Pomona in the afternoon on "Current Events."

The Study Club met Monday with the home of Mrs. Clinton Dow with Mrs. H. E. Walker acting leader. "Education and religion in Austria-Hungary was the study, and next week the club will meet with Mrs. E. A. Spencer, with Mrs. Frank [illegible] leader. A general review of the Austria-Hungary studies will be taken up at this meeting.

Sunday Miss Hester Jewell was delightfully surprised by a number of her young friends appearing at the dinner hour and her mother, Mrs. Jewell, entertaining the young people at a charmingly-arranged dinner. The floral decorations were pink and white roses, and the menu was well-calculated to tickle young palates.

Last Sunday J. S. Billheimer was surprised at the dinner hour by an unusual gathering of family members from different points and a generous ray of flowers and vianda. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Clark Billheimer and children, Ruth and Henry, of Pasadena; Miss Flora Wood, Mr. and Mrs. John Fink and children, Claude and Evelyn, of Whittier; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billheimer and Cleta; Glenn Billheimer of Claremont.

Owing to a slight illness in the family of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. McCurdy, the Good Time Club met with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Howard, instead of with Mr. and Mrs McCurdy, as programmed last Thursday evening. Practically a full attendance of club members was out and enjoyed the evening's play and hospitality of the hostess. Mr. and Mrs. McCue of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. David Gore of San Dimas were the special guests. The club prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Steele; the guest prizes by Mrs. Bell, Gore and M. W. Bennett. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLane, Thursday, April 30.

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Fresno.

THE most important event of the week and of especial interest to the younger set, was the marriage of Miss Anne Collins to Dr. Ray Nicholson. The ceremony took place Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the St. Paul's Methodist Church, Rev. J. A. Wallis performing the service. Prenuptial music was provided by Prof. T. J. Irwin, at the organ, and Miss Zoe Giascoe sang the favorite wedding song. The bride entered on the arm of her father, Dr. Collins, and was radiantly beautiful in a gown of white taffeta with net and trimmings of duchesse lace, white tulle hat and a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and white orchids, completed the costume. Miss Leora Schaffer, the bride's attendant, wore a gown of yellow taffeta and carried an armload of yellow roses and ferns. The groom was attended by Joe Collins, the bride's brother. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the Collins home on R street. Later the young couple left on a honeymoon trip to be gone around the bay. The bride's going-away gown was a smart suit of blue and white check, with a hat of white black straw, with touches of blue. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson will make their home with Fowler, where Dr. Nicholson has recently established his practice.

The Sunnyside Country Club entertained Tuesday evening at their regular monthly dance. Previous to the dancing, numerous members of the club entertained friends at dinner. The rooms were made attractive with flowers from the gardens. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

Another club dance was given Wednesday night, when the Burke

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Men's Garters

25c values in Boston Garters being closed out for..... 15c
50c Garters, including silk finish, now..... 29c

Men's Night Shirts

$1.00 values going now at..... 49c
$2.00 Night Shirts and Pajamas now..... 98c
$3.00 Pongee Silk Night Shirts and Pajamas..... $1.48

Men's Ties

25c value in Spring Neckwear..... 15c
35c and 50c Neckwear..... 19c
50c and 75c values, including new Spring patterns in Ties..... 25c
75c Ties—all styles..... 45c
$1.50 Silk Ties—an undoubted value at..... 79c

Men's Hose

25c value in long-wearing Hose, all colors..... 12½c
35c values in Silk Lisle Hose—a bargain now at..... 19c
50c values in Silk Lisle Hose—will sell for only..... 25c
75c values in extra quality Men's Hose priced now at..... 39c
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$3.50 values, in all styles and shapes, selling for..... $1.95
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75c Balbriggan, heavy, derby ribbed..... 39c
50c Forosknit and Balbriggan..... 29c
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$1.50 and $1.75 values in all weight Union Suits..... 98c

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$1.00 and $1.35 Wool Shirts now..... 69c
$1.50 values in latest style Shirts..... 85c
$2.00 values in Silk Pongee Shirts..... 98c
$2.00 Wool Shirts will go for..... 98c

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Former $1 and $1.50 values, on sale at..... 69c

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SOCIETY.

Country Club formed the setting for a charming affair given by a group of young bachelors, honoring the young ladies who form the L'Allegro Club.

Mrs. Sigmund Wormser was hostess Thursday afternoon, entertaining at a delightful afternoon of bridge. About a score of friends were invited.

Miss Edith Cory left Wednesday for the East, where she will visit with friends, prior to her departure for Europe. The friends who will accompany Miss Cory on her tour, will sail from Boston, about the middle of May.

Mrs. George Pritchard and little daughter, Evelyn of San Francisco, are the house guests of Miss Dorothea Bodkin at her home on P street. Mrs. Pritchard is better remembered in Fresno as Miss Izetta Wills.

Hemet.

THE Ladies of the Eastern Star gave a pleasant and successful basket social Tuesday evening, following their regular business session in the Masonic Hall. The gentlemen bought the lunch baskets and shared the contents with the owner of the basket. Music and games and a jolly time generally was enjoyed. Next Tuesday afternoon the Star ladies will meet at the home of Mrs. G. S. Miles and there will be served with the first course of a progressive luncheon. The second course will be at the home of Mrs. J. C. Sutherland, and the last at the M. N. Harbelin home, where the business meeting will also be held.

A number of the girl friends of Dorris McCoy met at her home on the evening of April 16, and gave her a pleasant surprise, the occasion being her twelfth birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grow and son, Paul, of Redlands, and Claud H. Craft of Claremont College, were week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. Ida Craft.

Charles Schuberth went to Pasadena Wednesday for a few days. Mrs. Frank J. Williams returned Tuesday from Pasadena and Los Angeles where she was visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Keith and family, and Miss Edna Burton have returned from a trip to Oceanside.

Miss Annie McIntyre returned Saturday from a week's visit in Riverside with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Beaumont and the latter's mother, Mrs. J. H. Henthorn, of Los Angeles, formerly, and for many years residents of Elsinore, have recently been guests at the M. B. Osborne ranch on Machado street.

Among Elsinore visitors to Riverside Tuesday were Mrs. A. M. McComber and Miss Wavia McComber, A. E. Edgerton, Mrs. R. H. Kirkpatrick, Cecele Burton, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Keith.

Mrs. Bosworth and children arrived Wednesday from Highlands to join Mr. Bosworth, who is in business here and who has rented the McComber residence on South Main street.

Hemet.

THE Hamet Woman's Club entertained Friday afternoon with a reception from 3 to 4 o'clock, for the wives of the visiting editors of Riverside county. Later in the evening a banquet was tendered the editors and their wives. The reception was given at the home of Mrs. John J. King, president of the club. The out-of-town guests were Mmes. John Moriarty, Joseph Daniles, Russell, Redmond, Millikan and Hildreth.

Mrs. John M. Clayton entertained at her home on Kimball avenue Wednesday afternoon. The Merry Whist Club members were her guests. The afternoon was spent in play, at the conclusion of which Mrs. Mary Botterell was awarded first prize for the most successful play. The members present were Mmes. Hill, Clarke, Fast, Boalich, Botterell, Walton, Goodhue, Miller, McFarland, Glover and Spaulding.

Mrs. Fred Heidenreich was hostess Thursday afternoon at a silver tea given at her home on Carmelita. The guests included a number of the ladies of the Baptist Church. The proceeds will be devoted to the building fund of the Baptist Church.

Thursday afternoon the Auction Bridge Club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. E. M. Clarke. Mmes. Dukes, Clayton, McFarland, Hall, Badie, Doble, Hill, Whitten, Shattuck and Mann were the players.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church was entertained at the home of W. C. Goodwin Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in guessing contests, and the guests were favored with a number of Irish readings by Mr. Goodwin.

Redlands.

MRS. BERTHA HAFFNER-GINGER, the Times cooking school expert, paid a visit to Redlands Monday and gave a talk and demonstration before the members of the Home Economics section of the Conservatory Club, besides a large number of non-members who came specially to hear Mrs. Haffner-Ginger. The subject chosen was a dinner of broiled steak and vegetables. Every dish was carefully explained and demonstrated by the lecturer. The meal was accompanied by potatoes, asparagus, mushrooms and onions, and those who helped to dispose of it when it was finished declared that it was food fit for the gods. Mrs. Haffner-Ginger gave many hints which her interested audience will profit by in the future. A demonstration of the results of food preparation in the Barnard drier followed. Mrs. Haffner-Ginger's talk. This drier is an invention which preserves meat, fruit and vegetables by drying. It promises to revolutionize "preserving time" for women, minimizing the labor and achieving much better results than by the old-fashioned methods.

At Casa Moresca Wednesday afternoon Juan de la Cruz, a basso cantante vocalist, who has sung in all the European capitals and for two years with the Los Angeles Symphony Orchestra, was heard in recital, under the courtesy of Mrs. Henry Fleck. In spite of the bad weather nearly turned out to listen to Signor de la Cruz and was rewarded by his fine rendition of a splendidly arranged programme. Strauss, Schubert, Mendelssohn, Meyerbeer, Leoncavallo and Brahms were among the composers whose works added strength to the programme. Mrs. Gertrude Ross was the singers' accompanist and one of the pretty encore numbers was a song of Mrs. Ross' composition entitled, "Dawn in the Desert," which was splendidly rendered and well received.

The annual Easter party of the Junior Union of the Congregational church took place Wednesday afternoon at the home of Dr. W. P. Burke, Dr. Burke being the hostess. The children had planned a lawn festival, but on account of rain and cold plans were changed and the guests were entertained indoors. The meeting was marked by one feature being an interesting talk by the Rev. Herbert A. Allen on "Spelling Out Easter." Mrs. Burke served refreshments and music was enjoyed. There was an attendance of forty, guests being met at the car with automobiles and taken to the Burke home.

Mrs. Iva Parmelee was hostess Wednesday evening to the members of the German Club of the University of Redlands. About twenty members of the club attended and enjoyed a pleasant evening with music, games, and singing. The hostess dispensed pleasant hospitality and the guests declared the evening to be one of unmixed pleasure.

The organ recital which was to be given at Trinity Church last Monday evening by Roy R. Shrewsbury and was postponed on account of the storm has been announced for next Monday night, April 27, weather permitting. There will be no change in the programme as announced. Frank Hadlock, the boy soprano of St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, Los Angeles, and Carl Wellman Miner, violinist, will assist Mr. Shrewsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Boettger celebrated the 15th anniversary of their marriage, Wednesday evening, with a family dinner party. Covers were laid for sixteen guests at a table decorated with roses, carnations and sweet peas. Following the dinner, which was excellent, cards and music were enjoyed. The host and hostess received some pretty gifts commemorative of the anniversary.

Miss Bessie Lienbach was hostess at a bridge party given Tuesday evening to eight friends, at her home on Olive avenue. The party played cards for two hours, after which they gathered around the supper table and enjoyed a spread prepared by the hostess and a social hour.

Miss Iva Parmalee was hostess at a gathering of the members of the German Club of the University of Redlands given at her home on Cajon street, Wednesday night. About twenty members of the class attended. College songs were sung and instrumental and vocal music and games were enjoyed. A spread was a feature of the gathering.

Miss Minnie McQuilkin and Miss Kate Cooley of the University of Redlands, were guests at a house party given by Miss Kate Sinks of Pomona last week-end. The party was given in honor of the visit of the Redlands University ball team to Pomona to play the college team there. Attendance at the game was one of the pleasant features.

Azusa.

WEDNESDAY afternoon the Azusa Embroidery Club met at the spacious home of Mrs. Dr. Atkinson on Azusa avenue. A goodly number of the members were present. Mrs. Atkinson's guests, Mrs. Charles Page of Covina and the Misses Ruth and Charmion Snow of Los Angeles, were also present. During the afternoon, Miss Ruth Snow, who is an accomplished pianist, gave several selections, and Miss Charmion Snow gave a couple of exquisite little songs, much to the pleasure of the company. Elaborate refreshments were served by Misses Muriel and Rachel Atkinson and Miss Margery Ellis. Mrs. E. C. Thomas was voted on as a new member. A very delightful afternoon was spent by all.

Last Saturday evening a lot of the Rebekahs took dainty refreshments and surprised their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph, whose tenth wedding anniversary it was. They presented them with a fine reading lamp with compliments of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Burt went through the marriage ceremony again, this time by phonograph, using a record that gave all the questions a response, making a very funny affair of it. The guests departed at a late hour, wishing their host and hostess many more anniversaries.

The "Stitch and Chat" Club met with Mrs. Frank Carpenter Wednesday afternoon. Nearly all of the members were present, although rain was threatened. A pleasant afternoon was spent in social chat and some sewing. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess just before time for the ladies to depart for their homes. They meet in two weeks at Mrs. Goslin's.

Mrs. Allingham and daughter, Helen, passed through Azusa Tuesday on their way to Europe to spend a year with her daughter, Carrie, who has been taking vocal lessons in Berlin. At the end of the year they will return together to their home in Pasadena. Mrs. Allingham is a former resident of Azusa.

Mrs. Weatherwax, who has been spending the winter here with her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Jones, returned Tuesday to her home in Lanark, Ill.

Little Miss Margaret Walker celebrated her 8th birthday Saturday afternoon with a very pretty little birthday party. About fifteen of her friends were invited and they all had a jolly time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raney and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Griffith motored Saturday to Laguna Beach, returning home Sunday evening. They found the weather warm at the beach.

Upland.

THE Woman's Club's new officers took their chairs at the annual meeting on Friday afternoon. Mrs. John Rarick was the newly-installed president; Mrs. C. F. Troeller, vice-president; Mrs. N. H. Joughin, secretary; Mrs. Julia Lyon, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William Tuttle, treasurer; Mrs. E. P. Fuller, auditor. Mrs. Ella L. Westland was elected delegate to the biennial, at Chicago, in June. Annual reports were read and a short programme on "Art" followed.

A card party was given by the Masons on Monday night. A most enjoyable time was passed by those attending.

A couple of the circles of the Methodist Ladies' Aid were entertained by Mrs. C. K. Francisco and Mrs. W. C. Reynolds at the home of Mrs. Francisco, on Second avenue, on Wednesday afternoon. The ladies who helped swell the circle treasury were Mrs. S. S. Sampson, Mrs. Benson, Mrs. Henry Klenzle, Mrs. Paul Cushing, Mrs. F. H. Manker, Mrs. N. G. Pehl, Mrs. W. L. Brown, Mrs. Charles Allen, Mrs. N. I. Hamer, Mrs. George Cooley, Mrs. George Duley, Mrs. P. H. Harter, Miss Williams and the pastor, Rev. S. S. Sampson.

Mrs. D. D. Crew entertained at dinner on Saturday night in honor of her son Deon's twenty-first birthday. An elaborate dinner was served to the following young men: Earl Swan, Frank McCulloch, Bradford Manker, Herbert McCulloch, Anderson and Deon Crew.

Whittier.

AN interesting wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening, the contracting parties being Miss Gladys Miller and Gerald Benton. The nuptials were celebrated at the home of the bride's grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hankins of No. 342 South Comstock avenue. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Benton of East Whittier. Rev. Henry Edwin McGrew, pastor of the Friends Church, officiated at the wedding, using the beautiful ring service. Following a short honeymoon trip the young couple will take up their residence in Orchard Dale, where the groom has a citrus ranch.

St. Mathias Episcopal Church was the scene of a charming and simple wedding Wednesday evening, when the nuptials were solemnized for Miss Verdi Willard Brown and Joseph Henry Myers. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown, who came here from St. Paul, Minn., two years ago. The groom is a resident of Jefferson, Iowa. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Charles Stanley Mook, former pastor of the St. Mathias Church. Mr. and Mrs. Myers will spend a honeymoon in Southern California and will later return to the East to reside.

Complimentary to her daughter, Mrs. Fred H. Mossler of Portland, Ind., who has been her house guest for the winter, Mrs. Max Rosenbaum of No. 228 North Friends avenue entertained Friday. Mrs. Mossler, who was Miss Bertha Rosenbaum, will leave early next week for her eastern home.

Mr. and Mrs. Adron Wright of No. 541 North Painter avenue entertained the members of the Berean class of the Friends Sunday-school Tuesday evening. The class is somewhat noted for its social proclivities, and the affair Tuesday evening was a most pleasant one.

Mrs. Mary Tostenson of Le Grande, Iowa, who has been the winter guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Fawcett, left this week for her eastern home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Converse, who have been spending the winter as guests of friends here, returned to their home at Springfield, Ill., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Chaney and daughter, Miss Eulah Chaney, left for Salem, Ind., Tuesday to make their home. The Chaneys have been Whittier residents for several years. Miss Eulah Chaney was the recipient of a pleasant reception and social at the home of Miss Phoebe Forsyth just previous to their departure.

Mrs. James Barlow of Rivera entertained her brother, Lewis Henderson, and Mrs. Henderson of Lake county, while Mr. Henderson was in Los Angeles this week attending the convention of the Native Sons of the Golden West.

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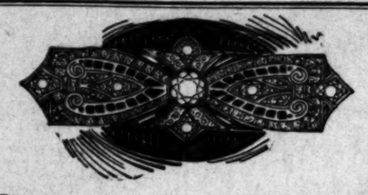
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SOCIETY.

arrived this week and will be a guest for some time at the F. M. Bergen home, No. 203 North Milton avenue.

H. M. Peck of Minneapolis, who has been a guest of the B. Harris home, on North Newlin avenue, left Tuesday for the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Ladd of Detroit were guests of the A. L. Reed home at an informal dinner Monday. The Ladds left for the East late this week after passing the winter in the Southland.

The parish-house of St. Mathias Episcopal Church was the scene of a brilliant reception Monday evening given in honor of the new rector, Rev. Frank U. Bugbee. The reception was held from 8 to 10 o'clock, and during that time over 150 Whittier citizens called to extend cordial greetings to the guest of honor. A short musical programme was given, under the direction of Mrs. A. T. Emory, solos being rendered by Mrs. R. R. Woodward and C. Newton Graves. Refreshments of coffee, sandwiches, punch and cakes were served, under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Swain. Among the special guests of the evening were Mrs. Bugbee and Misses Charlotte and Elizabeth Bugbee of Los Angeles, mother and sisters of Rev. Mr. Bugbee.

The girls of the senior domestic science class of the High School, under the direction of the teacher, Miss Grace Holloway, were hostesses to their mothers at an elegant luncheon Thursday noon. Ten mothers were present in response to the invitation, and the affair was a delightful one. The guests included the Mmes. Diffenderfer, Crawford, Coultas, Seale, Babcock, Barkham, Newcomb, Williams, Wood and Setzer.

Mrs. Harry C. Bedwell of No. 609 West Philadelphia street was hostess Tuesday to a group of friends at luncheon. The guests included Mrs. Wilson Boote of Rivera, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Talbot of Van Nuys and Mrs. Dudley Talbot of McCampbell Station.

Rev. and Mrs. N. T. Edwards of No. 522 East Bailey street entertained at dinner Monday evening Profs. Alfred A. Butler and George Paynter Hopkins of Los Angeles, the guests being in this city to give a concert that evening.

Miss Olive Tweed was the complimented guest at a social function given by the girls of the Plus Ultra class at the home of her aunt, Mrs. H. S. Fawcett, Saturday evening. Miss Tweed has spent the winter here as the house guest of the Fawcetts, and left for her home in Marshalltown, Iowa, early this week.

Mrs. Neal T. Ballard, who has been the house guest of her mother, Mrs. M. B. Brownson, returned this week to her home at San Jacinto.

In honor of the sixty-eighth anniversary of the birth of her grandmother, Mrs. J. T. Nylen, Mrs. E. A. Daniels entertained at dinner Sunday, the guests being the families concerned, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nylen, Miss Pearl Daniels and Mrs. Lena Ivy.

In celebration of the fifty-eighth wedding anniversary of the marriage of Rev. and Mrs. John Henry Douglas many friends sent flowers to the home yesterday—a substitute observance for what had been planned as an elaborate celebration. Owing to the illness of the groom of this long period of married life the celebration planned had to be abandoned.

Santa Ana.

MRS. ESTHER RAMSDALE, a beloved member of the Ladies' Guild of the Church of the Messiah, reached her ninetieth birthday last Saturday and to honor the notable achievement, the Guild members surprised her delightfully in the afternoon. The affair proved to be a veritable reception, many calling through the afternoon besides the ladies who spent the hours till 5 o'clock tea was served. Mrs. Ramsdale received her guests at the home of the daughter with whom she lives, Mrs. Lillian Wollaston. The Ross-street home was fragrant with the wealth of flowers sent to Mrs. Ramsdale, who is a dignified English gentlewoman who carries her 90 years wonderfully. A handsome birthday cake was adorned with candles, blown out successfully by the honoree as she breathed her most ardent wish. Letters and cards were showered on Mrs. Ramsdale during the afternoon. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Rufus S. Chase, the church rector, and his wife; Mmes. C. P. Kryhl, Frank Ey, Walter Eden, W. Whitehead, Newton Pierce, J. H. Martin, S. M. Dearing, Oliver Remsberg, Letby, A. A. Barrett, Smith, McWithy, Abe Roberts, Goddard, Ethel Hart, Miss Murdy, Miss Dollie Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rafferty and Miss Charlotte E. Dresser, a trio of prominent Santa Anans who journeyed on a tour of Europe two years ago, entertain such lively recollections of the delightful journey that they have decided to make the trip again over practically the same route as before. They will said for Mediterranean ports within a month and plan to proceed in a leisurely way over Southern Europe, lingering here and there at art centers and historical spots to which they are particularly attracted. Mr. Rafferty's mother, Mrs. Lucinda Rafferty of Los Angeles, and his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hulse of Los Angeles, will be met in Europe, but the meeting will be a complete surprise to the Los Angeles party as the plans of the Santa Anans have been kept a secret from the Los Angelenos. Miss Eda Schlischer, formerly of Santa Ana, will travel with the Los Angeles party.

The young matrons and maids of the Amphion Circle of the First Congregational Church were hostesses at a charming party recently at the home of Postmaster and Mrs. Linn L. Shaw, the younger men of the church being the guests. Miss Faith Shaw, daughter of the house, was head of the Committee of Entertainers, the assisting ladies being Mrs. Nat Neff, Mrs. Arnold Peek, Mrs. Emory Ratcliffe, Miss Nay, Miss Perkins, Miss Henry, Miss Snure, Miss Mildred Mead, Miss Lippiatt. The musical programme was contributed to by Miss Ethel Gibbs, contralto; Maurice Phillips, baritone; Raymond R. Miles, tenor, and Mrs. Arnold Peek, pianist. Forty guests enjoyed the hospitality of the Amphion ladies.

Mrs. F. B. Case entertained Saturday with a smart bridge luncheon at her North Broadway home. The 1-o'clock luncheon was attractively appointed. Place cards marked covers for Mrs. Davis and Miss Pauline Davis of Los Angeles, Mrs. R. H. Sanborn and Miss Hyatt of San Gabriel, Mrs. Jack Porter and Mrs. Collins of Orange, Mrs. James S. Rice, Mrs. Samuel Nau, Mrs. Robert Reid, Mrs. E. R. Mauzy of Tustin, Mrs. Robert Simon, Mrs. F. H. Case, Mrs. Hiram Connell, Mrs. Ben. E. Turner Mrs. John Tubbs, Mrs. William Malone and the hostess. Auction bridge occupied the afternoon with Mrs. James S. Rice winning high score, and Mrs. John Tubbs taking the consolation trophy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Shafer entertained informally Wednesday night for the members of the Bridge Club, to which they belong, their South Sycamore home being made cheery for the evening with simple flower decorations. Those at the whist tables besides Mr. and Mrs. Shafer, were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lloyd Grubb, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Scott, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hatzfeld, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Forgy, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Walker.

A charming event of the earlier part of the week was the reunion of members of a club that bears the enticing name of the Old-Time Club, the host and hostess being Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hawk. The South Birch-street home of the Hawks was fairly abloom with red roses, the same vivid flowers being used to adorn the table, the affair being in the nature of a dinner party. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Byron Stanley of Orange, Mr. and Mrs. Linn Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Arleagh Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Zarman and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wallace of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Hawk. The after-dinner hours were spent in reminiscences, all the party having been associated formerly in a club to which they belonged in Los Angeles.

Orange.

REV. S. H. Woodford, retiring rector of Trinity Episcopal Church of this city, and his wife, were the guests of honor at a farewell reception recently accorded them by the members of the Orange Ministerial Association. Many of the host of friends of Rev. Mr. Woodford joined with the clergymen in making the occasion a memorable one. The affair was held in the First Presbyterian Church, the auditorium being used for a programme of music and tributes of appreciation given by Dr. B. C. Cory, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and Rev. W. H. Galbraith of the First Baptist Church. Dr. Jackson presided during this period of the evening. Later an elaborate collation was served which in itself was a mark of affection for the departing rector, who is removing to Los Angeles, as the ladies of all the Aid societies in the city had united in its preparation. Dr. Woodford's departure from Orange will be deeply regretted, as he has commanded admiration by his Christian character and strong qualities.

The spacious dining-room of the Hotel Rochester was brilliantly lighted and adorned last Tuesday evening when an elegantly appointed banquet was served for the hardware men of Orange county. Every city and town in the county was represented and covers were laid for thirty-one guests. A programme of classical musical numbers was given as the banquet progressed. Interesting post-prandial exercises continued the event until nearly the midnight hour. After the unalloyed enjoyment of the sumptuous dinner which from the Rochester cocktail, through the young chicken course to the demi-tasse, was complete in cookery and service as well as attractive in appointment, the guests were still unwilling to leave the pleasant scene. As a compromise with the inevitable leave-taking, they arranged for a similar event in the merry month of May. It was also decided to form a permanent association with the possibility of frequent social happenings.

A recent picnic in Orange County Park was immensely enjoyed by the families of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Trickey, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Trickey, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jessup, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Trickey. The picknickers motored to the magnificent park, where a royal picnic repast was spread under the superb live oak trees that make this park one of the most picturesque in the Southland. All the joys of an out-of-doors event were a part of the day's pleasant experiences which were happily completed by a spin through Peter's Canyon on the return home in the evening hours.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stuthelt and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Stuthelt and three children, left this week for an extended automobile trip through the Middle West. Two Ford touring cars will be used in the overland journey which will carry them through a number of States. Much time will be spent in Kansas and Nebraska, and scenic points in Utah will demand much attention on their return trip. The trip is expected to be one of varied pleasure, and every preparation for a delightful journey has been made by the party of Orange tourists.

San Jacinto.

THE Shakespeare Club met at the home of Mrs. Mary Fowler Thursday afternoon. Preceding the meeting the ladies enjoyed an elaborate turkey dinner.

Mrs. E. H. Record has been enjoying a visit for the last week from a cousin who has just arrived from Maine, to make her home in California.

The Epworth League gave an enjoyable social in the Sunday-school rooms of the Methodist Church Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John St. John left Hemet the first of the week for a summer's visit to their old home in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Record entertained a dozen relatives and friends with a sumptuous dinner Sunday noon.

A. G. Munn, realty operator of Los Angeles, visited San Jacinto, his old home, this week.

Thomas Handcock returned this week from a short visit to Los Angeles.

Mrs. E. T. Tanner entertained the ladies of the P.E.O. at her home on San Jacinto avenue, yesterday.

San Jacinto society has been agog this week over the approaching nuptials of three young people the town delights to call her own. They are the Misses Blanche and Lora Woodhead and Howard C. Warren. Announcements of the engagements were received the first of the week. Miss Lora Woodhead is to wed Lieut. Thomas I. Steere, of the United States army, stationed at Boston, and Mr. Warren, who has been foreman of Mr. Woodhead's large ranch interests here for several years, wins the hand of Miss Blanche. A double wedding is planned, the date of which will likely be hastened, owing to the Mexican trouble, which will cause Lieut. Steere to leave at once for the front.

Mrs. H. M. Thomas has sold her 140-acre ranch northwest of town to John Deegan of Hemet, the consideration being $32,500, taking in part payment property in Hemet.

Oxnard.

SOCIETY amateurs of Oxnard and vicinity are rehearsing for a vaudeville entertainment to be given for the benefit of the new St. John's Hospital. A one-act sketch by William Dean Howells, a children's playlet, "December's Daughter," by Constance D'Arcy Mackay, and several songs with chorus, in costume, from current operas, are included in the programme. The performance will be given May 7 and 8.

Langdon Rogers will return to his home in England May 1. He has been visiting the Clayton Gillibrands in the Simi.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Penticost have returned to their Iowa home after an extended visit with the Dimmick and Snively families. In recent years they have spent every winter in Oxnard.

The situation in Mexico was the topic of principal interest at this week's meeting of the Monday Club. The programme was on current events, and was in charge of Miss Ethel Carroll.

F. H. Merrill and family and Miss Frances Lawton of Los Angeles were Sunday guests of the L. P. Watermans of Hueneme, motoring down for the day.

Colton.

DISTINCTIVE of the hospitality which each hostess is noted for was the afternoon tea taking place Friday at the Mission Inn in Riverside and presided over by Mrs. M. A. Bausch, Mrs. Ralph Bailey and Mrs. O. E. Stark. The guest company numbered about forty congenial friends and literary and musical entertainment was provided in addition to rounds of cards that filled in the interims. A daintily-appointed late-afternoon luncheon was served.

With Mrs. Ernest C. Merryfield holding a series of little luncheons of twelve or so covers, society women of the city have had delightful opportunity to chat and share in pastimes that require only the simplest efforts in the way of deriving amusement therefrom. Each pretty event has been shared by a particular coterie whose intimacy when mingling together produces a charming and harmonious atmosphere.

One afternoon the past week Mrs. Merryfield entertained for her little daughter, Gladys Bovard Merryfield, who was celebrating a seventh birthday anniversary. The dining-room was a symphony in pink and the birthday table a perfect pink bower with garlands and blossoms. Favors at each place were pink May baskets holding a small phial of perfume. The little folks participating in the frolic with Gladys were Irma Johnson, Alice and Lulu Stickney, Esther Woerz, Audrey Hays, Alice la Motte, Ernie Mary Pettijohn, Julianna Chetsy, Gladys Gorman and Grace Haines.

As a courtesy to Mr. and Mrs. Stonewall Mize, a bride and groom of the month, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hunter, an informal dinner party was given Monday evening by Mrs. T. M. Hatchett and daughters, the Misses Ethel and Ruth. April 1 Mr. Mize returned to his home in Missouri and there persuaded the sweetheart who had been true for three years to accompany him back to Colton as his wife.

An announcement of much interest among friends of the bride-elect and her family was that of the approaching marriage of Miss Hazel Dell Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baldwin of Colton, to S. Ray Callender, a prosperous young rancher of the Imperial Valley. The event is to be celebrated on Sunday, April 26, at the Imperial Valley church in El Centro.

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Miss Lola Robinson and Miss Bessie Byrne Bernike were hostesses at a card party recently held at the home of Miss Robinson. United with the decorations adorning the room were a variety of pennants, indicative of loyalty to different alma maters. Miss Robinson and Miss Luella Robinson served refreshments. Besides the hostesses there were present Misses Helen Gorman of Orange; Miss Jessie Mustard, trilled to surprise guests at a charming function given by Mrs. G. T. Parr, Mrs. Ben Atkinson and Mrs. George Parr at the home of Mrs. G. T. Parr, 420 West Sixth street, Thursday afternoon. Five Hundred was enjoyed by the many guests. Mrs. E. R. Sawyer won first trophy, the consolation prize going to Miss Dorothy Kirkland. Mrs. W. W. Van Niman won first prize at flinch, and Mrs. Clay White the consolation at this game.

Miss Myrtle Morris, No. 2210 Elm avenue, entertained a party of friends in a charming manner Wednesday evening in honor of the seventeenth anniversary of her birth. A prettily appointed dinner was the feature of the afternoon, a profusion of roses brightening the rooms and table.

Entertaining at a four-course luncheon a group of Ebell Club members, Mrs. J. E. Shimer of No. 1009 East Ocean avenue was hostess Wednesday to a small group. Yellow roses and nasturtiums were effectively used in the decorations. Miss Julia Ellen Rogers and Miss Sophia Wasem won the prizes in a guessing contest.

An interesting and pretty wedding was that of Miss Hazel Ada Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Smith, and Adel C. Renius of Morock, Cal., which occurred at the Smith home Saturday. The ring ceremony was read by Rev. D. J. Snyder, pastor of the Trinity M. E. Church. The young people stood under a bower of pink and white roses. They will make their home on the groom's ranch at Morock.

Mrs. D. K. Parker entertained a number of friends, members of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Coseboom school, with a dinner and afternoon of needlework Tuesday afternoon.

Witnessed by a select group of friends, Miss Alice Edna Kline of Dallas, Tex., and Louis O. Morris of this city were married in their new home, No. 813 East Fifth street, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. George D. Knights, D.D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, performed the ceremony. Miss Myrtel Osborne and John Schilling attended the couple.

Mrs. J. M. Kerr and Mrs. S. L. Powers have issued cards for a Kensington to be given at the home of the latter, No. 1551 Pine avenue, Saturday afternoon, May 2.

Mrs. R. S. Oakford of Los Cerritos, has issued invitations for a luncheon to be given at her charming home, April 29.

Santa Monica.

THE WOMEN'S CLUB flower show has been society's headquarters since the doors were opened early in the week. The festival has proved a great success and the club ladies are delighted with this year's work. Much satisfaction was shown when the prizes were awarded and the favorites who had toiled to make the festival a success were rewarded. Miss Helen Watson received the $10 first prize for gathering wild flowers and arranging them. Jack and Bernard Evans won second place in this class.

For red roses Leana Muchenberger was first for a dozen blooms, while Arthur E. Jackson was first for a half dozen blossoms. For yellow roses Mrs. N. S. Duckles came out first; pink roses, Mrs. Frank Townsend; white roses, Mrs. A. C. Briggs. All along the line, down to common poppies, the ladies who had gathered the flowers and artistically arranged them were rewarded for their pains.

At each of the four days' session of the show, which closed Friday, the hall was well crowded with beach society folk, and every one admired the beautiful decorations. Tuesday afternoon a unique programme was given by the 'Corking Charcoal Concert Company," a company of five pretty dusky maids and a pickaninny, who performed at the orders of a white interlocutor. Each day's programme was well gotten up and the many visitors were well satisfied with the entertainment.

The home of Mrs. D. G. Stephens will be the scene of the reciprocity meeting of local Chapter R of the P.E.O. on May 6. About 100 guests will be invited to the luncheon and musicale. The local members will have as guests members from Southern California chapters.

Mrs. F. H. Taft of the Women's Club has appointed as delegates from the club to go to the convention at Riverside the following women: Mrs. Harry J. Slater, Mrs. S. J. Egleston, Mrs. C. A. Peckham and Mrs. George H. Hutton.

Thursday evening Mrs. Musette Brown gave a musical recital at her studio on Sixth street. The music was furnished by twenty of her young pupils. There were many parents and friends of the young people present who enjoyed the recital.

Mrs. Cora A. Abbott of No. 1114 Wilshire boulevard left Wednesday morning for a visit of four months to her old home in Springfield, N. Y.

Redondo Beach.

ON WEDNESDAY afternoon the Entre Nous Club was charmingly entertained by Mrs. Walter McKnight at her hospitable home, No. 505 North Guadalupe avenue. They were grouped on the lawn for snapshot pictures by the hostess. Whist was enjoyed until 4:30, at which time the prizes, beautiful cut-glass candle-sticks with pink candles and shades to match, were awarded to the lucky ones. The hostess having made the highest score was given first prize, Mrs. Carl Barney carrying away the second, while the consolation prize, a candle-stick of smaller dimensions was given to Mrs. Henry Heaston. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of the hostess, were Mmes. Carl Barney, Ernest Butt, Roy Culver, Herbert Culler, Jack Funk, Henry Heaston, Howell McCreary, Byron Minor, C. A. Trowbridge, R. Wolfsberg and Charles McGehee.

T.B.B. Herd No. 9 spent a most enjoyable evening Monday in Los Angeles, leaving here about forty strong in an automobile truck to attend a social given by the Loyal Order of Moose No. 89. The evening was devoted to dancing after which an elegant banquet was served.

The domestic science class entertained the school trustees and their wives at a dainty luncheon at the High School cafeteria Wednesday evening. The dining-table was prettily decorated and the menu was excellent. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Matteson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Luxford, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Albee and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Langworthy.

Miss Jennie Connor, City Librarian of Great Falls, Mont., who has been spending several months in Redondo Beach, will leave for her home Tuesday.

A. L. Walton and Dr. E. Packson returned home Tuesday evening from a fishing trip near Fillmore and vicinity. Their catch of fish was small but they both received a fine dose of sunburn.

Mrs. J. Phillips, who has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. P. Brady, for the past three months, will return to her home in Lancaster, Wis., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keppel, who have been residents of Burbank for the past year, returned to the beach Monday and will again make it their home.

Seal Beach.

HOUSE parties have been much in evidence at Seal Beach during the past week and week-end. Mrs. Lewis Stanton of Los Angeles entertained a party of ten at the home of her son, Philip Stanton, from Saturday till Monday; the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Nance of Los Angeles housed a merry party. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Getz also opened their bungalow on Fourteenth street, and had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Oliver of Long Beach.

Miss Pfaffenberger was hostess to a party of girls who occupied the Pfaffenberger cottage on Fifth street. Guests included Misses Bessie Corbin, Nell Randall, Floy Stafford, Carrie Leggett, Marion Cheney and Annabel Mitchell.

Mrs. E. B. Harris is entertaining as house guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jones and family of Salt Lake City. Mr. and Mrs. Jones contemplate passing some time in Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moon of Los Angeles, accompanied by a party of friends, motored down from town and picnicked here on Sunday.

A party of Normal School girls enjoyed an outing here last week, at the Blumve cottage on Eleventh street, the guests of Miss Edna Blumve. The party was chaperoned by Miss Brooks and included Miss Doris Rosenthal, Miss Louise Pinkney, Hester Lowman, Dorothy Medland and the hostess.

Mrs. Ida Piatt of Santa Monica is a guest at the home of A. L. Havens at his home on Ocean avenue.

Miss Blanche Derby, Los Angeles; Miss Frances Norris, Miss Veda R. Walky, Anaheim; S. P. Smith and wife, Los Angeles; and Mrs. Charles Williams, Los Angeles, were guests at Seal Beach Inn during the past week.

A flat building is being erected by Mrs. Katherine Harter on her property located on Eleventh street.

SOCIETY.

Miss Irene Gale, Miss Dorothy Lindsey, Miss Blanche Smith; Messrs. Dale Crawford, Virgil Deaver, Earl Prather, Robert Robinson and Ben Morgan of Tustin.

Three newly-married couples, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ebel, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. George Prather, were the center of interest at a recent meeting of roses of the "Pi-Ea" held at the home of Mrs. Edith Higgins. A programme of readings and music was given. After the social diversions refreshments were served.

One of the pleasant informal affairs of the week was a dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. John Kaiser at their pretty home, honoring the birthday of L. B. Kaiser, the father of the host. Games of progressive nature occupied the evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kaiser, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Stutling, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Matthews, Miss Alice Matthews, Miss Gladys Stoner, Miss Eve Stoner and Dudley Kaiser.

Balboa.

DEWEY RUCKEBERG of Los Angeles spent the week-end motoring on the bay with his launch Comet.

Hector Bulla and two charming daughters, with Miss Stearns and Miss Phillips, returned to their home in Pasadena the first of the week.

Mrs. Leopold Goepper left Wednesday for a few days' visit with friends at Santa Ana.

Gordon MacLeish, son of Dr. MacLeish of Los Angeles, and wife are spending a few weeks' honeymoon in the family cottage at Corona del Mar.

Mrs. Fannie Wares and charming daughter Alice returned to their home in Santa Ana after enjoying a delightful week in the Butler cottage on Bay and Central avenue.

Miss Eleanor Saunders of Santa Ana was an over-Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Wilson.

Miss Winnie Beatty returned Monday after being a guest for a week of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crosier of Los Angeles.

Ocean Park.

MANY invitations are out for a social formal tango dance to be given in the new Fraser building at Marine and Ocean Front on Thursday evening of Wednesday, the 29th. The affair will be one of the most original of any of the tangos yet held on the coast, and the flower of the bay will be present to dance all the latest modern steps. Mr. and Mrs. Earl A. Fraser will be the hosts. The dancing will be on the new floor of the Breakers Club and will mark the opening of the new quarters.

Monday afternoon Mrs. C. P. Thomas will entertain the Santa Monica Ebell Club at her home on Sunset Avenue. The club was to have met on Friday afternoon, but the event was postponed until the coming week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. McQuaid and brother, Mrs. Paul Leasing, who have been spending the winter here in their cottage on Grand avenue, have gone on a long motor tour. After seeing the beauties of this State, they will return to their home in Minneapolis, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Greta Rice, who was chairman of the dancing party given Friday night on the pier dancing pavilion, certainly made the affair one to be remembered, for everyone present enjoyed the evening to the utmost. The party was given under the auspices of the Ocean Park Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and was a great success. These dances will be given each week.

Monday Miss Beatrice Oldfield, who is to marry William Darst, Jr., on the last day of the month was the honored one at a luncheon and miscellaneous shower given by Misses Beulah and Marian Girard and Mrs. Grace White. The Girard home was beautifully decorated for the affair. Those who shared the pleasures of the afternoon were: Mrs. Innes Kinney, Mrs. Sherwood Kinney, Mrs. Rose Wilson, Mrs. Marshall Wilkinson, Mrs. Frank Prior, Misses Beatrice Oldfield, Frances Wallace, Dorothy Hill, Cora Wilson and Florence Wilson, Mrs. Edens Darst and the fair honoree.

THE "Knickerbocker Club," composed of residents of two apartment-houses, which recently organized, gave a delightful box party at the dancing pavilion Saturday evening. There were many present who found the latest ballroom steps, and they were the center of attraction for the many people who danced there. They will hold weekly dances from now on.

Tuesday afternoon the Harmony Club was well entertained by Mrs. Ida Mansfield at her pretty Wavecrest home, where a delightful luncheon was served, after which auction bridge was played. Several ladies from Los Angeles were present. Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson of Tokio will entertain the club next week.

The Merry-Go-Round Club, which was to have gone to the canyon on a picnic, postponed the affair on account of the rain and enjoyed an indoor picnic instead, at the home of Mrs. Hazel Hines.

Mrs. Thomas Millham of New York is visiting Mrs. R. L. Irwin of Horizon Terrace for a few weeks.

Santa Ana.

MRS. B. N. HURD and daughter, Miss Frances Hurd, who have been spending the winter months in Los Angeles and Riverside, returned the early part of the week to will occupy their home on Lindo Lane for several months.

Mrs. A. L. Woodill, Mrs. Woodill and James Brown have returned to their home in Riverside after spending several weeks in their cottage on Surf avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Wilson have come from Rialto and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilson.

James V. Carroll and little Miss James, Jr., left Thursday for Coronado to spend a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carroll.

J. A. Cole was here from San Diego over the past week-end, visiting her home on Surf avenue.

Mrs. W. Lionel Roberts left Tuesday morning for San Francisco, where she will be the guest of friends for about two weeks.

Mrs. P. Burnham and her cousin, Mrs. W. L. Sears, are here from Los Angeles for a week's time, opening Mrs. Burnham cottage on Buena Vista avenue for the summer.

Mrs. O. Olsen, accompanied by her daughter, is occupying the summer home of her brother, Dr. Soiland, on Bay avenue for a few days' outing.

The Ebell Club is soon to have a new clubhouse, which will be built on Central avenue between Broadway and Alvarado streets. The club will house the club's rapidly-growing library, and will be made an ideal gathering place for the members and their friends.

Seal Beach.

BERRIES, at liberty in clusters and yellow mustard, trilled to surprise guests at a charming function given by Mrs. G. T. Parr, Mrs. Ben Atkinson and Mrs. George Parr at the home of Mrs. G. T. Parr, 420 West Sixth street, Thursday afternoon. Five Hundred was enjoyed by the many guests. Mrs. E. R. Sawyer won first trophy, the consolation prize going to Miss Dorothy Kirkland. Mrs. W. W. Van Niman won first prize at flinch, and Mrs. Clay White the consolation at this game.

Miss Myrtle Morris, No. 2210 Elm avenue, entertained a party of friends in a charming manner Wednesday evening in honor of the seventeenth anniversary of her birth. A prettily appointed dinner was the feature of the afternoon, a profusion of roses brightening the rooms and table.

Entertaining at a four-course luncheon a group of Ebell Club members, Mrs. J. E. Shimer of No. 1009 East Ocean avenue was hostess Wednesday to a small group. Yellow roses and nasturtiums were effectively used in the decorations. Miss Julia Ellen Rogers and Miss Sophia Wasem won the prizes in a guessing contest.

An interesting and pretty wedding was that of Miss Hazel Ada Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Smith, and Adel C. Renius of Morock, Cal., which occurred at the Smith home Saturday. The ring ceremony was read by Rev. D. J. Snyder, pastor of the Trinity M. E. Church. The young people stood under a bower of pink and white roses. They will make their home on the groom's ranch at Morock.

Mrs. D. K. Parker entertained a number of friends, members of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Coseboom school, with a dinner and afternoon of needlework Tuesday afternoon.

Witnessed by a select group of friends, Miss Alice Edna Kline of Dallas, Tex., and Louis O. Morris of this city were married in their new home, No. 813 East Fifth street, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. George D. Knights, D.D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, performed the ceremony. Miss Myrtel Osborne and John Schilling attended the couple.

Mrs. J. M. Kerr and Mrs. S. L. Powers have issued cards for a Kensington to be given at the home of the latter, No. 1551 Pine avenue, Saturday afternoon, May 2.

Mrs. R. S. Oakford of Los Cerritos, has issued invitations for a luncheon to be given at her charming home, April 29.

Santa Monica.

THE WOMEN'S CLUB flower show has been society's headquarters since the doors were opened early in the week. The festival has proved a great success and the club ladies are delighted with this year's work. Much satisfaction was shown when the prizes were awarded and the favorites who had toiled to make the festival a success were rewarded. Miss Helen Watson received the $10 first prize for gathering wild flowers and arranging them. Jack and Bernard Evans won second place in this class.

For red roses Leana Muchenberger was first for a dozen blooms, while Arthur E. Jackson was first for a half dozen blossoms. For yellow roses Mrs. N. S. Duckles came out first; pink roses, Mrs. Frank Townsend; white roses, Mrs. A. C. Briggs. All along the line, down to common poppies, the ladies who had gathered the flowers and artistically arranged them were rewarded for their pains.

At each of the four days' session of the show, which closed Friday, the hall was well crowded with beach society folk, and every one admired the beautiful decorations. Tuesday afternoon a unique programme was given by the 'Corking Charcoal Concert Company," a company of five pretty dusky maids and a pickaninny, who performed at the orders of a white interlocutor. Each day's programme was well gotten up and the many visitors were well satisfied with the entertainment.

The home of Mrs. D. G. Stephens will be the scene of the reciprocity meeting of local Chapter R of the P.E.O. on May 6. About 100 guests will be invited to the luncheon and musicale. The local members will have as guests members from Southern California chapters.

Mrs. F. H. Taft of the Women's Club has appointed as delegates from the club to go to the convention at Riverside the following women: Mrs. Harry J. Slater, Mrs. S. J. Egleston, Mrs. C. A. Peckham and Mrs. George H. Hutton.

Thursday evening Mrs. Musette Brown gave a musical recital at her studio on Sixth street. The music was furnished by twenty of her young pupils. There were many parents and friends of the young people present who enjoyed the recital.

Mrs. Cora A. Abbott of No. 1114 Wilshire boulevard left Wednesday morning for a visit of four months to her old home in Springfield, N. Y.

Redondo Beach.

ON WEDNESDAY afternoon the Entre Nous Club was charmingly entertained by Mrs. Walter McKnight at her hospitable home, No. 505 North Guadalupe avenue. They were grouped on the lawn for snapshot pictures by the hostess. Whist was enjoyed until 4:30, at which time the prizes, beautiful cut-glass candle-sticks with pink candles and shades to match, were awarded to the lucky ones. The hostess having made the highest score was given first prize, Mrs. Carl Barney carrying away the second, while the consolation prize, a candle-stick of smaller dimensions was given to Mrs. Henry Heaston. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of the hostess, were Mmes. Carl Barney, Ernest Butt, Roy Culver, Herbert Culler, Jack Funk, Henry Heaston, Howell McCreary, Byron Minor, C. A. Trowbridge, R. Wolfsberg and Charles McGehee.

T.B.B. Herd No. 9 spent a most enjoyable evening Monday in Los Angeles, leaving here about forty strong in an automobile truck to attend a social given by the Loyal Order of Moose No. 89. The evening was devoted to dancing after which an elegant banquet was served.

The domestic science class entertained the school trustees and their wives at a dainty luncheon at the High School cafeteria Wednesday evening. The dining-table was prettily decorated and the menu was excellent. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Matteson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Luxford, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Albee and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Langworthy.

Miss Jennie Connor, City Librarian of Great Falls, Mont., who has been spending several months in Redondo Beach, will leave for her home Tuesday.

A. L. Walton and Dr. E. Packson returned home Tuesday evening from a fishing trip near Fillmore and vicinity. Their catch of fish was small but they both received a fine dose of sunburn.

Mrs. J. Phillips, who has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. P. Brady, for the past three months, will return to her home in Lancaster, Wis., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keppel, who have been residents of Burbank for the past year, returned to the beach Monday and will again make it their home.

Seal Beach.

HOUSE parties have been much in evidence at Seal Beach during the past week and week-end. Mrs. Lewis Stanton of Los Angeles entertained a party of ten at the home of her son, Philip Stanton, from Saturday till Monday; the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Nance of Los Angeles housed a merry party. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Getz also opened their bungalow on Fourteenth street, and had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Oliver of Long Beach.

Miss Pfaffenberger was hostess to a party of girls who occupied the Pfaffenberger cottage on Fifth street. Guests included Misses Bessie Corbin, Nell Randall, Floy Stafford, Carrie Leggett, Marion Cheney and Annabel Mitchell.

Mrs. E. B. Harris is entertaining as house guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jones and family of Salt Lake City. Mr. and Mrs. Jones contemplate passing some time in Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moon of Los Angeles, accompanied by a party of friends, motored down from town and picnicked here on Sunday.

A party of Normal School girls enjoyed an outing here last week, at the Blumve cottage on Eleventh street, the guests of Miss Edna Blumve. The party was chaperoned by Miss Brooks and included Miss Doris Rosenthal, Miss Louise Pinkney, Hester Lowman, Dorothy Medland and the hostess.

Mrs. Ida Piatt of Santa Monica is a guest at the home of A. L. Havens at his home on Ocean avenue.

Miss Blanche Derby, Los Angeles; Miss Frances Norris, Miss Veda R. Walky, Anaheim; S. P. Smith and wife, Los Angeles; and Mrs. Charles Williams, Los Angeles, were guests at Seal Beach Inn during the past week.

A flat building is being erected by Mrs. Katherine Harter on her property located on Eleventh street.

Here and There in the Merry Social Whirl

MRS. C. LUGO was the charming hostess when members of the Wednesday Afternoon Card Club met not long ago in her rooms at the Franklin Apartments, on West Jefferson street. A prettily appointed luncheon was served, and after the guests had dined they spent the afternoon playing progressive whist. Prizes were captured by Mrs. T. Jones and Mrs. C. Lugo. Others present were Mrs. Ed Crebs, Mrs. C. S. Falkenstrom, Mrs. J. L. Thompson, Mrs. H. Knight, Mrs. C. V. Boquist and Mrs. G. R. Cornell.

Mr. Ellis Host

G. E. Ellis of 2033 East Fourth street recently entertained with an enjoyable musicale. His guests included Mrs. B. Neel, Mrs. H. A. McClansley, Mrs. Lucile Hampshire, Mrs. M. E. Cooke, Miss Evelyn Badger, Miss Violet Tormey, Miss Hazel Tormey, Miss Gladys Tormey, Randolph Miller, Edward Miller, K. H. Kagley, W. T. Beaver, P. Edwin Cox and Clyde A. Petrie.

For Their Son

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Cattern of Oaklawn avenue, South Pasadena, gave a dancing party Tuesday evening for their son, Newton Cattern, and their daughter, Miss Marymae Cattern. Dancing was the amusement of the evening, and during intermission supper was served. The guests included Miss Isabella Richards, Miss Marguerite Perry, Miss Gladys Newerf, Miss June Morris, Miss Elwyn Perry, Miss Tillie Bauer, Miss Ida Burns, Miss Irene Salisbury, Miss Louise McDonald, Miss Flo Coulter, Miss Lucille Council, Clarendon Foster, Bruce Spencer, Edmund Bennett, Jack Cass, Glen Garwood, Charles Ewing, Mr. Wrightsman, Clarence Council, Tom Sanson, Lynn Spencer and Dallas Speers.

Enjoy Week-end Visit

Angelenos who recently enjoyed a week-end visit at Stratford Inn, Del Mar, included Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Pauley, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Warnington, Mrs. Irene C. Williams and children, F. N. Baker, H. W. Kelley, H. M. Holdeman and J. M. Miller.

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ALL odd Suits must be eliminated from our stock! Tomorrow they are to go—$15.00 to $25.00 models—at $9.75. Serges, Crepes, Eponges, Basket Weaves, black-and-white Checks. If you can't find your size in one style, you'll find it in another just as smart and distinctive—ALL ARE NEW!
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One of the Remarkable Suit Values at $9.75

Buy One of These Stunning Suits at the New Paris Monday!
It Will Be One of the Best Investments You Ever Made in Your Life!



This exquisite Gown only $23.75 tomorrow!

Tremendous Reductions Monday on
ELEGANT SILK GOWNS
Their Former Prices From $50 to $85 — $23.75 — Exact Reproductions of Imported Models

Really Superb Creations

EVENING Gowns, Dinner Gowns and beautiful Afternoon Costumes—the finest specimens of the couturier's art to be sold at a mere fraction of their actual worth tomorrow! SEE THE GORGEOUS ARRAY IN OUR WINDOWS!
The season's choicest productions, perfect in every detail! All the leading street and evening shades. Beautiful beaded tunics, costly laces and garnitures, exquisite nets and brocades used in their designing. NO EXCHANGES. NO C. O. D.'S. SALE IN FRENCH ROOM.



See them in the Windows!

Sketch of Charming Gown in $23.75 Sale

Dollar Glove Sale
$1.25 Long Silk Gloves, Celebrated Fownes make. Guaranteed; double tipped; black, white and all colors. Regular $1.25 Gloves Monday.
$1.00

Other Attractive Features in Tomorrow's Great Sale

Silk Suits $18.75
Formerly Priced $25.00 to $35.00
CHARMING silk poplin and silk moire Suits in all the most desirable shades and black.

Wool Suits $24.50
Formerly Priced to $45.00
HANDSOME Novelty Suits in the newest and smartest weaves. Chic styles that distinguish them at once as "New Paris" Suits.

Millinery Specials
Chic New Styles in
Smart Belgian Split HATS — $9.75 TO $15
TRIMMED in clever black-and-white effects, in wheat and soft ribbons, the new camellias or a touch of the vivid yellow that is so stunning.

Sale Flower Hats
Attractive Models Formerly Priced $7.50 to $10 . . $3.75

The Nobby Small Sailors
TRIMMED in the newest bronze wing and fruit effects, with horsehair edge.
Special Values $10 to $15

The New Paris!

95c Sale
NEW BLOUSES
ENDLESS profusion of dainty new models—embroidered Voiles, Dolly Varden Crepes, fancy white Crepe with pink or blue stripes, fine batistes lace or embroidery trimmed, bands of shadow lace, embroidered dots in colors, new collars, hemstitched sleeves, tango cords.
AT THE NEW PARIS, MONDAY..... 95c

Exceptional Values in
FINE LINGERIE BLOUSES
VERY pretty new styles, in sheer voiles, beautifully designed with shadow lace, latest collars, vest effects, colored embroideries.
Special Sale Monday $1.95



Novelty Wool Skirts $5 to $6.75
LATEST hip ruffle and peplum styles, in new plaids, checks large and small, navy and black.
Fancy Taffeta Silk Skirts $12.75
New Ratine Skirts
In white, tan and dainty plaids and stripes. Very smart, $2.50 to $5.00

New! Washable Kid Gloves $1.90
French Kid Gloves that are guaranteed to wash perfectly. New and serviceable. White only. Every size. 2-clasp; P. K. seam.

Special Pricing
Summer Frocks $12.75
Wash Crepes and Ratines
DAINTIEST of Tub Dresses for the warm Summer days! In white and countless pretty light shades—rose, Copenhagen, helio, reseda, light blue—entirely new trimming features.

Other Models $5, $9, $14.75

Over 500 New Coats
On Sale Monday as Follows—

150 Coats $4.75
Values to $9.50
MEDIUM weight coats for the machine or outing purposes; loose, easy fitting models in new bell shaped styles.

100 Coats $7.50
Values to $11.

Miles of Pretty Cottons at 25c per Yard

Free Shipment

—Bullock's will prepay delivery charges on all merchandise that can be sent by Parcel Post in Local, First, Second and Third Zones from Los Angeles, with the exception of bulky merchandise, such as Household Furnishings, Furniture, Go-Carts, Hardware, Crockery and certain Auto Supplies (such as Oils, Tires and other bulky items.)
—REMEMBER THE GOVERNMENT LIMITATIONS—50 lbs. within local, 1st and 2nd zones; 20 lbs. within zone three, and the length plus the circumference must not be more than 72 inches.

Phones—Home 60411, Broadway 6462.

Bullock's
Broadway at Seventh

—*Free Developing Kodak Films at Bullock's—if you leave order for prints.*

—A great gathering that should interest every woman who visits the 2nd floor on Monday—among these 25c weaves are—
—Printed Window Costume Crepe at 25c yard.
—Striped and Checked Ratine—a wide range —25c.
—Hair Line Cream Cotton Serge—a value at 25c
—Black and White Shepherd Check Suiting 25c.
—Embroidered Renfrew Crepes, in variety, 25c.
—Orange Blossom Ratine, in all colors, 25c.
—Suggestions after suggestions for the prettiest of all summer dresses—and think of it, at 25c yard. —2nd Floor.

Bullock's
Opens at 9:00 Closes at 5:30
SUPERBA REGNAT OMNIBUS

Music 2:30-4:30—Take Afternoon

"Athena-wear"

—*Is tailored to fit the figure.*
—It seems as though everything that knit underwear for women and children has lacked in the past has been provided in Athena Knit Underwear.
—And it costs no more than other underwear that closely approaches it in value. Athena Knit Underwear at Bullock's exclusively in Los Angeles.

Phones—Home 60411, Broadway 6462.

Bullock's
Broadway at Seventh

—*Let the Optical Specialist test your eyes—You may need glasses—4th floor.*

—*In Bullock's Tea Room*
—which is becoming the rendezvous of afternoon parties—some of them reservations for the Gray Room in advance.
—Luncheon, 10:30 to 2:30.
—Music 12 to 2 and 2:30 to 4:30.
—Afternoon tea, 2:30 to 6.
—Express elevator to 8th floor luncheon hours.

"What, You Don't Mean These Beautiful Dresses Only $29.50



$29.50

—"Yes, Sirree! I do--Every one of them $29.50!"

—replied the man who buys and knows—
—"Indeed, it is a wonderfully low price—
—"New—Rich—The very favorites from the innermost circles of Fashiondom—Beautifully designed of silk, chiffon and lace in indescribably charming effects—They should make a great sale, shouldn't they?"—

One of the most fortunate purchases Bullock's has ever made is responsible for one of the greatest opportunities that Los Angeles women have ever been offered.

Just Look at these Dresses!

—Gowns for Dinner and for Evening—
Frocks for Matinee, Dansant and Afternoon wear—
—Fascinating designs of charmeuse, crepe de chine, flowered silks, chiffon, lace and

Taffeta —*Listen—there are ever so many styles of Pussy Willow Taffeta, Chiffon Taffeta and Taffeta Changeant*

—included—(Every woman knows how scarce Taffeta is at any price)—

—Yet—Every dress is to be put forward on Monday at $29.50—and not one dress but is worth this very minute 50% more—and some of them are ever so much more than half under regular price.

—It is an event that really approaches a sensation as closely as any distribution of garments for which we have been able to vouch in months—

—A most remarkable purchase—from the standpoints of exclusive style (hardly 2 models alike in the entire grouping)! Brilliant beauty of design, and the exceptional, almost incredible, lowness of price at which it was consummated—

—In addition to the attractions of materials—there is the color range that is equally attractive—*Bluebird Blue, Peppermint Green, Lime Green, Pink, Baby Blue, French Blue, Canary, Purple, Salmon, Biscuit, White, Black and Chameleon tones*—

—Not the least interesting feature are the strikingly individual costumes of *Taffeta and Voile*—in daring combinations; of *Taffeta and Lace; Charmeuse and Lace or Net; Charmeuse and Crepe or Chiffon; Crepe de Chine with Lace*—

—Oh! it's such an event as makes a writer wish for the magic power of a giant of the pen—to describe them adequately and give a fair idea of the extraordinary nature of their value—

—Dozens of just such exquisite, exclusive, charming styles, as Los Angeles and Southern California women and women of fashion the world over are admiring and demanding at regular prices nearly everywhere, to sell at the merest fraction of worth in one of the greatest of all garment offerings—Monday at $29.50.

—This group of dresses has been carefully drawn from models included in this great distribution that commences Monday at $29.50. Imagine the silks (many splendid Taffeta creations included)—Fill in the most favored colorings of summertime—Then make all your plans today to share these very unusual values at Bullock's, Monday—at $29.50—



—And now the millinery store expresses its Fashion Pre-eminence—with timely news of a most magnificent variety of

—*Brilliantly exclusive, perfectly charming new hat shapes—the majority of which, to be seen nowhere but at Bullock's in Los Angeles, are so different and distinctive as to be perfectly delightful.*

—Note the styles in the picture above (a drawing made from just a few of the shapes to give an idea of their exceptional style and character)—Then come to the 3rd floor on Monday and see what an extensive exhibit of other models is here from which you may select—
—Hats for morning, afternoon, evening, for matinee, for tea, for theater, for street, for golfing and for motoring wear—
—Not merely Hats that are up to the very last whisper of Fashion's dictation—but also Hats that interpret ideas that have not yet reached the West—
—Striking novelty shapes—unique, and unordinary as distinguished from the craze—
—Favorite materials and Lovely Color Combinations.
—Small Hats—High Crowned Hats—Narrow and Flat Hats—Bicornes, Tricornes and Quadricornes—
—The Crowns are no longer collapsible—but they are still far from being rigid—The Styles are rich in inspiration—the use of soft pliable braids—such as Milan Hemp, Real Hair Braid, Double Milans and Leghorns is extensive—but the Transparent Lace Straw is the greatest favorite of all—See the New Hat Shapes on Monday—Those illustrated above—$7.50 to $15.00.
—As a very particular feature we emphasize

Untrimmed Hat Shapes Which We Have Priced at $3.75

—And other Hat Shapes that are equally as attractive at $5.00—
—The former of Milan Hemp, and Hemp in black, white, navy, brown, chartreuse, and the new blue shades—
—A remarkable variety at $5.00—includes the new things, as well as the splendid rough straws. Hemp, Milan Hemp and Panama in every wanted shade—3rd floor.



"Cheek-Initial"

—The new Veils are at Bullock's—

—The new Veils—that have an initial instead of a beauty spot—and women think the initial is even more of a beauty spot than the beauty spot itself—
—That's why they're selling so fast in Eastern Fashion Centers.
—That's why Bullock's is so glad to have them first—and almost as soon as they were created—

They're priced $1.00

—That's far from exorbitant for the newest veil in the world, isn't it?
—Remember—at Bullock's—First Floor.

Buy Bedding—Now

—Buy Bullock Bedding — dependable bedding, rightly priced—in the face of a sharp advance in the cotton market, these prices on sheets and bedding are indeed notable—Buy Bedding now and save.

81x90 Sheets 70c
—Heavy linen finish sheets of strong, sturdy wearing thread, full width, seamless, wide top hem—81x90, 70c—81x99, 75c.

Bullock's Special Sheets
—Made of soft but firm sheeting, free from starch—will wear and wear—81x90, 65c—81x99, 70c—72x90, 60c—42x90, 55c.

Pillow Cases 15c
—Splendid cases of heavy muslin, well made, finished with 3-inch hems—42x36, 15c—45x36, 16 2-3c.

Comforts at $1.00
—Full bed size comforts filled with pure cotton, covered with a variety of light and medium colors—$1.00.
—Better grades at $2.00, $2.75, $3.50.

Beautiful New Arrivals in Footwear

—*Bullock's new Shoe Section has received shipment after shipment of summer footwear*—

—Desirable styles in pumps and oxfords—strap pumps—one and two-eyelet ties, Colonial effects, Ostend pumps—beaded effects and low heel English styles—



—Styles that have been carefully selected both as to their fitting qualities and correct styles—styles that are a fitting complement to the beautiful new home that has been provided for them—First Floor, North.

Colonial Pumps

—in a range of practical styles, or dainty dressy effects, including the popular Cleopatra with small side ornament—at $3.50, $4.00, $5.00 and $6.00 pair.

Strap Pumps

—probably among the most desirable of summer models—3-strap pumps in patent or dull leathers—$4. Cross-strap pattern, a particularly pleasing model, $5.



—*Have you seen Sorosis Footwear? Many new styles in pumps, oxfords, boots, at Bullock's exclusively in Los Angeles.*

Summer Draperies at Bullock's

—hundreds and hundreds of yards of the prettiest new summer Cretonnes are here for you to select from and to convince you that artistic draperies are not costly—very charming effects may be obtained from very inexpensive fabrics—

40-Inch Fabric 15c
—Silk effects in dainty pinks, blues, yellow and lavender—a remarkable fabric for overdrapes, comfort coverings, dresser scarfs, and the innumerable uses to which you may wish to put it—40 inches wide, 15c yard.

Art Ticking at 35c
—Figured art ticking in many soft shades of blue, rose, yellow and lavender—some with border so they can be used for the cut-out purposes.

36-Inch Cretonnes 25c
—Many attractive patterns in soft shades that will harmonize with almost any room or color scheme—blue, gold, pink, yellow—for bed sets, overdrapes and box coverings, 36 inches wide, 25c yard.

Drapery Voile 50c
—The voile with the new double border in soft shades of pink, blue and yellow—a material that is especially suitable for California bungalows—50c yard.

See the New Imported Cretonnes Monday

—a wonderful line of Imported Cretonnes that range in price from 40c to $7.50 per yard—the very new patterns and colors in Austrian Block prints on linen grounds as well as many French and English novelties—Won't you see them, Monday?—6th floor

Bullock's Decorating Section

—will come to your assistance in planning "The Home Beautiful." A full line of Imported and Domestic Wall Papers—Silk Damasks for the Wall and Furniture covering—Velvets in silk and cotton, Velours and a full line of imported Cretonnes ranging in price from 40c to $7.50 a yard.

Bullock's Artists want to help you plan your floor coverings, wall decorating and draperies.

—Bullock's will make your Window Shades to order and they will be right both as regards quality and price—made of the best materials mounted on Hartshorn rollers—
—Just telephone to Bullock's contract section and we shall be glad to send a man to your assistance.



—This Hammock Yours for a Name.

—A new style, built exclusively for Bullock's—
—Body is 30x72 inches—heavy springs that have a 5-inch raise and are nicely japanned to prevent rusting. The thick cotton pad is covered with 12-ounce canvas in olive green or khaki color; the back and both ends are of the same material; 2 magazine pockets in the back—$12.50.
—We're going to add a stand and canopy—and give the complete outfit for the best name suggested for the hammock. Contest closes May 1st.
—No purchase necessary. See the Hammocks on Monday—Fourth Floor.

Floor Coverings; Porch Hangings

—What do you need for the Porch and that Summer Cottage or for your own home to make it more comfortable for the summer months?—

—If you cannot go away this summer, a fiber rug, bamboo curtains and a few baskets and pots of ferns will make of that front porch of yours a most delightfully cool and pleasant nook—Try it out, you will be surprised—and it will not cost much either—

9x12 Kaba Rugs $13.50
—Very pretty Kaba rugs in dainty blues, tans and grays, also old rose, wool and fibre—9x12, $13.50—9x9, $11.50—4.5x10.6, $12.50—6x9, $9.00—6x7, $6.00—36x72, $2.50.

Grass Rugs
—For halls, porches and places where rugs get hard usage—may be had in the plain or two-tone effects.
—9x12, plain, $8.00—two-toned, $10.
—6x10, plain, $6.50—two-toned, $7.50.
—6x9, plain, $4.50—two-toned, $5.50.
—4.6x7.6, plain, $3—two-toned, $3.50.
—36x72 in., plain, $1.50—two-toned, $1.75.
—27x54 in., plain, $1.00—two-toned, $1.25.

9x12 Fibre Rugs $10.00
—Heavy reversible fibre rugs made of rope fibre stock prepared in oil and so woven that they lay flat—different colors and sizes—9x12, $10.00—7.6x10.6, $7.50—6x9, $5.50—4.6x7.6, $3.50.

Aerolux Porch Shades
—Come in 3 grades and may be had in color to harmonize with your house paint.
—4x7½ ft., $2.75 and $3.75.
—6x7½ ft., $3.75 and $5.50.
—6x7½ ft., $4.75 and $7.50.
—10x7½ ft., $6.00 and $8.75.
—4x6.8 ft., $2.00.
—6x6.8 ft., $3.00.
—8x6.8 ft., $4.00.
—10x6.8 ft., $5.00.

—(*Bullock's new Hair Goods and Hair Dressing Section is proving a revelation to women*)—

$4.25 {for 24-inch Stemless} Switches

—of the supremely high quality wavy Yvette Hair—A great value—

—Just one of the many very important values that are bringing so many women to Bullock's for New Hair Goods—
—Among many others—



28-in. Stemless Switches $7.50
Psyche Puffs at 95c
of Yvette Wavy Hair

—"The Parlors are Beautiful"—

—But it is not the Beauty of the Parlors that is the cause of most enthusiasm—The Standard and Quality of the Service is the most important Feature—Every operator is a specialist and Marcel Waving, Hairdressing, Shampooing, Facial Massage and Violet Ray Treatments are specialties—Visit the New Hair Goods Section—2nd floor—on Monday.

-Take Afternoon T

—In Bullock's Tea Room—which is becoming the rendezvous of afternoon Tea ties—some of them making vations for the Gray Room in advance.

—Luncheon, 12:30 to 2:30.
—Music 12 to 2 and 2:30 to 4:30.
—Afternoon tea, 2:30 to 5.
—Express elevator to 8th floor at these hours.

Optical Specialist ...—You may ...—4th floor.

Only $29.50

—Every one of

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...s of just such exquisite, exclusive, charm..., as Los Angeles and Southern California ...nd women of fashion the world over are ... and demanding at regular prices nearly ev... to sell at the merest fraction of worth in ...he greatest of all garment offerings—Mon...29.50.

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—Have you seen Soresis Footwear? Many new styles in pumps, oxfords, boots, at Bullock's exclusively in Los Angeles.

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Purchased Fifteen Hundred Yards Great, Wide Embroideries for a Wonderful Sale. They will be Out on Monday—Every Yard at $1.00

—Ever so many pieces wouldn't be overpriced, nor would we be surprised to see them marked three and four times $1.00 yard—You can imagine the extraordinary nature of their value at $1.00.
—27, 42 and 45 inches wide—Batiste, Voile and Crepe.—Exquisitely dainty, wide margins—all white, or light tan, or pretty colored conventional designs—
—Even some sheer Organdy Flouncings—16 and 27 inches wide—and hand loom Batiste Allovers that are 20 inches wide.
—Embroideries that defy description—Values that are almost incapable of comprehension—and explanation in an advertisement—
—So we have put them in a great big window—and no woman who wants beautiful Summer Embroideries should fail to see them today. Buy Monday—$1.00 yard.



Hundreds Yards Woolens 95c Yd.

—Batiste, Serge, Poplin, Crepe, Diagonal, Broadcloth, Henrietta, Epingles, Bedford Cloth and other weaves—

—Hundreds of yards—but the trouble is there are not enough Hundreds—Such quality Dress Goods as this—at 95c yard could well be merchandised in thousands of yards instead of in hundreds—

—Still while the quantity lasts—the opportunity is as attractive as though there were five times as great a yardage—and it should be taken advantage of by every woman who wants new Dress Goods on Monday—

—Plain and fancy effects in a wide range of shades—as well as black and white, 95c yard.

Black Silks,—"Rare as Diamonds"

—Indeed, Black Taffetas have been almost more rare than diamonds many times recently, so great has been the demand—

—The most wonderful, black silk springtime in years and years, gives promise of summertime of even greater wonder—information from the Fashion Centers indicates no let-up to the call—It's Black Silks! Black Silks! Black Silks! And Black Taffetas! most of all—

—Yet right in the midst of the demand with Black Silks hard to find at any price has come to Bullock's a splendid quantity of the most wanted pure black silks in beautiful qualities—

—And Bullock's will put them forward Monday in a way that should interest every buyer—and emphasize the forehandedness and leadership of this great New Silk Store on the 2nd floor—

—Plan to buy Black Silks at Bullock's on Monday.

Black Chiffon Taffetas

—35-inch Black Taffeta $1.00
—36-inch Black Taffeta $1.25
—36-inch Black Taffeta $1.50
—35-inch Black Taffeta $1.65
—36-inch Black Taffeta $1.75
—36-inch Black Taffeta $2.00
—36-inch Black Taffeta $2.25
—40-inch Black Taffeta $2.25
—40-inch Black Taffeta $2.50

40-in. Fussy Willow Taffeta $2.50

Black Silk Moire

—36-inch Black Moire $1.75
—36-inch Black Moire, plain and brocaded $2.00
—36-inch Black Moire $2.50
—40-inch Black Crepe Moire.. $3.50
—43-inch Black Moire, plain and brocaded $5.00
—42-in. Black Brocaded Moire $5.75

Black Silk Poplins

—Silk and wool mixtures in weaves of Crepe, Faille and Bengaline. Being a most satisfactory fabric for making gown or suit, used for almost every purpose—Exceptional in appearance and serviceability.

—40-inch Plain Poplin $1.50
—40-inch Crepe Poplin $1.65
—40-inch Faille Poplin $1.75
—42-inch Plain Poplin $2.00
—40-inch Crepe Poplin $2.00
—42-inch Bengaline Poplin .. $2.50

—The beautiful new silks of summer are being shown in most extensive varieties at Bullock's now.

Black Silk Crepes

—The Crepe Fabrics are in great demand, being so soft and clinging, making a beautiful drape or plait. Always rich in appearance—They are here at prices to meet the desires of everyone—

—40 in. Blk. Crepe De Chine $1.50.
—40 in. Blk. Crepe De Chine $1.75.
—40 in. Blk. Crepe De Chine $2.00.
—40 in. Blk. Crepe De Chine $2.25.
—45 in. Blk. Crepe De Chine $2.35
—45 in. Blk. Crepe De Chine $2.50.
—42 in. Blk. Crepe De Chine $2.00.
—42 in. Blk. Crepe De Chine $2.25.
—42 in. Blk Crepe De Chine $2.50.
—42 in. Blk Crepe De Chine $4.00.

1000 Yards Silk Bordered Voile 55c

Imported—42 Inches Wide—Almost Half Price—Listen!

—Imagine a beautiful Cotton Voile in the very prettiest shades of the season—Imagine it wide enough for an entire skirt length—Imagine it light, and just as cool, as cool as can be—Imagine it edged with three splendid graduated breadths of sunshine.—Then come to Bullock's to share this beautiful Imported Silk Bordered Voile at 55c yard on Monday—and plan the prettiest Summer Frocks that you ever had while you save almost 50%.

Black and White "Waffle Cloth" at 50c Yard

—A striking creation—a waffle cloth, indeed—white squares—crossed with black—Different size blocks—500 yards of it to make wonderfully attractive Summer Skirts, Coats, Suits, at 50c yard, on Monday.

—More and more buyers are recognizing, that for the newest, most brilliant creations in cotton weaves, they must come to Bullock's New Cotton Goods Section on the 2nd floor.

27-in. Irish Poplin 30c

—A beautiful mercerized poplin with high luster—made of 2-ply twisted yarn—new colors and white.

English Longcloth $1.00

—100 bolts of 36-inch English chamois finished longcloth. 12 yds. to the bolt, at $1.00 bolt.

Egyptian Nainsook 15c

—Snow white, fine, even thread nainsook—for dresses and lingerie. At 15c yard.

2000 Yards Perfectly Exquisite Floral Voile 25c

—40 inches wide—a fine chiffon finish—white and tinted grounds—with rose buds and other flowers—recklessly scattered all over the weave—25c yard.

100 Doz. Bath Towels 15c Each

—1200 *more of those "Gigantic," Big, Thirsty Bath Towels that set buyers wild last Monday—*

—So big—it seems as though the price must surely be a mistake. But it isn't—It's right—and tremendously exceptional—Very—very long—and wide double thread—snow white Bath Towels. Crowds will come for them—that's why we shall probably be forced to limit purchases—for 1200 is a small lot considering the value. In the Linen Store—2nd floor—15c each on Monday.

50 Doz. Huck Towels (20x35 in.) at 15c

—Union Huck Towels that are as strikingly unusual in their way, as the Bath Towels at 15c—neatly hemmed ends—Damask Floral borders. Fully 50% underworth—They should cause extraordinary buying, Monday, at 15c.

Turkish Bath Mats 50c

—200 of them. Extra heavy double threaded mats—22x42 inches in size. Fast colored "Bathroom Blue." A big value, 50c.

Huck Towels $2.50 *Doz.*

—Linen Huck Towels—Size 18x33 or 19x35 inches. All linen, hemstitched, one of the best values Bullock's has offered, $2.50 doz.

Many Astonished at "Dollarmark" Damask

—More than one purchaser of Dollarmark Damask has been surprised at the uncommon linen it is at $1.00 yard—Exceptionally high in quality—Dollarmark Damask proves its worth after laundering—Dollarmark Damask is to be found only at Bullock's—

—Rose, Shamrock, Fleur de Lis, Rose on Stripe, Bowknot, Pansy, Tulip, Lily, Spot designs—Much of it runs full 72 inches wide—All of it's supposed to—$1.00 yard.

—22-inch "Dollarmark" Napkins, $3.50; 24-inch, $4.00 dozen.

66-in. Linen Damask 85c

—Snow white Irish satin damask. Very smooth texture—Floral patterns.

Napkins at $1.65 *Doz.*

—20-inch Linen Napkins—White satin damask at $1.65 doz.

Blue Breakfast Sets $4.00

—Dutch blue satin damask—Cloth and six napkins—$4.00 set.

Round Cloths at $5.00

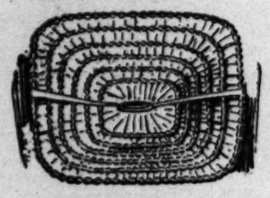
—Beautifully scalloped satin damask cloth—Circular patterns.



"Rapide"—35c

—The Spoon Infuser.

—The nickel-plated way of making a cup of tea so easily, and quickly, and perfectly—it is a delight—Every home — every teatable should have a "Rapide"—
—The picture illustrates—
35c, on the fifth floor—



6 Table Mats 15c

—The picture tells the story.
—A value that should draw many buyers to Bullock's—Fifth Floor—Monday.

6 Tumblers 25c

—Thin tumblers.
—Prettily decorated. 4 patterns to choose from. Limit to purchases and no phone orders—Fifth Floor.

"I should say $12.50," says one.

"This one $10.00—that $15.00. Oh! they are perfect dreams," says another.

—If you could have seen these waists, and the very riot of enthusiasm they caused when they were introduced to those who are to sell them, along with the news that every one of them would be $5.95—there would have been no need for this advertisement.
—There would have been one rush—and then those who came after would have been too late—
—As it is

These really magnificent new waists are being guarded jealously. Every one is to be held back until nine o'clock sharp Monday morning, at that time to go forward at $5.95 at Bullock's.

—And early buying is earnestly suggested—
—Brilliantly exclusive styles—of silk, chiffon, net, ribbon, lace—in a wide range (no two alike that we have seen)—and in a variety of shades and combinations equally extensive—
—Values that are so great as to justify one in guessing two and three times $5.95—as the price at which they should be sold—
—Another victory for Bullock's—Another opportunity for the women of Los Angeles and Southern California—who should seize it eagerly on Monday—$5.95—3rd floor—

Linoleum 35c Sq. Yd.

Bullock's Basement Store

Sale Hats at $1.00 Monday

$5.00 Suits! $5.00 Dresses! $5.00 Coats!

—Monday is to be another of those great Basement Store days at Bullock's—in which extraordinary values are featured for purposes of Advertisement and Friend-Winning—
—The desire is that every woman, man and child in the Southwest shall come in touch with and appreciate the importance of Bullock's Basement Store to every one—

—Any one of these items would be sufficient in itself to arouse extraordinary enthusiasm—all three together! Monday should prove one of the greatest days the Basement Store has known—

—Great purchases have been made, received and reinforced with values that may be even greater, because we have made them deliberately from regular stocks—to win a great day's success on Monday—
—This $5.00 event is notable in many ways—the character of the garments concerned is equally important as the lowness of the price—

At $5.00

—There are Coats
—that are in every way as striking values as the Dresses and Suits
—Coats of mixtures — Coats of fancy weaves—
—Coats in Balmacaan and Box effects.
—All notable for their tailoring. A good range of styles and sizes.
—Yes, even some plain and fancy effects included in this great $5.00 event on Monday.



At $5.00

—There are Suits
—of Black and Navy Serge—
—Coats with sleeves in the Peasant style—skirts slightly draped—well tailored models—
—The coats are lined with good satin.
—It's hard to imagine how the material alone could be purchased for $5.
—It's a question if it could in a regular way. Monday they will be $5.00.



At $5.00

—There are Dresses
—Of Messaline in plain and striped effects. Styles you could not imagine even though one of them is pictured here.
—Dresses in black, navy, brown and Copenhagen.
—Made in the favored Spring styles with yokes of dainty lace. A good variety of styles and nearly every size. A feature of features at $5.00, Monday.



At 79c

Undermuslins
—Princess Slips, Gowns, Combinations, Petticoats and Chemise—a big assortment.
—Of particular worth is a princess slip finished on the bottom of skirt with scalloped embroidery that you would be positive had been done by hand—but it hasn't.
—There are many others too numerous to describe—all placed on one table for your convenience—79c garment.

At $1.00

Lingerie Waists
—Waists of voiles and marquisettes—made with round or V-shaped necks, fancy fronts, embroidered effects. Dainty waists that are well finished. Many different styles in sizes 36 to 44, $1.00 each.

Brassieres at 29c
—Made of good quality muslin, boned and stayed, finished with embroidery edging, good fitting brassieres at 29c.

At $3.75

Silk Waists
—Waists of Habutai silk—with pretty stripes in delicate colors—the yoke and top of sleeves cut in one, finished at edge with plain silk, which is also used for collar, cuffs, buttons and for a perky little bow at the neck—good styles—splendidly tailored —$3.75.
—Then there are waists of black, brown and navy messaline. Waists of crepe de chine and the popular chiffon covered waists at $3.75 each—a good assortment of styles and sizes, $3.75.

25c Yard

—For 12 to 17-inch Shadow Flouncings—
—A very special offering over 33⅓% less than we have been able to ask for similar Lace Flouncing—
—And much of it is ever so much more underprice—
—White and ecru—
—A value of values for this Basement Store day, at 25c.

Linen Crash 10c *yd.*

—Unbleached linen crash toweling, a good heavy quality that is all linen, 18 inches wide, 10c yard.

Bleached Sheets 49c

—72x90 bleached sheets of good quality muslin, neat center seam, torn ends, 49c each.

Huck Towels 10c

—Bleached towels of good huck with neat red borders, 30x40 and 17x33 inch sizes, 10c each.

Wool Serge 59c *yd.*

—All wool storm serge and some French serge, 36 inches wide—and some plaids and diagonals, 38 inches wide, in the leading staple colors, 59c yd.

Black & White Checks 30c

—36-inch black and white checks, small and medium size—clear, distinct checks in fast colors—a good quality at 30c yard.

Checked Voile—a Great Value, 10c

—Yes, indeed, it is great value—1500 yards of it—fine and sheer, a very pretty material that will make the coolest of waists and dresses, or the fanciest of fancy aprons and breakfast caps—A very remarkable offering in the Basement Store on Monday.
—No matter how plainly and simply a dress is made, if it is fresh and of pretty material, the woman with a white dress looks well dressed—in summer.
—This voile is in different size checks. Because we bought it all we are able to offer it to you for 10c yard—Monday. Hurry!

Lawn Waistings 15c

—Very fine and sheer white barred lawn waistings, 28 inches wide, 15c yard—

Printed Crepe 12½c

—White crepe with dainty floral patterns printed on—crepes that do wash and retain their colors—28 inches wide.

Men—Buy Shirts on Monday for 25c



—Some have little oil spots that will wash out, some have little defects that are easily remedied.
—Shirts, if they were perfect, you would never be able to buy for less than ???—but look at them—and then you will know the savings you are making—
—Shirts in a big assortment of patterns—coat style shirts with French or stiff cuffs—Monday, for a quick clean-up, 25c each.

Men's Straw Hats 50c

—Just about 4 dozen straw hats—not very many it is true, but you will find your size and the style wanted if you come Monday—50c

Men's Union Suits 75c

—Athletic union suits made of cross-barred nainsook and mercerized poncee—well made, cool and comfortable, full range of sizes, 75c suit.

Laces at 5c yd.

—Heavy bands and edges in white and ecru, different widths, also Val. laces in insertion and edges, 5c yard.

72-in. Net 65c *yd.*

—Small mesh net that is especially good for lining, extra quality, cream, white or ecru, 72 inches wide, 65c yard.

Lace 59c

—36-inch lace allovers and 15 and 17-inch flouncing, white and ecru only. 59c yard.

Buy Notions

—In the Basement Store—you will be surprised at the savings you may realize—

Pad Supporters, 15c—Made of good elastic with grips that do hold, all colors, 15c pair.
Silk Binding Ribbon, 10c—White or black.
Dressmaker's Pins, 10c—for quarter-pound box, sharp-pointed pins.
Folding Coat Hangers, 10c—of heavy nickel finished wire—well made and very strong.
Wire Coat Hangers, 5c—One-piece hangers.
Skirt Hangers, 5c, 10c—3 styles.
White Finishing Braid, 5c—Feather-stitched braid—4 to 6-yard bolts.

Bullock's
Broadway at Seventh

Hamburger's Buyers Sale

Basement Store

Coats, Suits and Dresses at $4.95

—Values without a precedent—women's coats, suits and dresses, remainders from our season's regular lines drastically underpriced — read the wonderful economy news—

$7.50 to $8.75 Coats at $4.95—Included are all wool serges, Bedford cords and cheviots, in three-quarter and full length models. All sizes 14 years to 38 in the lot, though not all sizes in any one style. Shop early.

$7.50 to $12.50 Suits, $4.95—Suits that sold for $10.00 and $12.50 earlier in the season—the $10 suits reduced in a recent sale to $7.50, now all grouped into one lot at $4.95—a variety of materials and colors including all wool serges, cheviots, ratines and crepes. Sizes 16 years to women's size 44.

$7.50 Dresses, $4.95—Serge, messaline and foulard dresses, in brown, Copenhagen, green, tango and black. Many different styles, sizes 16 to 44. Come and come early!

Sixty 95c to $1.59 Untrim'ed Shapes 69c

—Just 60 hats in the group—just 60 economy-wise women will grasp the opportunity! Soft draped turbans, hemp braids, taffetas and chip straws, in every coloring fashionable for summer wear. The clever miss or matron will add a ribbon bow or floral fancy—presto! a pretty style—and think of the saving!

69c Brocaded Ratine 42-in. 49c

—The season's favored dress fabric, in the season's favored shades—1000 yards marked at less than the average cost for a day of rousing activity tomorrow. A soft clinging quality, 42 inches wide.

23c Cotton Damask at 12½c yard

—1000 yards 58-inch cotton damask comes forward as a notable feature for the first day of the Buyers' Sale in the Basement Store at 12½c a yard. A quality that is used extensively by Hotels and Apartment Houses. But remember! Only 1000 yards—hurry!

Women's 15c Stockings, 7½c

—Some perfect, others slightly imperfect, defects that you'd have to look long and hard to see. Of medium weight cotton, seamless and reinforced at wearing points. In black or tan.

10c Striped Crepe, 7½c

—1500 yards of crepe in narrow, medium and wide stripes. A feature tomorrow, the first day of the Buyers Sale, at 7½c a yard.

Hand Bags at 39c

—Beaded and leather styles, in a variety of different designs. Yesterday their price tags read 49c to 69c—yours tomorrow at 39c.

98c Lingerie and Tailored Waists, 59c

—Crepes, voiles and marquisettes, and tailored waists of imitation flannel and of satin striped crepe—a notable group away under price. Low neck and short sleeves and high neck and long sleeves models all effectively trimmed. How enthusiastic women will be when they see them—wonder values at 59c. In all sizes 34 to 44.

Women's 39c Gloves, 25c

—Two-clasp silk and lisle gloves with double finger tips, in tan, pongee and gray. Also 2-clasp suede lisle gloves, in black, white, tan and gray—25c a pair.

Women's Oxfords, $1.95

—Bought in a special way—Hamburger patrons share the advantage. Tan calf oxfords with rubber soles and heels; all sizes for women. $3.50 values, $1.95.

Boys' 25c Shirts at 15c

—Who ever heard of buying a boy's shirt for 15c? Made of sturdy percale and gingham in striped patterns; collar attached.

25c Net Ruffling, 12½c

—The price is cut right in two in this notable instance. Fine Bretonne net, the popular widths, in white or cream.

12½c Bungalow Nets, 7½c

—Anticipate your curtain needs for many months to come—it's your economy. Neat Mission designs, in white, ivory or Arabian shades.

19c to 25c Ribbon at 10c

—How they'll go streaming out of our Basement Ribbon Section tomorrow. Heavy satin ribbon, hair bow taffeta and fancy Dresden prints—800 yards to sell at 10c a yard. Be early!

Men's 39c to 65c Shirts at 27c

—Slightly laundry stained, but a trip to the tub will freshen them a-new—it's a notable economy for men. Coat style shirts with plain bosom, cuffs attached; a variety of patterns and colorings; sizes 14 to 17½.

9c Tooth Brushes at 5c

—A great table full of them, every practical size and shape included. It's a wonder value—share in it tomorrow!

See our double-page Buyers Sale Advertisement in this issue—scores of wonderful money-saving opportunities. Come early!

The Corset Shop

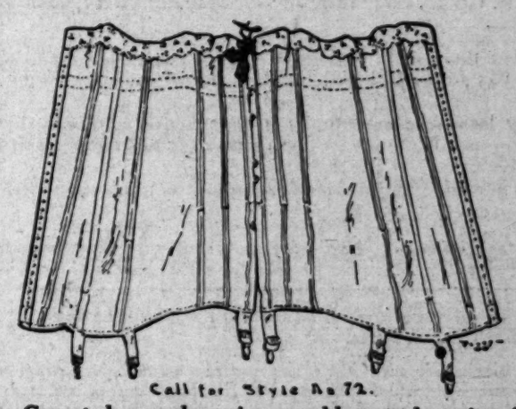
533 So. Broadway.

Month-end Clearance Sale of odd lots of Corsets, mostly medium or high bust. Sizes 18, 19, 20, 23 to 36.

98c Corsets in this lot priced regularly $2 to $3.50

50c Corsets in this lot were $1 to $2

35c Numbers that sold from 50c to $75c



Call for Style No 72.

The Corset shown above is a good buy at the price, $2

SOCIETY.

Anaheim.

AMONG the prettily appointed affairs of the week may be numbered the Five Hundred party given on Wednesday evening at the charming home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Leslie Swope. A particularly pleasant feature of the evening was that it chanced to be the birthday anniversary of both the host and hostess. Pink and green in dainty pastel shades prevaled throughout the decorative scheme, which was attractively combined in the use of roses and ferns in the spacious living rooms.

The scorecards were hand-etched and marked places at the small tables for Mr. and Mrs. W. H. N. Locke, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Hartfield, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goff, Mrs. E. L. Olmstead, Mrs. Swope, Sr., the Misses Dorothy and Marguerite Swope, and Stephen Rimpau. The high scores were achieved by Mrs. Charles Goff and Mr. Hartfield and the consolation fell to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark. At the stroke of 11 o'clock a tempting collation was served, Mr. Clark acting in the capacity of toastmaster, at which time Mr. and Mrs. Swope were the recipients of hearty congratulations.

One of the charming sping weddings was that of Mrs. Katherine Berdow and Daniel Naugle of this city. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lensing, Judge J. S. Howard, officiating. After a brief honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Naugle will be at home to their many friends at Center and Olive streets.

Miss Isabelle Dunning left on Monday for Havana, Cuba, where she will enter the Mother House, preparatory to taking the veil. Miss Dunning is the eldest daughter of Mrs. Catherine Dunning. She expects to remain away a year, after which time she will return to St. Joseph's Academy of this city. She joined the Dominican Order in January.

The members of the Past-Time Club were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. J. Janss on Thursday afternoon. Five Hundred was played during the afternoon, after which the guests assembled in the attractively decorated dining-room, where a delicious luncheon was served. Seated with the hostess were Mmes. G. W. Sherwood, Henry Tuffree, R. W. McClellen, W. L. Finney, O. W. Clark, E. L. Edwards, C. F. Grim, Normandy, E. A. Day, Austin, Lacy and Miss Annie Ryan. Mrs. Janss was assisted in receiving by her charming daughter, Miss Fredda.

Albert Brunworth, son of John H. Brunworth of this city, left Friday for Mexico. Brunworth is one of the first of the popular young bachelors to enlist and will serve under Capt. Mentler of Los Angeles.

Miss Rose Mattis was happily surprised on Monday evening when a bevy of friends assembled at the home of her parents on South Palm street. Music was a feature of the evening's amusement, after which a dainty luncheon was served. Many of the guests were from out-of-town.

A pretty card party was that presided over by Mrs. George W. Hamler at her charming home on North Chartress street Thursday afternoon. The high scores were won by Mrs. Sheridan and Mrs. Cole, while the consolation was the lot of Mrs. Frederick Rimpau. A daintily appointed luncheon was served at the conclusion of a happy afternoon.

Tropico.

MRS. EDGAR STUART AYRES entertained the Norton Art Club of Tropico, at her home on West Park avenue, Monday afternoon. Mrs. J. G. Chapman presided and presented a most interesting programme on the architecture, cathedrals and grand old masters of Florence, Italy. Mrs. S. A. McNutt contributed to the programme by presenting a paper on Giorgione; Mrs. Samuel A. Ayres, The Duoneo; Mrs. Frank I. Marsh, Savonarola; Mrs. Frank V. Ashton, Giotto's Tower; Mrs. Ashton also read Henry Longfellow's poem, Giotto's Tower; Mrs. Joy Goodsell, San Marco; Mrs. Percy Priaulx, the Baptistry of Campanile; Mrs. Edgar S. Ayres, the old century in Florence.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Episcopal of Tropico gave a social at the parsonage Tuesday evening, when Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Carries assisted the Ladies' Aid in entertaining the guests and presented a splendid programme.

Ladies of N. P. Banks Woman's Relief Corps tendered one of their members, Mrs. Phoebe Meyers, a surprise luncheon and house-warming at the pretty new bungalow home of Mrs. Meyers, on Mariposa street, Wednesday.

Miss Blanche Shea entertained with a dinner party dainty and replete in all of its appointments at her home on Brand boulevard, Saturday evening.

Those present were: Miss Harriet Meyers, Miss Katherine Hobbs, Miss Esther Jones, Miss Jean McNutt and Miss Olive Moffett.

Mrs. Nellie Laird, assisted by Miss Minnie McAdams, entertained the Thimble Club of Lahalla Temple, Pythian Sisters, at the home of Mrs. Laird on Acacia street, Friday afternoon. The event also celebrated the anniversaries of Mrs. Delia Hapsgood and Mrs. Hattie Tiffany. Mrs. William Harburg, Mrs. George Friedgen, Mrs. Robert Sanders, Mrs. M. E. Grove and Mrs. Nora Woodward were guests of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Normant went to Fresno Thursday where they will spend a fortnight visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Ada Greeves of Omaha, Neb., is the house guest of Mrs. Herman W. Melrose of Blanche avenue.

Mrs. I. J. Phillipps of Laurel street, after visiting at Long Beach a few days, left for San Diego, where she will be the guest of her sister.

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THE MOODS OF GENEVIEVE.

BY GWEN SEARS.

Illustrated by Katherine Fogg.



No. 4.—THE DOMESTIC MOOD.

Oh, there are days when I mope over my typewriter, and a homely, but shiny, dish pan is the essence of my dreams.

On these days I stand by the window with my nose flattened on the pane and gaze out on the gray mountains of rock—not nature's mountains, where the sunlight plays in the crevices—but just the cold, impenetrable mountains that man has erected, gray and heartless—the business buildings of a great city.

I know not how the Domestic Mood ever managed to find me down in this alien environment, but I believe it must be the smell of the soapsuds the washwoman uses which carries me back to other days and makes me long for them once more.

Oh, the toll one must pay for having ambitions!

Now is the kind of domestic ardor that rejoices in bringing order out of chaos. On these days my dreams soar over the dull office ceiling only to sink and dissipate like smoke. For such is the fabric of dreams.

I close my eyes and inhale the faint odor of the soapsuds. I long for a dainty blue-and-white kitchen, with muslin curtains blowing in the summer breeze, yellow mixing bowls and rows and rows of shining tins hanging on the walls.

In this glorious, whole-soul mood, my heart longs more for an apron with huge butterfly bows than a gem-glittered gown from Paris.

All day long my mind conjures pictures of cosy firesides and the smell of ginger bread, and by night I turn up the street of boarding-houses heartsick and dejected.

Once inside the tiny room I throw myself in the one chair—and think—the place, it looks as if a recent typhoon had visited it.

Suddenly I laugh a laugh that gurgles up from the delicious depths of me and fills the tiny apartment with dancing sunshine.

I will cleanse this room as it has never been cleansed before. I will wash from it every atom of the personalities which occupied it before me; I will sweep out every intruding thought of the previous tenants; I will scour its dingy floor and offensive woodwork.

Down on my knees, with my arms in delicious soapsuds, I feel a joy surging through me in such an exquisite tide that I burst forth in song, which issues from the inner being of me. An hour ago the song died on my lips.

Then when the tiny clock on the dresser warns me of the fleeting hours, and with my back just a wee bit achy, and my Domestic Mood quite appeased, I lie back and smile with satisfaction over the results of the night's revel.

I can close my eyes now with the satisfaction of knowing that I have done my best under the circumstances, and some day, in the beautiful Some Day, I will have the house of dreams, with the muslin curtains in the blue kitchen and the yellow mixing bowls.

"You and I are going back home, Will."

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Diana has taken Betty's baby in her arms and has felt how much more wonderful it is than marble, has felt it, and said so with a great gladness in her heart, crying out that to be a mother must be the greatest thing in the world.

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So you see that we reactionaries have a radical play here, of which we can approve. It is gloriously fair to art, to individual expression of women and to personal liberty, yet it is safely anchored in the home as the unit of society and in the sweetness and power of normal living between husband and wife. Some such adjustment will yet take place in society, I imagine, between what we call the feminist movement, and what has been the old and rigid idea of the proper organization of home life.

LOOKING UP, NOT DOWN.

The Submarine, Heralded as a Powerful War Agent, Has Proved Less Practical than the Aeroplane.

[Chicago Journal:] The sinking of the British submarine A-T calls attention to the widely-different fate that has attended on navigating the air and navigating the depths of the sea. The submarine arrived before the aeroplane, and was hailed as a device that would revolutionize war. Owing, perhaps, to the reductive magic of Jules Verne, every one imagined that the underwater craft would be as speedy and as safe as those above the waves, with the added advantage of invisibility. Instead, we have a small boat, creeping timidly along near the shore; a vessel of slow speed and extremely limited range of action, whose influence on naval warfare has been almost negligible to date.

The aeroplane came years later, and most wiseacres derided it as a toy. It could not fly more than a few feet above the earth, they declared, it would have to stop every mile or two for fuel, it never could carry more than its pilot, and he would be so busy looking after his cranky craft that he could make no observations worth while. Moreover, it was a regular death trap.

The dangers of aircraft are real, though not greater than those of submarines. For the rest, the aeroplane has looked down on the loftiest mountain in Europe, crossed the Mediterranean, attained a speed more than two miles per minute, carried twelve persons at a trip, compelled a revision of all army maneuvers, and been of material service in two African campaigns.

There would seem to be two morals to this story. One points the advantage of looking up, not down, and the other warns of the perils of prophecy.

Birch for Boy Burglars.

Three youths—William Tait, 15; Alexander Allan, 15, and John Linden, 17—pleaded guilty at Airdrie to half a dozen charges of breaking into confectionery and other shops at Bellshill and stealing sweets and money. The boys had been found in possession of skeleton keys, which fitted the shops, and had paid frequent visits to them, being eventually caught by the police. The Sheriff sentenced Tait and Allan to receive nine strokes each of the birch rod, and Linden to seven days' imprisonment.

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Little Beauty Chats by Blanche Beacon

THE FRENCH TYPE.

For centuries the French woman has been regarded as an artificial type. This term has always been generally applied, however. It is true that the French woman uses a great many cosmetics, but she does it within certain bounds that to her are the bounds of good form and good taste.

The French type has two extremes. It produces the beauty who laughs all the time, or else the beauty who never smiles. It demands "interesting beauty." Gaiety and pensiveness are interesting—therefore, to be a reigning beauty in France, one must be either gay or pensive all the time. Something of a strain, I should judge.

Gay and pensive, France has a certain ideal. Generally speaking, therefore, a French beauty uses powder invisibly. We would be astounded at an American girl who appeared on the street with a pallid face, made so by powder.

Next, the lips are always vividly crimson. But the French woman seldom uses rouge on her lips. They seem to be convenient red all the time, and, of course, the contrast with her white face makes them seem more so.

The eyebrows, lashes, etc., are always very dark. Sometimes they are made so by pencilling, but not very skillfully. However, there is a good deal of pencilling under the eyes, with the purpose of making dark circles, to add to the "interestingness" of the pale complexion.



A pensive French beauty.

High Comedy.

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when she set herself at work making a wardrobe for her little children out of mud.

Her deft little fingers found joy in the molding and it occurred to her that she could make things live in clay and stone. The idea possessed her and she never surrendered it.

There was in her town a young sculptor man who understood, and who kept her aflame with belief in herself. That is why she went to New York and why she came home again, but more determined than ever. She persuades her mother to cut her paper dolls openly before her father and to make a try at more serious in art that she had abandoned so long before.

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It is a beautiful and pathetic climax when the wife confesses to her husband how starved she has been those forty-five years to express the artistic side of her nature, and how the happiness of wifedom and motherhood has not been enough so long as a portion of herself has been utterly denied and pushed back out of sight. It ends by her packing off to New York to a little studio five flights high, with no elevator, where she may share companionship with her daughter.

She does not do this without making one effort to persuade her husband to accompany them and to open a branch of his business in New York. He is obdurate and she says: "I had been your housekeeper at a month, you'd owe me $900 for the twenty-five years I've lived with you. That's nearly $8000 worth of work that I've put into this house which has been my home as well as yours. Yet the law gives you the right to say what I shall do. You can turn me off without a penny if I wish to live with my girl, so long as you support me—without a penny till I'm dead, because you made the money. Didn't I make money for you by keeping it? Didn't I do the work of an extra servant and gladly do it, so we had to save? If I'd been a housekeeper and living with you and have sued you for that $8000, I'm not entitled to a penny to you. Diana because I am your wife."

Still she goes anyway, and the two must solve it out together, both unwilling to touch the check which Dawson has mailed his wife, accompanied by the following document: "Bill of service. One wife at $25 a month for twenty-five years—exclusive of gifts for clothes, food and masculine protection, $7500, deposited to Belle Dawson's credit for whims, foolishness and Paris."

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Diana wins a big cash prize and a commission amounting to $25,000 for the statue in front of the State Capitol, a building for which her father has furnished the plumbing.

The news is brought by Hardman, her mother's artist friend, and he brings with him Peter Row, the newspaper reporter, who has been Diana's great encouragement. She is in love with Row and knows that he loves her, but that he would never never marry her for fear of spoiling marry her for fear of spoiling her career, and because he had no money.

She gets him alone for five minutes and the proposal of marriage which she makes to him on the spot makes his head swim, but she stays with it until he accepts.

Betty comes in after Peter Row to say that the good-for-nothing Sam has left her with a baby in her arms. The mother by this time knows that she cannot paint after all the years of her neglect of art, but she still has confidence in her ability to raise babies, and she knows her place is back home with Betty. Dawson comes in timidly and says: "You win, Belle. We are going to Paris." But she smiles enigmatically and replies:

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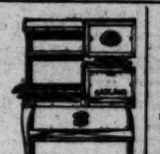


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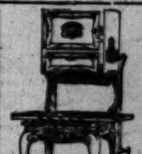


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Answer: Catarrh is very annoying and dangerous if neglected. The best treatment can be had by the use of antiseptic vilane powder. Obtain in two or eight-ounce package or box and use as per directions accompanying same.

"Maud" writes: "Can anything be done for an itching scalp? My scalp is covered with dandruff and I am in great distress."

Answer: You can very easily be cured of an itching scalp, also dandruff, if you will bet a 4-oz. jar of plain yellow minyol and use according to the directions given on the jar. Two or three applications have been known to cure. Try it fairly and you will advocate its use to your friends.

"Ellen K." writes: "I am not fleshy enough. I should weight 20 pounds more. I am ashamed of my thinness and wish to become plump and attractive. Can you help me?"

Answer: Yes, I can help you, "Ellen K." and many others in the same plight. A thorough course of treatment with three-grain hypo-nuclane tablets will gradually give you more red and white blood corpuscles, adding to your weight, health and color, giving you pink cheeks, red lips and sparkling eyes. These tablets are packed in sealed cartons with directions. Do not expect results too quickly. It takes time to change the cells and tissues of the body, but you can depend on gaining weight if you are persistent.

"D. E. F." writes: "If you know of anything that I could take to cure my rheumatism, please tell me, as I suffer all the time. Am getting worse all the time."

Answer: Take the following and you will soon be relieved of your rheumatism. This is the best remedy that I have ever known for this trouble. Iodide of potassium, 2 drams; sodium salicylate, 4 drams; wine of colchicum, ½-oz.; comp. essence cardiol, 1 oz.; comp. fluid balmwort, 1 oz. and syrup sarsaparilla comp., 5 ozs. Mix by shaking well and take one teaspoonful at meal times and again at bedtime.

"Helen" writes: "Can you give me a reliable remedy for coughs and colds? My cough is so tight that I am afraid of pneumonia."

Answer: The tightest cough can be loosened in one hour by using the following: Get from your druggist a 2½-oz. package of essence mentho-laxene and make according to directions on bottle. This will break up any cold and loosen the tightest cough and soon cure it by its laxative tonic action.

"Miriam G." writes: "I am afflicted with stomach and bowel disorders and am fearful that it will result in appendicitis. Please advise me."

Answer: Undoubtedly a great many people could prevent appendicitis by using precaution, and overcoming stomach and bowel disorders in time. I advise that you take tablets triopeptine.

"Carpenter" writes: "I have pains in my spine and frightful headache in back of head, fainting spells, twitching and trembling, nervousness, sleeplessness, loss of appetite and strength, and in fact am a 'has been,' when it comes to performing accustomed work and duties. Please advise."

Answer: In all such cases the assimilative functions have not kept pace with waste functions and a powerful, harmless tonic treatment is needed. I find three-grain cadomene tablets unexcelled and astonishingly beneficial in such cases and advise them for you.

"Mrs W. C." asks: "Is it safe to reduce one's weight when it is excessive? I have often wanted to take something, but have been afraid that it might do more harm than good."

Answer: Some remedies might not be safe, but I prescribe one which is both safe and effective. Ask any well-stocked pharmacy for 5-grain arbolone tablets, packed in sealed tubes, with full directions for home use. They will usually reduce at the rate of a pound a day.

"Geraldine" writes: "I am troubled a great deal with headaches, dizzy spells, dark spots before my eyes, twinges of rheumatism. Can I be helped at all?"

Answer: You cannot only be "helped," but you can be freed of all the troubles you mention. You need three-grain sulpherb tablets (not sulphur,) which are packed in sealed tubes and contain full directions for use. They are made of sulphur, cream of tarter and herb medicines. If these are taken regularly they purify the blood, stimulate the liver and bowels into healthy action and will gradually effect a cure.

"Mrs. O. C. B." writes: "I am informed that I have kidney trouble and that it is fast aproaching a serious stage. What would you prescribe?"

Answer: If your symptoms are the usual ones, such as puffs under the eyes, swelling ankles, scant, copious or foul smelling urine, accompanied by headaches, pains, depression, fever, chills, etc., I would advise the immediate use of balmwort tablets a very fine remedy for such difficulties, sold in sealed tubes with full directions for self administration.

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Kathlyn Hare, believing her father, Col. Hare, in peril, has summoned her, leaves her home in California to go to him in Allaha, India. Umballah, pretender to the throne of that principality, has imprisoned the colonel, named by the late king as his heir, because he fears the American may insist on his royal rights.

Upon her arrival in Allaha Kathlyn is informed by Umballah that, her father being dead, she is to be queen and must marry him forthwith. Because of her refusal she is sentenced to undergo two ordeals with wild beasts.

John Bruce, an American and fellow-passenger on the boat which brought Kathlyn to Allaha, saves her life. The elephant which carries her from the scene of her trials becomes frightened and runs away, separating her from Bruce and the rest of the party.

After a ride filled with peril Kathlyn takes refuge in a ruined temple, but her haven is also the abode of a lion, and she is forced to flee from it. She finds a retreat in the jungle, only to fall into the hands of a band of slave traders, who bring her to Allaha to the public mart. She is sold to Umballah, who, finding her still unsubmissive, throws her into the dungeon with her father.

Bruce and his friends effect the release of Kathlyn and the colonel, and the fugitives are given shelter in the palace of Bala Khan.

Supplied with camels and servants by that hospitable prince, the party endeavors to reach the coast, but is overpowered by a band of brigands and the encounter results in the colonel being delivered to Umballah. Kathlyn and Bruce escape from their captors and return to Allaha, where Kathlyn learns that her father, while nominally King, is in reality a prisoner. It is arranged to find a bride for him. Candidates come from near and far, and Kathlyn gains access to the palace by appearing disguised as one of them.

During the ceremony of betrothal the leopards, which guard the treasury, become free and enter the throne room, throwing the entire court into a wild panic. This makes it possible for Bruce and Ramabai to rescue Kathlyn and her father, and they steal away.

When the seaport town, from which they intend to sail for home, is reached the colonel receives by cable the news that Winnie, his younger daughter, had started for India some time before, and is about due to arrive in Allaha. Her father's suspicion that Umballah had played on Winnie's fears for his and Kathlyn's safety in order to get her into his power, proves to be well founded.

Kathlyn, her father and Bruce journey once more to Allaha. Winnie arrives before they reach there and walks into the trap which Umballah has set. Another coronation ceremony is arranged, with Winnie as the queen. Kathlyn and the colonel attend in disguise, making their presence known to the terrified child.

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CHAPTER XVII.

UMBALLAH began to go about cheerfully. He no longer doubted his star. Gutter born, was he? A rat from the streets? Very well; there were rats and rats, and some bit so deep that people died of it. He sometimes doubted the advisability of permitting Col. Hare's headman Ahmed to roam about; the rascal might in the end prove too sharp. Still it was not a bad idea to let Ahmed believe that he walked in security. All Umballah wanted was the colonel, Kathlyn, and the young hunter, Bruce. It would be Ahmed, grown careless, who would eventually lead him or his spies to the hiding place.

That the trio were in the city Umballah did not doubt in the least, nor that they were already scheming to liberate the younger sister. All his enemies where he could put his hand on them!

Cheerful was the word.

The crust of civilization was thin; the true savage was cracking out through it. In the days of the Mutiny Umballah would have ben the Nana Sahib's right hand. He would have given the tragedy at Cawnpore an extra touch.

Ten thousand rupees did not go far among soldiers whose arrears called for ten times that sum. So he placed it where it promised to do the most good. It was a capital idea, this, of cutting Ramabai's throat with his own money. The lawless element among the troops was his, Umballah's, at least his long enough for the purpose he had in mind.

When the multitude round the platform dissolved and Winnie was led to her chamber in the zenana, Umballah treated himself to a beverage known as the king's peg—a trifle composed of brandy and champagne. That he drank to stupefaction was God's method of protecting that night an innocent child—for Winnie was not much more than that.

Alone, dazed and terrified, she dropped down upon the cushions and cried herself to sleep—exactly as Kathlyn had done. In the morning she awoke to find tea and food. She had heard no one enter or leave. Glancing curiously around her prison of marble and jasper and porphyry, she discovered a slip of white paper protruding through a square in the latticed window, which opened out toward the garden of brides.

Hope roused her into activity. She ran to the window and snatched the paper eagerly. It was from Kathlyn, darling Kit. The risk with which it had been placed in the latticed window never occurred to Winnie.

The note informed her that the woman doctor of the zenana had been sufficiently bribed to permit Kathlyn to make up like her and gain admittance to the zenana. Winnie must complain of illness and ask for the doctor, but not before the morning of the following day. So far as she, Kathlyn, could learn, Winnie would be left in peace till the festival of the car of juggernaut. Ill, she would not be forced to attend the ceremonies, the palace would be practically deserted, and then Kathlyn would appear.

This news plucked up Winnie's spirits considerably. Surely her father and Kit were brave and cunning enough to circumvent Umballah. What a frightful country! What a dreadful people! She was miserable over the tortures her father had suffered, but nevertheless she held him culpable for not telling both her and Kit all and not half a truth. A basket of gems! She and Kit did not wish to be rich, only free and happy. And now her own folly in coming would but add to the miseries of her loved ones.

Ahmed had told her of the two ordeals, the black dungeon, the whipping; he had done so to convince her that she must be eternally on her guard, search carefully into any proposition laid before her, and play for time, time for every minute she won meant a minute nearer her ultimate freedom. She must promise to marry Umballah, but to set her own date.

Unlike Kathlyn, who had Pundita to untangle the intricacies of the bastard Persian, Winnie had to depend wholly upon sign language; and the inmates of the zenana did not give her the respect and attention they had given to Kathlyn. Kathlyn was a novelty; Winnie was not. Besides, one of them watched Winnie constantly, because the bearded scoundrel had attracted her fancy and because she hoped to enchain his.

So the note from Kathlyn did not pass unnoticed, though Winnie believed that she was without espionage.

Kathlyn, her father, Bruce, Ramabai and Pundita met at the colonel's bungalow, and with Ahmed's help they thrashed out the plan to rescue Winnie. Alone, the little sister would not be able to find her way out of the garden of brides. It was Kathlyn's idea to have Winnie pretend she needed air and sunshine and a walk in the garden after the doctor's visit. The rescue would be attempted from the walls.

Juggernaut, or Jagannath in Hindustani (meaning Lord of the World,) was an idol so hideously done in wood that the Prince of Hell would have taken it to be the personification of a damned soul could he have glimpsed it in the temple at Allaha. The god's face was black, his lips and mouth horribly and significantly red; his eyes were polished emeralds, his arms were of gilt, his body like that of a toad. His temporal reign in Allaha was somewhere near four hundred years, and no doubt his emerald eyes had seen a crimson trail behind his ear as many hundred times.

He was married frequently. Some poor, benighted, fanatical woman would pledge herself and would be considered with awe till she died. But in these times no one flung himself under the car; nothing but the incense of crushed flowers now followed in his wake. His grin, however, was the same as of old. Wood, paint, gilt and emeralds! Well, we enlightened Europeans sometimes worship these very things, though we indignantly deny it.

Outside the temple stood the car, fantastically carved, dull with rubbed gold leaf. You could see the sockets where horrid knives had once glittered in the sunlight. Xerxes no doubt founded his war chariots upon this idea. The wheels, six in number, two in front and two on each side, were solid, broad and heavy, capable of smoothing out a corrugated winter road. The superstructure was an ornate shrine, which contained the idol on its peregrinations to the river.

About the car were devotees, some holding the ropes, others watching the entrance to the temple. Presently from the temple came the gurus, or priests, bearing the idol. With much reverence they placed the idol within the shrine, the pilgrims took hold firmly of the ropes, and the car rattled and thundered on its way to the river.

Of Juggernaut and his car more anon.

The street outside the garden of brides was in reality no thoroughfare, though natives occasionally made use of it as a short cut into town. Therefore no one observed the entrance of an elephant, which stopped close to the wall, seemingly to melt into the drab of it. On his back, however, the howdah was conspicuous. Behind the curtains Kathlyn patiently waited. She was about to turn away in despair when through the wicker gate she saw Winnie, attended by one of the zenana girls, enter the garden. It seemed as if her will reached out to bring Winnie to the wall and to hold the other young woman where she was.

But the two sat in the center of the garden, the thoughts of each far away. The attendant felt no worry in bringing Winnie into the garden. A cry from her lips would bring a dozen guards and eunuchs from the palace. And the white girl could not get out alone. More than this, she gave Winnie liberty in order to trap her if possible.

By and by the native girl pretended to feel drowsy in the heat of the sun, and her head fell forward a trifle. It was then that Winnie heard a low whistle, an old familiar whistle such as she and Kit had used once upon a time in playing "a spy." She sat up rigidly. It was hard work not to cry out. Over the wall the drab trunk of an elephant protruded, and something white fluttered into the garden.

Winnie rose. The head of the native girl came up instinctively; but as Winnie leisurely strolled toward the palace, the head sank again. Winnie turned and wandered along the walls, apparently examining the flowers and vines, but all the while moving nearer and nearer to the bit of white paper which the idle breeze stirred back and forth tentatively. When she reached the spot she stooped and plucked some flowers, gathering up the paper as she did so. And, still in the stooping posture, she read the note, crumpled it and stuffed it into a hole in the wall.

Poor child! Every move had been watched as a cobra watches its prey.

She was to pretend illness at once. Plans had been changed. She stood up, swayed slightly, and staggered back to the seat. In truth, she was pale enough and her heart beat so fast that she was horribly dizzy.

"A doctor!" she cried, forgetting that she would not be understood.

The native girl stared at her. She did not understand the words, but the signs were enough. The young white woman looked ill; and Umballah would deal harshly with those who failed to stem the tide of any illness which might befall his captive. There was a commotion behind the fretwork of the palace. Three other girls came out, and Winnie was conducted back to the zenana.

All this Kathlyn observed. She bade the mahout go to the house of the Zenana's doctor, where she donned the habiliments familiar to the guards and inmates of the zenana.

Everything went forward without a hitch; so smoothly that had the object of her visit been other than Winnie, Kathlyn must have sensed something unusual. She entered the



"Poor little fool! Back into the cage like a homing pigeon!"

palace and even led the way to Winnie's chamber—a fact which appeared natural enough to the women about but which truly alarmed Umballah's spy, who immediately set off in search of the man.

One thing assured her; the hands of the zenana's real physician were broad and muscular, while the hands she saw were slender and beautiful, brown though they were. She had seen those hands before, during the episode of the leopards of the treasury.

It was very hard for Kathlyn to curb the wild desire to crush Winnie in her arms, arms that truly ached for the feel of her. Even as she fought this desire she could not but admire Winnie's superb acting. She and her father has misjudged this butterfly. To have come all this way alone in search of them, unfamiliar with the customs and the language of the people! How she had succeeded in getting here without mishap was in itself remarkable.

She took Winnie's wrist in her hand and pressed it reassuringly, then puttered about in her medical bag. Very softly she whispered:

"I shall remain with you till dusk. Give no sign whatever that you know me, for you will be watched. Tonight I will smuggle you out of the palace. Take these, and soon pretend to be quieted."

Winnie swallowed the bits of sugar and lay back. Kathlyn signified that she wished to be alone with her patient. Once alone with Winnie, she cast aside her veil.

"Oh, Kit!"

"Hush, baby! we are going to get you safely away."

"I am afraid."

"So are we all; but we must not let anyone see that we are. Father and Ahmed are nearby. But oh, why did you attempt to find us?"

"But you cabled me to come, weeks ago!"

"I? Never!" And the mystery was no longer a mystery to Kathlyn. The hand of Umballah lay bare. Could they eventually win out against a man who seemed to miss no point in the game? "You were deceived, Winnie. To think of it! We had escaped, were ready to sail for home, when we learned that you had left for India. It nearly broke our hearts."

"What ever shall we do, Kit?" Winnie flung her arms round her sister and drew her down. "My Kit!"

"We must be brave whatever happens."

"And am I not your sister?" quietly. "Do you believe in me so little? Why shouldn't I be brave? But you've always treated me like a baby; you never tried to prove me."

Kathlyn's arms wound themselves tightly about the slender form. . . . And thus Umballah found them.

"Very touching!" he said, standing with his back to the door. "But nicely trapped!" He laughed as Kathlyn sprang to her feet, as her hand sought the dagger at her side. "Don't draw it," he said. "I might hurt your arm in wrenching it away from you. Poor little fool! Back into the cage like a homing pigeon! Had I not known you all would return, think you I would have given up the chase so easily? You would not bend, so then you must break. The god Juggernaut yearns for a sacrifice to prove that we still love and worship him. You spurned my love; now you shall know my hate. You shall die, unpleasantly."

Quickly as a cat springs he caught her hands and wrenched them toward him, dragging her toward the door. Winnie sprang up from the cushions, her eyes ablaze with the fighting spirit. Too soon the door closed in her face and she heard the bolt outside go slithering home.

Said Umballah from the corridor: "To you, pretty kitten, I shall come later. I need you for my wife. When I return you will be all alone in the world, truly an orphan. And do not make your eyes red needlessly."

Winnie screamed and Kathlyn fought with the fury of a nettled tigress. For a few minutes Umballah had his hands full, but in the end he conquered.

Outside the garden of brides three men waited in vain for the coming of Kathlyn and her sister.

The god Juggernaut did not repose in his accustomed niche in the temple that night. The car had to be pulled up and down a steep hill, and on the return, owing to the darkness, it was left at the top of the hill, safely propped to prevent it rolling down of its own accord. When the moon rose Juggernaut's eyes gleamed like the striped cat's. Long since he had seen a human sacrifice. Perhaps the old days would return once more. He was weary at heart riding over sickly flowers; he wanted flesh and bones and the music of the death rattle. His cousins, war and pestilence, still took their tithes. Why should he be denied?

The whispering became a murmuring, and the murmuring grew into excitable chattering; and by 10 o'clock that night all the bazaars knew that the ancient rites of Juggernaut were to be revived that night. The bazaars had never heard of Nero, called

quarters of an hour. Umballah ordered the gate to be closed and stationed a guard there. The gates clanged behind him and Kathlyn. This time he was guarding every entrance. If his enemies were within they would naturally be weak in numbers; certainly they would find it extremely difficult to make an entrance. More than this, he had sent a troop toward the colonel's camp.

The gates had scarcely been closed when Ahmed, his elephant, and his armed keepers, came into view. The men sent Pundita back to camp, and the actual warfare began. They approached the gate, demanding to be allowed to pass. The soldiers refused. Instantly the keepers flung themselves furiously upon the soldiers. The trooper who held the key threw it over the wall just before he was overpowered. But Ahmed had come prepared. From out the howdah he took a heavy leather pad, which he adjusted over the fore skull of the elephant, and gave a command.

The skull of the elephant is thick. Hunters will tell you that bullets glance off it as water from the back of a duck. Thus, protected by the leather pad, the elephant became a formidable battering ram, back of tons of weight. Only the solidest of stones may stay him.

Ahmed's elephant shouldered through the gates grandly. For all the resistance they offered that steel and they might have been constructed of papier mache.

Through the dust they heard shots. Whenever a curious native got in the way the butt of a rifle stirred him out of it.

Umballah had lashed Kathlyn to a sapling which was laid across the path of the car. The man was not stark mad, this night. Even the soldiers and the devotees surrounding the car were terrified. One did not force sacrifices to Juggernaut. A soldier had protested, and he was crushed to the bottom of the hill, his body crushed. The others, pulled one by greed of money and love of fun, stirred no hand.

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The city of Valparaiso lies along the sea in a bend two miles long, and the residence part is scattered up and down the hills and in among the valleys. You go from one level to another by a series of lifts just as you do in Boston. You can see at once that the people are scrappy, up-to-date people. They will fight and can fight. The women run the street cars and it is a first-class system of street cars. I might add. No suffrage business, you know. But good, strong, virile women.

Oh, Chile is the great nation of South America. They are getting submarine pedo boats and dreadnoughts, and then they will scrap with anybody who gets in their way. I like the Chilenans, though they are not overfriendly to the United States. They have they cause to be. In the first more incident we were distinctly in the wrong. You remember that the sailors landed from the Baltimore proceeded to raise Cain in Valparaiso and elsewhere since the day of Noah sees. And these bold Yankee sailors to thrash the Chilenans—for some reason known only to themselves. We will never know the reason, for the Chilenans killed them and then paid some Chilenans. Then our government demanded an indemnity, and because we have stronger battleships than those of Chile, Chile paid the indemnity, which our own people afterward declared was exorbitant.

Then there was the Alsop business. Oh, but what's the use. We know better now and they know better. We will take time and careful diplomacy and just and generous treatment on our part to salve over the sore spot in Chile. I can't remember ever that we interfered five times so unceremoniously in the affairs of Chile as a great many of the Chilenans believe of us

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POETRY.

LAUREATE OF CHILDHOOD.

BOYS AND GIRLS. By James W. Foley. E. P. Dutton & Co., New York.

MUCH DEPENDS on how far one is from childhood in enjoying Mr. Foley's poems. It is not for critics to say how well he has written, but for children. During the past few weeks over 20,000 school children in Southern California have heard Mr. Foley read these poems and have put their approval upon them. Thus in the estimate of youth he has been sustained and higher honors are not given.

This may help to explain Mr. Foley's popularity with the children, and what causes them to look upon him as a friend who understands that which most grown-up people have forgotten:

"If anybody doesn't bring
The hammer in, or breaks a thing,
Or dulls the axe, or doesn't know
What has become of so-and-so
That's lost for maybe six weeks past,
If anybody had it last
It's me!"

We claim the privilege of joining with the children in admiration of Mr. Foley, for our memory goes back to the time when we sang that same tune, in practically the same words, but with scarcely the same rhythm. And that, we believe, explains his charm. He sings the joys and trials of childhood without affectation and with sympathy.

Mr. Foley has become generally known through his contributions to magazines. His home for many years has been in South Dakota, where, in younger years, he acquired as intimate knowledge of the cow (of which he has also written extinct verse.) As Elbert Hubbard would say, Mr. Foley is now forty years young. He will have no doubt but he still disguises his work—that is, takes all the difficulties out of it—by something of the same means that when he was just a little boy and sent out to pull the weeds. He tells that he cheated in this manner:

"When I was just a little boy and sent to pull the weeds,
I played myself a hero bold and given to mighty deeds;
I played myself an armored knight, my scythe a broadsword keen,
And weeds an army of my foes come marching o'er the green;
And my good broadsword about, they broke and ran pell-mell.
Every stroke some stubborn lout and his retainers fell.
And when I told them of my play, with lusty shouts and glee,
The neighbor boys brought scythes and fell to cutting weeds for me."

The lawyer wasn't the only one that got how to inveigle assistance in whitewashing a fence or cleaning a garden.

There is another complaint which has our sympathy even against our better judgment. "A Noiseless Fourth" may be salutary, but it is like salutes:

In a noiseless street stood a crackerless kid with a screechless fife and a headless drum,
Making his glee in a voiceless shout, as a noiseless band, all still and dumb,
And down the length of the avenue, and
A bugle corps blew a noiseless blare,
While a screechless rocket with noiseless hiss cut a fireless path through the silent air."

A fearless youth of olden times, when crackers roared and crackers popped, looks on the scene and says "Dog-gone the noiseless Independence Day."

Stevenson, Field and Riley have written many exquisite ballads of childhood. We believe that one is likely to speak overenthusiastically of a pleasing new author. However, we do not believe that any one of those who has written a lullaby that is superior to this:

"Many little, creepy little goblins in the gloaming,
With their airy little, fairy little faces all aglow,
Making little, blinking little brownies gone screaming—
Over their rustling little, bustling little hotfalls as they go;
Hushing little, chafing little voices sweetly
Singing the dearest little, queerest baby lullabies,
Creep, creep, creep!
Time to go to sleep!

Over playing 'possum with his big brown eyes!"

This strikes the plaintive, humorous chord of a child's lament:

"Somebody went and broke my doll, an' let out her sawdust out
In Mama's floor an' my! there's sawdust scattered all about!
It's scandalous! An bien by my Mama'll scold an' say:
'Now 'at Little Mischefuss has been around today!'"

No doubt the same little girl voices this complaint taken from "The Plaint of the Doll":

"We got a doll to our house;
It runs on Trissmus day;
It wasn't hangin' on a tree;
It runs some unzer way;
My wouldn't let me play wis it,
My said 'at it might fail;
So it laid 'ere all day long
An squall an squall an squall.

I wis' 'at I tould det it onct;
I'd frow it all about,
An knock it—so! An slap it—so!
An shake its sawdust out;
Den w'en 'oy saw how it looked
I dess know 'oy'd all be
As glad as twould be 'ess t' have
Some little diri—like me!"

The volume contains over a hundred poems addressed to children—and those who love them.

FICTION.

SATIRE ON MALES.

HERLAND. By Inez Haynes Gillmore. Century Book Company, New York.

WOULD that we possessed sufficient optimism to be sure whether it was right to lavishly commend Inez Haynes Gillmore for giving us a splendid satire, or censure this charming writer for spoiling a good romance. Certainly she has done both.

Five men, of the more intellectual sort, are cast away on an island. Out from out the depths of the azure sky five wonderful winged women, sweeping and wheeling and coquetting, aerial creatures radiant as from the enchantment of an Arabian Night's dream. The men woo them in vain, winning but smiles and laughter. And then, these male brutes determine to capture the angels: A house is built and filled with dresses and gewgaws plundered from trunks washed up from the wrecked ship. The women, lured by their innate curiosity and compelling love of finery, walk into the trap. The male brutes rush upon them, overpower them and clip their wings. After which they are married by certain reputable rites decided upon in lieu of more conventional methods.

Now we submit that by all the traditions of spectacular romance there should be further imaginative and thrilling incidents. But not so. It is a most plebeian, humdrum sort of marital life. At first, of course, the men are gallant lovers, attentive, solicitous and prance in attendance. Gradually they begin to treat their wives as other men treat their wives when the novelty grows tarnished, and leave these splendid creatures to do the housework and care for the children. The husbands build a clubhouse and have a grand time by themselves—coming home, of course, to eat and sleep. Every few months the wings of the wives are clipped because, as the men say with the magnificent conceit of those in the confidence of the Almighty: "God never intended women to fly."

Among themselves the men boast thus: "If they'd been our mental equals they'd never let themselves get caught like that. The air is no place for a woman. The earth is her home."

The opening chapter of "Angel Island," presenting as it does so many difficulties to the author, is particularly well written. Except that we do not believe shipwrecked men discuss the absence of women among the first things, these five men act and talk as it seems they would; and the skill with which the winged women are introduced, without seeming at all ridiculous or irreconcilable, is very effective. It is truly a clever satire in behalf of the feminists.

TURBULENT ROMANCE.

BLACK IS WHITE. By George Barr McCutcheon. Dodd, Mead & Co., New York.

THE PLOT of "Black Is White" is thrilling and mystifying, but Mr. McCutcheon has enhanced its value by the skillful introduction of two garrulous, aged, broken-down soldiers of fortune who have parts wholly extraneous to the action of the story, and yet are the most absorbing and endearing characters of the book. Never has Mr. McCutcheon done better work than with Danbury Dawes and Joseph Riggs, these obsolete adventurers, who are able to spend their declining days in comfort only through the charitable gratitude of James Brood, who had eaten their salt and broken their bread in the reckless days of years before. We wish that Mr. McCutcheon would essay more character work; we never suspected that he possessed the ability. His romances are all much alike—turbulent, exciting, a smashing climax, but with all that often a trifle tiresome, giving us the ache that comes with too much suspense and vehement action.

James Brood had driven his wife, whom he married in Europe, from his door many years before the story opens, and allowed her to die unforgiven. He had grievous doubts touching the paternity of his son Frederic.

Suddenly Brood telegraphs his son that he is returning from Europe with a bride. Yvonne baffles the reader; one is in doubt whether to sympathise with this peculiar bride, to distrust her or to fear her. The ultimate solution explains these conflicting opinions; explains why Frederic became enamored of his father's wife, why James Brood was tortured by her keen questioning, why she was alternately a sweet, tender nurse and an irascible queen.

A few not wholly satisfying dramatic scenes are given; as when the son and father meet in a gruelling quarrel over the dead mother of the boy; and when Ranjab, the Hindu servant of Brood, sinks awed and trembling before Yvonne for a reason that is not convincing when revealed.

But Mr. McCutcheon is the master of the style of romance to which he has devoted himself. He kindles interest with the first paragraph and urges the flame higher and higher until the startling and most unexpected denouement. We are constrained to remark that something not quite so tense and energetic would be more pleasing.

HIDDEN BEAUTIES.

WHISPERING DUST. By Eldrid Reynolds. (Introduction by Frederic Taber Cooper.) Frederick A. Stokes, New York.

FREDERIC TABER COOPER is so admirable a judge of literary values that more than most critics he has always impressed us as knowing his subjects and accurately modulating his praise or censure to merits and defects. He has displayed unwonted enthusiasm over "Whispering Dust," and speaks of the "subtle, elusive, haunting charm of this strange, enticing little volume." Having read it, we wonder why.

The beauties of "Whispering Dust" are subtle, very subtile—in fact, rather effectively hidden. We fancy that the normal reader will be a little curious to know what it is all about, though if one has that "spirituelle" vision which enables him to penetrate the indefinite, there will undoubtedly be found all of the charm that one's imagination can picture.

A woman, so the book rather vaguely sets forth, begins a sightseeing tour through France and Egypt, and addresses a series of communications to "You," of whom she says: "With infinite labor I create you, the Idea." Having arrived in Egypt the desire to convince "You" that she is really there takes the form of much Egyptian nomenclature, while the English equivalents are presented in footnotes at the bottom of the pages. That seems to be some people's idea of "local color."

We are also introduced to Desmond Dulac, a "successful author," whom the woman gradually learns to like—not "care for," but just tolerate with ease. No engagement, no wedding, no "misunderstanding" eventually comes between her and anyone else. The story seems futile, purposeless and is not wholly entertaining, although frequently there is displayed a sense of humor, a sharp observation here and there, a certain alertness that makes us impatient that the author has not written a better book when it is patent that the author could.

However, Mr. Cooper has disposed of us in his introduction by saying: "We have always with us the type of person to whom the dot is the essential part of the i, and who never will be happy until he knows whether Donatello had pointed ears. To such readers the story will remain to end a sealed book."

We wonder if Donatello really did have pointed ears?



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SCIENTIFIC CRIMINAL.

ADVENTURES OF THE INFALLIBLE GODAHL. By Frederick I. Anderson. Thomas Y. Crowell, New York.

MR. ANDERSON has yet something to learn in the construction of short stories; but little in the writing of them. His style is of a superior quality. That story which he has chosen to call "The Night of a Thousand Thieves" has both style and plot, especially the former, and deals with Godahl's successful invasion of the Maiden Lane district in New York, although he sets off every burglar alarm for blocks, and a great cordon of police encircle that entire section of the city.

The opening story, in which we are introduced to "The Infallible Godahl," informs us that he is an imaginary character whom Oliver Armiston, a writer, has made famous in fiction as a scientific criminal. When Armiston is induced by a stranger to have Godahl explain how "the white ruby" of a prominent society woman may be stolen, we are not supposed to suspect that it is for the purpose of learning how the robbery may really be committed. But that is the purpose and it succeeds. Now the logical outcome, and the only manner in which to make the story worth the reading, would be to have Godahl recover the stone. Such is not done. We are compelled to satisfy ourselves with an anti-climax.

"Blind Man's Buff" allows us to understand why Godahl is "infallible." He has the protection of the author who allows no improbability—and, we feel like saying, impossibility—to interfere with the success of this crook, who is by no means as clever as Raffles, of more or less infamy. Godahl, by having disks over his eyes, is not recognized even in the glare of a flashlight by his intimate friends; and Godahl, although blindfolded, can pick pockets without detection while being watched.

We admire Mr. Anderson's ability to write much more than Mr. Godahl's ability to be a rogue.

WOMAN'S REAL ENEMY.

SANDY. By S. R. Crockett. The Macmillan Company, New York.

A PERSONALITY which shoulders up, spreads itself and fills the book is Sandy Pryde of Galloway. Of a shaggy, leonine type, with an academic education, Sandy still bears all the marks of his gentle, provincial heredity and rearing. In consideration of his academic success, he is invited to tea at the home of the noble family of Glendonwyn, pronounced "very genteel" by the family, and fallen in love with the elder daughter. He finds himself taking the same train for London with the two young ladies—London, which Sandy has determined, in his quiet way, to conquer. He gives the young ladies their first lesson in economy by buying them third-class tickets.

But Sandy meets another young woman in London—a music-hall singer. Adventures begin to crowd upon him. He starts a delivery business with a second-hand tricycle, preaches at a headless church, being finally requested to resign because he is making extra money at night as "checker-out" for the music-hall where his young lady sings. The deacon who makes the request holds a financial interest in the bar connected with this same institution.

Sandy expands his business, and also writes books. He is lionized, and invited to exclusive drawing-rooms. Upon one of these occasions he meets V. V., his music-hall singer, who has been engaged as entertainer. In his characteristic way he immediately seeks her out, and tells her he will accompany her home, explaining to his hostess that V. V. is his betrother. That is the end of parlor entertaining for V. V. The women strike at her with the one fatal weapon which women know so well how to wield. "A woman can always, if she puts her mind to it, make things nasty for another woman." V. V., a really fine character, finally leaves Sandy, goes on tour with her own company, in order that Sandy shall continue to rise, and for the purpose of sending him financial aid. Sandy rises to the occasion, and makes her a partner in the venture.

The introduction of a new and decidedly temperamental young thing into the company, who brings men to her feet with a glance, complicates matters, as does also the fierce jealousy of the young noblewoman who fell in love with Sandy at the beginning. But Sandy is always Sandy—human, but honorable. The story will throw a new light upon young girls in stage life. One of the sweetest characters is Sandy's old mother—too sweet for even a narrow Presbyterian training to have marred.

GREED AND LOVE.

A VILLAGE ROMEO AND JULIET. By Gottfried Keller. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

A. C. BAHLMANN has translated this little German classic into English, and Edith Wharton has written a most interesting introduction, touching upon the life of the author. The story has that certain inimitable simplicity which characterizes the old story of Paul and Virginia; and like Paul and Virginia, the two young lovers of Keller's tale find themselves strangely victimized by fate and unwise parents. The boy and girl as children are inseparable as long as their fathers are peaceful, prosperous farmers. But trouble comes when the two men commence to plow into an unclaimed strip of land lying between the two fields. A small triangle made by irregular cutting is the final bone of contention, and the beginning of lawsuits which end in ruin. As may be inferred from the title, the idyllic love of the young people must end in tragedy, with the black mark of a coarse, uncomprehending world upon it. They are two fine, exquisite beings who can find no place in the accepted scheme of things, and with whom the end could not come otherwise.

This is not a story to be read by the standards of modern American novels—it must be seen through the vision of another folk spirit, and with some knowledge of the unusual genius and strange personality of the author himself, who found it difficult to fit himself into an existing order of things. Edith Wharton's brief account of Keller's life, in the opening pages, is written with penetration and sympathy, and is well worth reading.

REVIEWS IN BRIEF.

TEN SEX TALKS TO GIRLS. By Irving David Steinhardt, M.D. J. P. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia and London.

Another of the wise and timely books that are now being written for the enlightenment and guidance of young girls in those intimate matters of which young women should receive plain and proper instruction. While the revelations are such as to cause, perhaps, at first a sensitive shrinking, they cannot sear and blight as the consequences of ignorance too often do. Set forth in a clear, scientific way, minus scientific terms, the matter is such as should be absorbed under the guidance and explanations of some older, reliable person.

THE INSTINCT OF WORKMANSHIP. By Thorstein Veblen. The Macmillan Company, New York.

The object of this volume seems to be rather toward the end of an inquiry and analysis than the setting forth of any positive hypothses. "Contamination of Instincts in Primitive Technology," "The Savage State of the Industrial Arts," the "Technology of the Predatory Culture," "Ownership and the Competitive System" are among chapter headings.

HUNTING IN THE UPPER YUKON. By Thomas Martindale. George W. Jacobs & Co., Philadelphia.

A hunting trip through the untraveled regions of the Yukon country is exploited in this volume, giving accounts of the wonders of that mountain world, of the stalking of big game, and of the brave, hardy people who live there, waging constant war with the forces of nature. The book is beautifully gotten up, and interestingly illustrated.

HARPER'S BOOK FOR YOUNG GARDENERS. By Appleton Hyatt Verrill. Harper & Bros., New York and London.

Here is a volume which will prove a delight to all young people interested in gardening, and which will awaken the interest of those who have heretofore been apathetic. The book is literally packed with every variety of useful information pertaining to the making of a garden, either in the limited city space, or in the country, going thoroughly into the raising of vegetables, flowers and trees, fertilization and about all else connected with the useful or ornamental on the subject.

SOCIAL SANITY. By Scott Nearing. Moffat, Yard & Co., New York.

The book is writen by one who is well-informed, well-read, and a careful thinker. The philosophy, for the most part, sound and wholesome, avoiding precipitateness and radicalism. The author does not relegate man to the "worm of the dust" class, but makes clear his dignity and significance.

THE COMING CANADA. By Joseph King Goodrich. A. C. McClurg & Co., Chicago.

The author of this book seems to have gone most thoroughly into his subject. He has not stopped with those portions of Canada to which most writers limit themselves, but has dealt with Canada as a whole, her thickly settled as well as her almost uninhabited regions. Mr. Goodrich has been to the heads of the various departments of the Dominion government to verify and strengthen the substance of his volume.

THE MERCHANT OF VENICE. Told by a Popular Novelist. John C. Winston Company, Philadelphia.

Shakespeare put into novel form is a new departure, and one that is rather interesting. This is but one of a series now in preparation by the same author, "Macbeth," "Much Ado About Nothing," "Hamlet," "The Merry Wives of Windsor," and "The Taming of the Shrew," being others which will soon be issued. While nothing of the tongue and tone of Shakespeare's time is lost in the novel, Shakespearean character may be made, perhaps, a little more comprehensible to the modern mind through its pages.

PRINCIPLES OF CORRECT DRESS. By Florence Hull Winterburn. Harper & Bros., New York and London.

Jean Worth and Paul Poiret are represented in this little volume in chapters especially written by them. It is a book for women to read carefully, as it does not concern fashions of any particular moment alone, but shows women how to study themselves, and to dress to suit the individual style. The combined work of three high authorities should make this book valuable, absorbing and helpful to all women.

CHEMISTRY IN AMERICA. By Edgar Fahs Smith. D. Appleton & Co., New York.

A most dignified and valuable contribution, of profound interest and genuine importance to every chemist is offered in this volume, the work including many treasures of the science in this country which hitherto have not been accessible. In the course of his long service as professor of chemistry in the University of Pennsylvania, Provost Smith has collected a great mass of valuable material on the development of chemistry in the United States. The book does not pretend to be a complete history, as many archives known to exist have not been found, but it is rich in information not hitherto published.

WITH THE MAGAZINES.

The World's Work for April offers the first of a series of articles by David Starr Jordan on "What Europe Thinks of Us," being a compilation of remarks actually made by members of various nationalities. "The Value of the Panama Canal," by Theodore P. Shonts, sums up briefly and explicitly the commercial and naval advantages of the "Big Ditch." In discussing "How Many Automobiles Can American Buy?" Reginald McIntosh Cleveland shows that over 250,000 cars were sold in this country last year, and gives much other unusual information relative to the automobile industry. Many other articles, as well as the usual editorial observations, are presented.

James Huneker, a critic of royal ability, writes in the Century for May on "The Music of Today and Tomorrow." This issue also presents items from "Rodin's Notebook," with an introduction by Judith Cladel, which gives some of the great sculptor's opinions on contemporary art. George Moore, who is considered by many to be one of the very greatest modern novelists, writes on "Shakespeare and Balzac" as the title for a study in creative genius. Many stories and other articles add to the value of this number.

McClure's Magazine for May continues the autobiography of S. S. McClure, who explains the origin of the "muckraking," and tells how new writers were gathered to the staff. Lincoln Steffens has a story on "The Dying Boss," which seeks to explain the real crime of grafting. Edward Mott Woolley, writing on "A $100,000 Imagination," describes the remarkable achievements of Theodore N. Vail as the great dynamo behind the development of the telephone. Basil King, Coningsby Dawson and Jeannette Gilder are among the story writers.

"Why do women commiserate with the unrepentant criminal and nag an utterly inoffensive husband?" is one of the many pertinent questions asked by Arthur T. Vance in the May number of the Pictorial Review. Georgette Lebanc (Mme. Maurice Maeterlinck) writes on "Helen Keller—The Girl Who Found the Bluebird." John Luther Long has a story on "Yoshiko," and the fourth "Octavius" story under the title of "The Adventure of the Stolen Slipper," by Frederick Arnold Kummer appears. Many articles and items on fashions and household work are included.

The Literary Digest of April 18 has a comprehensive article on the "Reserve-Bank Appointments—and Disappointments," in which the qualifications and reasons for assigning regional banks to various cities are given. The murder of George Calmette by Mme. Caillaux is reviewed at length. Villa, the "Dry Navy," "Settling Up With Colombia" are the topics of other interesting articles. The feature of the Smart Set for May is a one-act play of the romantic order by Arthur Pinero called "The Widow of Wasdale Head;" in "The Assault of Wings" Charles G. D. Roberts describes a battle between eagles and an aviator. Basil Macdonald Hastings writes "The Trip on Vacation," and has children for the theme; H. L. Menken devotes his book criticism entirely to poets in this issue, and George Jean Nathan tries parodies on the "ghost scene" from "Hamlet" to illustrate the methods of different producers. Many other stories are included.

LITERARY CHIT-CHAT.

BY GENEVIEVE FARNELL-BOND.

The reviewer has an opportunity to note the immense amount of literature that concerns children, in one way and another. We may all remember a period when stories about the extremely young men and women of America, in knickerbockers and short dresses, invaded and overran the pages of magazines for the grown-ups. It was an exceedingly wholesome period, and was a test of the author's genius which all who attempted it could not pass. The result was a great many bits of fiction—classics of their kind—that drew the minds of men and women, no matter how bizarre, into the vortex of child humanity, because there was the real flesh and blood flavor of human nature there, and the subtler things for those capable of seeing subtleties. There were also a still greater number of stories, pale, anaemic, sentimental, that pushed in to print among the others, nobody being able to account for how they got there.

At any rate it was a wholesale education for the guardians of young America. It broadened many of the old-fashioned, inquisitorial ideas which had previously been concerned in trying to force all children into an identical mould, regardless of misfits, pain and brain-numbing; while, on the other hand, it let loose upon unhappy grown-updom a flock of unfeathered chicks who must "live their own lives," and whose main pleasure seems to be to tell old "Aunt Dorking" that "eggs are really good for nothing." Phase! well, rather, and often times bizarre, these young things, a condition against which Marianna Wheeler issues a special warning in her "Young Mother's Handbook."

However, we swing into a better epoch, when it is not considered—in or out of literature—unfashionable for children to have good manners, and respect for seniority. The "Pollyannas" give us youthful heroines bursting with individuality, not in the least saintly, but with that good breeding which comes of gentle heredity and a sensitive, responsive humanity. The newest literature for grown-ups that takes them for little journeys into kiddy-land furnishes a parental tip as to the difference between liberty and license.

And by the way, the manner in which a copy of "Pollyanna" contrived to make its entrance into that land where public censorship does its best to see that no reading matter may get to the dear subject of a corrupt, lazy, licentious, gluttonous, criminal nobility, whereby the said subjects might awaken to a suspicion that they were other than beasts of burden—is most interesting. The lady who sent Pollyanna tore the book into forty parts, and sent the separate sections by letters.

F. J. Gould, author of "The Children's Plutarch," believes that the child must be given ideals with his liberty—and those of the classic virtues, at that. He works the historic tales of Greek and Roman heroes into vivid, impressive pictures to touch the child's sense of imagery, to insensibly mould character, and to awaken an early conception of social justice. "Trying to put facts into a child's mind is one thing," he asserts. "Trying to put a spiritual conception there is another."

Anent child-individualism, Eggleston and Bruere, authors of "The Work of the Rural School," deprecate the "desk-in-a-row" plan, advocating movable chairs and tables in a schoolroom, as more conducive to individualism. They grant the first-named system as suitable to the maintaining of discipline and the saving of space, but—shake your heads, ye unbookish wise, but know that the new methods are already adopted in Swiss schools. And the blessed writers about the Montessori system, and the out-of-door schoolrooms will continue their work of persuading us toward the cultivation of a healthier generation of boys and girls physically, while the writers on the subject of sex hygiene for young people, advocating its teaching in the public school, will make for a better generation morally.

"I know an author," says George Agnew Chamberlain, "that writes in a blank-walled room with just a glazed skylight overhead, and turns out good work. He thinks that sort of room gives his mind the best chance. I'm built differently. Give me a room in a tower with eight windows where I can look out on Mother Nature lying sinuous under the tropic sun. A turquoise sky for a roof, emerald trees, and the jade of a sweeping bay for a floor, and Sea Island cotton clouds all around the horizon for walls make a casket for a man's mind that can't be beaten. Let any man sit in such a room, stare out toward the north through the burning sunlight of the tropics, and remember that he is alone and 10,000 miles away, and a book like 'Home' will write itself." Does this sound like a large, an impossible order? It is not. This is precisely the sort of place in which Mr. Chamberlain wrote his book. It is a tower on top of the American Consulate at Lourenco Marquez, Province of Mozambique, Portuguese East Africa.

A certain author whom I know wasted a good deal of valuable time howling mentally for the sort of surroundings she thought she needed before she should be able to do good work. Be that as it may, the work that brought money in to her was done under every variety of condition—once sitting on the floor under wet, hanging clothes in a drying-room in a New York flat; again lying on a rug, head propped by elbow, with the man in the next apartment gently administering corrective whacks to a refractory wife; still again with the neighbors' kiddies lolling all over the floor; sometimes sandwiched in between farming, the family wash and neighborly calls; sometimes at noon, sometimes at midnight—it is all one if an author is sufficiently obsessed. He can't wait for environment.

Alleyne Ireland, we learn, wrote his "Joseph Pulitzer: Reminiscences of a Secretary," literally between two fires—at least when he needed them. Some time since he bought a piece of rocky land in the Catskills, and in the big one-room bungalow which he built constructed a fireplace at one end, and installed a stove at the other. To this retreat he retires every Friday, and writes steadily for three days. It is good to write in spite of surroundings—but isn't it bully to have the sort of surroundings, and perhaps people you want!

"Had we gone down life's ways together,

Vienna.

AUSTRIAN BAN ON EMIGRATION.

Drastic Decree Designed to Hold Men in Country.

Measure Especially Severe on Laboring Class.

Issuance of Passports Made Extremely Difficult.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

VIENNA, April 11.—By a simple ministerial decree, without the passage of any new law, or even reference to parliament, the Austrian Cabinet has stopped the emigration of youths and men under the age of thirty-four. They will not be permitted to cross the frontier unless they can produce a passport, and the local authorities have received strict instructions to issue such papers only to applicants who can prove that they have performed their military service, including the full term in the reserve, and have been passed into the "Landsturm," the last line of reserves for home defense. This really means twelve years of service for the average man.

The decree promises to be even more sweeping in its effects than would at first sight appear. It applies not only to bona fide emigrants leaving their native land for the United States or Canada, possibly intending to remain away for many years, but it will also prevent many thousands of farm laborers from going to Germany for field work and harvest as has been the custom every summer. And further, since the decree makes no mention of any exceptions it is supposed that waiters, tailors, mechanics and other workers who want to go abroad to complete their trade education will no longer be able to do so. For at the age of thirty-four a man has usually contracted family and business ties which effectually prevent him from leaving his native land.

The new regulation apparently has been made because the military authorities recently discovered, when the recruiting levies were called up, that more and more of the young men entered on the rolls had gone to foreign parts. It was this which first led to the investigation of the steamship companies' emigration activities.

Whilst this sudden and drastic restriction of emigration will effect to some extent the whole monarchy, certain provinces will feel it more acutely than others, notably Galicia, one of the most densely populated lands in Europe, with its large peasant population eking out the barest subsistence on a barren soil. The country being entirely too poor to support this population, thousands of peasants go to work on the beet farms of Saxony and the cornlands in Germany every year and thousands of others go still further afield to America and Canada. But every fall the laborers return to their homes from Germany and in the course of a few years many also come back from America to their native land. All bring money with which they buy stock and whenever possible land. In fact, there are now districts in Galicia where the soil is gradually passing out of the hands of the great landed proprietors into the possession of peasants.

There are other parts of Austria where home conditions are so unfavorable that the people are forced to seek a livelihood elsewhere. In Northern Moravia and Silesia, in the Bohemian forest and in the Erz Mountains there are districts where the utmost poverty prevails and thousands of young men leave their homes every year to escape what is practically a state of starvation.

The ministerial decree threatens to stop this most necessary outlet for labor and thereby to entail an enormous amount of unnecessary suffering and hardship. Coming just at this time it is especially severe when the whole monarchy is groaning under the heavy depression in trade and industry consequent on the recent war crisis.

The Social Democratic party is exceedingly indignant at what it terms the arbitrary and illegal action of the Cabinet and accuses the government of acting in the interests of the agrarians who complain that they are no longer able to get sufficient labor for their farms. The Social Democrats declare that such procedure is only possible in Austria whose true constitution is anarchy.

A NEW EXPLOSIVE.

Powder Invented in France More Powerful Than Any Previously Made and Is Also Cheaper.

[New York Times:] Eugene Turpin, the inventor of melinite, so long used in the French army and navy, has come forward with a new explosive, which, he declares, is not only more powerful than melinite, but is cheaper and will stand a temperature of 158 degrees Fahrenheit without ignition.

The French War Office has already appointed a commission to experiment with the new explosive, which is in the form of a gray powder—a precipitate—whose combustion may be regulated so as to be serviceable in various arms by having it compressed in masses of various shapes and sizes—cubes, spheres, cones, etc.

In an interview with a representative of Le Petit Parisien, the inventor would only say that it contained no nitrocellulose, left no deposit in the bore of rifle or cannon, and could not be spontaneously exploded at less than a temperature of 482 degrees Fahrenheit.

While conversing with the reporter the inventor placed a pinch of the powder in a saucer and attempted to ignite it by gradually bringing a match near it. Only when the flame actually reached it was it ignited, when it burned with a bright, white light, without any smoke, and leaving just a trace of fine white powder as the result of the combustion.

Sayings of Children.

[Chicago News:] A change of tenors had been made in the church choir. Upon little Lola's return from morning service she exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, they've got a new terror in the choir!"

"Do you ever see the President?" asked Willie of his uncle who lived in Washington.

"Yes, nearly every day," was the reply.

"And does he ever see you?" queried the little fellow.

One day Stella accompanied her mother on a shopping tour. They sighted the candy department in a large store, and Stella said:

"Mama, I'm afraid you'll have to buy me some peppermints—I feel awfully faint."

ARTHUR LETT'S Broadway Department Store
BROADWAY, FOURTH AND HILL.

THE NURSERY SECOND FLOOR IS THE NICEST PLACE IMAGINABLE TO LEAVE BABY WHILE YOU'RE SHOPPING.

Arrived—A Shipment Long Looked for.

Panama Hats for Women $1.45

—This is an event that has been on our minds for many weeks. The presentation of a Panama Hat at a price that will receive favorable comment throughout the city.
—There has been a delay in receiving them, but the good news is welcome for Monday that they are here and will be placed on sale at the insignificant price of $1.45.
—There are three shapes to select from and we can assure you they are of a very fine quality Panama—far, far better than you would expect to secure at anywhere near the price.
—It is needless to tell you that early selection is advisable.

4th Floor Cafe

For Luncheon or Afternoon Tea.

Seasonable viands—"home cooked" and well served.
—A special 30c Luncheon every day. Served 10:30 to 2:30.
—Afternoon Tea, Salads, Ice Cream and Cake, etc., served 2:30 to 5.
—Take the elevator to fourth floor.

At Half and Less Real Worth.

Linen Cluny Laces

—These real Linen Cluny Laces are copies of the [illegible] Clunys and so remarkable are they that even at the [illegible] price of 25c, we considered them a big sale feature. [illegible] inches wide.
—For curtains, centerpieces, lunch cloths, scarfs, etc. [illegible] want a quantity of this at, yard, 13c.

36,908 Yds. New Ginghams Have Been Assembled for April Gingham Sale.

—The serviceability of ginghams, is so apparent, the demand so general and they are so practical for summer wear, we have been prompted to hold this most unusual sale, in which really remarkable prices for the most staple of ginghams will be featured.
—There are one or two items alone in this assortment that are in themselves worthy of half a page of publicity.
—Every item represented is important.
—You will recognize this event as another demonstration of the timeliness of Broadway sales and the economy that is back of them.

Two Hours Extra Specials

9 to 11 a.m.

—No 'phone or mail orders. These items are offered for the first two hours in the morning only.
—Items of the greatest importance from various parts of the store. Values that will be sure to bring you to the store ready for the opening bell. Some of the quantities may not last the full two hours.

Calla Lily Soap 8 Bars for 25c

—This is the popular soap for kitchen or bath. You know the regular price. For the first two hours, from 9 to 11, at the Drug section, 8 bars for 25c, aisle 5.

Women's Shoes 25c Odds and Ends

—Another lot of 300 pair of women's oxfords, slippers, etc. Odds and ends. Some imperfect, some perfect, including discontinued lots. For the first two hours if the quantity lasts, 9 to 11, Basement Balcony Shoe Section.
—None will be delivered. There are wide and narrow widths. Sizes up to 4½ only. None to dealers.

Men's $1 Underwear Balbriggan at 59c

—Ecru color $1 Balbriggan for men. Shirts are well faced. Drawers re-inforced. These are $1 garments, for the first two hours, 59c—aisle 4.

Women's Vests 4 for 25c

—Low neck, no sleeve Swiss ribbed vests for women. Values that are big value at the regular price.
—For the first two hours. 7c garment or 4 for 25c. Limit 4. Aisle 9.

Minute Shoe Shine 10c Brushes 5c

—For two hours Monday in aisle 9, these Minute Shine Brushes that sell in the regular way at 10c. Lamp wool brush. For the first two hours pay half.

Window Shades 19c Hand Made

—Oil opaque window shades that are slightly imperfect, otherwise they'd be 65c. Bought and marked special at less than half of that. Now Monday from 9 to 11. No brackets or slats, 19c each. Third floor.

Table Oilcloth 10c

It's Imperfect.

—Slightly imperfect 25c quality Oilcloth, dull finish. Sanitas and Meritas, that we marked at a special price. Now Monday, 9 to 11, at 10c yard. Third floor.

$1 Curtains 50c

9 to 11 Only.

—60 pair of Loom Curtains, full length that are marked 79c.
—15 pair white Cable net curtains.
—8 Imported Madras Curtains.
—As well as 160 pair Scrim curtains with edging. These are marked special at 89c for two hours, 9 to 11, buy these at 50c pair. Third Floor.

Cocoa Door Mats 59c

100 Only.

—These are the 75c quality Cocoa Door Mats. Just 100 that we offer, 9 to 11, at 59c each.
—Think how they'll save your carpets and rugs. 9 to 11 only, 59c.

Jap Matting 10c Samples Yd. Square

—One yard Jap straw Matting samples, ordinarily they'd be 25c to 35c yard off the piece. We've marked them special at 15c Monday, 9 to 11, at 10c each.

Matting Samples 6c

9 to 11 a.m.

—These are size 18x36 on the average. This ridiculous price is made for the first two hours. Third floor, each 6c.

French & Royal Wilton Carpet Samples $1.85

—These samples measure 2 yards long and represent a quality of carpeting, that off the piece would sell at $2.50 and $3.50 yard, that would really bring the samples value up to $5 or $7 each. They're marked special at $2.48 and $2.85. Now for Monday, 9 to 11, at $1.85 each.

$1.50 Blankets at 95c Tan & Gray Only

—Large double cotton blankets, in tan or gray. Really exceptional value at $1.50. On sale for two hours, third floor, Monday, 95c. Limit 2 pair to a customer.

Stamped Art Goods 10c Marked 25c to 39c

—For the first two hours, 9 to 11, stamped art pieces to embroider, including pillow tops, scarfs, collar and cuff sets, stamped collars, etc. Marked regularly 25c to 39c, third floor, 10c each.

White China 4c Marked 5c to 19c

—This is white china to decorate. Salts and peppers, individual creamers, pin trays, salt dips, berry dishes, etc. Marked 5c to 19c, Monday, from 9 to 11, at 4c each. Third Floor.

Muslin Drawers 10c Sizes for Women

—They're marked 15c and 19c, good quality muslin drawers, wide ruffle and deep hem. For the first two hours Monday, no phone or mail orders, 10c each.

25c Nazareth Underwaists 12½c

—For children. These Nazareth waists made with taped seams and double row of buttons. These are first quality, regular 25c number, for the first two hours, if they last that long, 12½c garment. Limit 4 to a customer. No phone or mail orders. Second floor.



To Make the Kiddies Happy A "Storette" Sale

5000 of Them Beginning Monday For Three Days

At 12c Each

—Mothers be sure to get a Toy Store or "Storette" for the little tots. For tucked away on the inside are miniature packages of California Products, some of the cartons filled, some of them empty, but sufficient to give the children hours of enjoyment.
—It's an unique sale at a very nominal price, for every little one is sure to want a "Storette."
—They are wrapped and ready for instant service—5000 of them that we place on sale, beginning Monday, in the Basement.
—The picture shows one of California's little tots enjoying the contents of the Storette.
—It will be impossible for us to make deliveries on these, but they are wrapped for convenient carrying. Limit of one to a customer.

Brightlight Basement.

The Selling of These 38-In. Silk Mixed Ratines at 75c

—is of the greatest importance to those who have pretty summer suits and dresses to plan.
—The fabric is one that has the highest approval of Fashion, and the price is far below regular.
—Note well the width, 38 inches, and that they are silk mixed, in tan, medium blue, mahogany, brown, green, navy and old rose. 75c yd.
—Aisle 8.

More of That Desired Japanese Crepe Arrives 20c

—The plain colors and stripes, including the even stripes that are so much in demand for use in combination with plain colors.
—It's the most practical of all tub fabrics and the price is a nominal one, 20c yard.

Here's a 40-In. White Nub Voile 25c

—A sheer dainty 40-inch voile waisting, white only.
—You'll find it desirable to make up in combinations with figured voiles. This is an unusual quality, there's a big demand for it.

My! Such Dress Goods News Novelty Suitings 59c That Should Be $1.25 to $2

—Indeed so remarkable are these suitings and coatings that are 50 to 56 inches wide, that we marked them for a big sale event at $1.25. So you can readily see that at 59c the 15 pieces that have been placed on sale should hurry out.
—Novelty serges, cheviots, plaids, basket weaves, fancy granites, homespuns and stripes, as well as Zibiline coatings. There is a good color range in street shades.
—At this price there will be a 10-yard limit, while the quantity lasts, aisle 7.

59c Mohair 39c

—Navy blue, 50 inches wide. Aisle 7, Monday.

$1 Cream Panama 49c

—This is 46 inches wide. 4 pieces, while it lasts 49c yard.

Dress Ginghams 7½c 300 Pieces—New

—This item alone is worthy of the strongest publicity. 300 pieces bright new charming ginghams in the prettiest stripes, plaids and checks as well as plain colors.
—The value is one that you will recognize instantly. It will be surprising indeed if you do not want to buy great quantities of these ginghams at 7½c.

Amoskeag Utility 9c

100 Pieces Only.

—The name "Amoskeag" is an indication of the quality. These are the prettiest of patterns and color combinations.
—Could you ask for anything better in the way of material to launder. Hundreds will be eager for this at 9c yard.

32-in. Dress Gingham 7½c

—Note the width, the pretty patterns, stripes and checks, as well as plain shades.
—Don't overlook the opportunity for such a quality will go quickly at the price.

Apron Gingham 6½c Yd.

—Way below regular price. You'll open your eyes with astonishment. Clear blue and brown checks, 10 to 20-yard lengths at 6½c yard.

Apron Ginghams 2c

From 9 to 10 a.m.

—Blue and brown checked apron ginghams, 5 to 15-yard lengths, at the ridiculous price of 2c yard. Of course, there's a limit, 10 yards to a customer and no phone or mail orders, for the first hour only, aisle 7.

Dress Ginghams 6¼c

—Plain colors only, in which you will find pink, blue, tan, gray, green, etc.
—A coupling of full pieces with mill remnants. Very exceptional indeed, yard, 6¼c.

Postman's Blue Cheviot 7½c

—Good firm quality cheviot that is so much in demand for men's and boys' shirts, Children's rompers, etc. The price of 7½c is an unusual one. Aisle 7.

72x90 Sheets 39c

Full Bleached.

—Why not buy a quantity of these well-made bleached sheets that are 2 yards wide by 2½ yards long. The price is surely an attraction. Aisle 6.

Pillowcases 9c

Size 45x36

—These splendid bleached pillowcases that we offer at 9c are so far below their real worth that we limit the quantity, 12 to a customer, and will be unable to fill phone or mail orders.

A Dress Form

That Is Fashioned After Your Own Figure. It's the Nature Form.

—How many times have you wished that you might have your own figure before you upon which to drape your own dress, waist or suit?
—That's the very thought that brought out the Nature Form.
—Through a patented process of manufacture and a system of measurements the Nature Form is fashioned into an exact duplicate of your figure.
—And furthermore, so constructed that it is collapsible for storing or traveling.
—And to provide for variations in the figure, the bust, arms and skirts are adjustable to any position.
—It's durable, light and inexpensive.
—Nature Form busts only $8.75 and $11.75.
—Full forms, $12.50 and $15.
—One arm $3. Two arms $5.50.



$8.50 Dress Forms $5.69

The Hall Borchert Adjustable.

—$8.50 is the catalogue price of this Hall Borchert Adjustable Dress Form. The skirt is in four sections and may be adjusted to different lengths.
—The Broadway was first to feature these at the sale price of $5.69.
—Neck, bust, waist and hips may be adjusted, full straight front.
—Fitted with black jersey covering. One size, 33 to 42.
—If you want a high grade form at a very low price, take advantage of this.

Eastern Hams, Lb. 19½c

—Sugar cured. Average weight 10 to 12 lbs. each. You may buy either half or the whole ham.

EASTERN BACON, LB. 21c—Sugar cured. Fancy lean meat.

CREAMERY BUTTER, LB. 28c—La Premiere Brand.
—None of the above delivered.

BROADWAY SPECIAL COFFEE, LB. 29c
—Ground to any cut. 2 lbs. 57c.

FANCY TEAS, LB. 35c—Choice of uncolored Japan, Ceylon, Gunpowder, etc.

PINEAPPLE, 2 CANS 25c—Hawaiian sliced.

TOMATOES, 3 CANS 25c—Standard pack.

CORN, 3 CANS 25c—Standard pack.

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES AT REASONABLE PRICES.

Now Then, Boys

Norfolk Suits $5. With Extra Pants

—Of course they're American Boy make and they'll naturally be the boy's first choice. Every rich-blooded American boy appreciates the very qualities that go to make up the goodness of American Boy Clothes.
—Strong and sturdy with all the style that a boy will ask for.
—Of new spring materials in gray, brown, tan and dark mixtures.
—They're finished with stitched and loose belts.
—Full pegtop pants that are lined throughout and there's an extra pair to give long life.
—American Boy Suits are better because they're made better.
—Sizes for boys 6 to 18 years. $5.



We Announce a Most Unique First Annual Introductory Sale Open Stock Dinnerware

$7.50 Worth of Any of Our 56 Stock Patterns for $3.75

A Three-Day Sale

—Never, to our knowledge, in the history of Los Angeles, has a more remarkable sale of Dinnerware been announced.
—There may have been times when you could secure one, two or more patterns at a reduction when certain lines were to be discontinued.
—But to have the opportunity of choosing from any one of our celebrated 56 patterns. Any piece or pieces you desire, up to $7.50 worth for $3.75.
—It is a conceded fact that the Broadway has a really wonderful stock of dinnerware patterns, designs that are artistic and chosen with the greatest care and discrimination.
—Perhaps you are already "filling in" from one of these 56 patterns. This sale will give you the opportunity of buying perhaps the very pieces you need and up to $7.50 worth for $3.75.
—Dinnerware from France, from Germany, from Austria, from England and America's best potteries.
—It's our intention to make this an annual event. It has been planned with the definite purpose of having you become better acquainted with the variety, extensiveness and beauty of this dinnerware stock.
—This introductory special will apply on $7.50 worth only, although you may purchase more of the dinnerware if you desire. And this $7.50 worth for $3.75 will be allowed only once to a customer.

Brightlight Basement.

Broadway BROADWAY

Another [illegible] Sub-Tropic



Well S[illegible] 1000 of Monda[illegible]

—By special [illegible] rare fruit [illegible]
—A tree that [illegible] bearing, and [illegible] variety that [illegible] pay fancy [illegible]
—As a food [illegible] fornia is one [illegible] is possible to [illegible]
—1000 of these [illegible] for sale, [illegible] if the quantity [illegible]
—Because of the lowness of the price [illegible] us to make deliveries. Bring your [illegible]
—Remember, these are only 25c each.

Moire Sil[illegible]

Fashion[illegible]

—And Moire silks are indeed the [illegible] scarce.
—We are proud to announce that we [illegible] enthusiastic over this splendid [illegible] skirt or dresses.
—Black, of course, is prominent, [illegible] we've known.
—You'll be interested in these—
—36-IN COLORED MOIRE, $1.25 [illegible] blue, wistaria, Alice, Copenhagen [illegible]
24-INCH COLORED MOIRES, $1 YARD [illegible] nal, brown, gray, navy, Alice [illegible] duck, tan and Copenhagen.
22-INCH ALL SILK MOIRE, $1.50 [illegible] black only.
—36-inch extra quality Black Moire, $1.50 yard.

New in Notio[illegible] Celluloid Sna[illegible] —Washable

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BROADWAY SEA SALT, 4 FOR 5c—[illegible] 10c package.
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CARBOLIC ACID, 2-OZ. BOTTLE 9c—[illegible] cent. solution. Usually 15c.
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15c Sauce Pans 9c

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—These real Linen Cluny Laces are copies of the handsome Cluny and so remarkable are they that even at the former price of 25c, we considered them a big sale feature. 2 inches wide.

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XXXIIIRD YEAR. SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 26, 1914. THE MART: Transactions in Houses and Lots. Bargains in Blocks and Squares.

FACT AND COMMENT.

Clean-up week in Los Angeles was somewhat lost sight of in the thrill that resulted from the inauguration of what might rather patly be called the "clean-up week" in Vera Cruz; but, notwithstanding the distracting influence of the events incident to the belligerent war, there is reason to believe that this city as a whole is much more presentable than it was a week ago. Clean-up operations were everywhere in evidence throughout the week, and, although precious little attention has been paid by newspaper readers to civic matters or anything else not directly or indirectly pertaining to the fracas with Mexico for several days, it was apparent that the publicity previously accorded to the subject of brushing up the city had already been pretty well driven home. The war on dirt and unkemptness resulted in the rout of those foes of good municipal housekeeping in many quarters.

Clean-up week was a good idea. Clean-up year would be a greater. The broom and paint-brush brigades made a good beginning during the past few days, but that was about all. The city isn't as clean and neat as it should be even yet. Some of the dirt was missed and some of it was swept under the furniture, as it were, which is to say that the job in too many instances was only half-done. The back yards need cleaning as well as the front yards. Too many, it is to be feared, only made a showing.

It is highly creditable not only to individuals, but to the city, that as much was done as seems to have been accomplished, but honesty would compel one to observe that a city which needed a housecleaning as badly as Los Angeles cannot be renovated and put in apple-pie order in one week. It will take many weeks to put the neglected property in Los Angeles into proper condition and consistent attention to keep it there. The value and Comment has dwelt upon the advisability of cleaning up Los Angeles so many times in the past that it would be needless repetition to go over the many and vital reasons for doing so.

Time of Planting.

Of equal importance with the clean-up movement is the effort being expended by The Times and other agencies to induce people to beautify their places with roses and other plants, shrubs and trees. Nothing more could be imagined would make a more lasting impression upon the visitor who will come here next year and that they should find Los Angeles a great bower of roses. The city has already started the good work by distributing thousands upon thousands of bushes, representing many of the best varieties of roses that thrive in this region and is supplementing this by giving away countless packages of seeds of all kinds of flowers.

It is possible in this climate and soil for that is to be found here to accomplish in the briefest time results in gardening and planting that will baffle the belief of the average gardener. There is ample time between now and the time the exposition year crowds begin to throng to the Pacific Coast in which to carry out a general planting programme that would literally transform the city into a mass of color.

It is a fact (an almost shameful one, it strikes the Fact and Comment man,) that the residents of Los Angeles have collectively and as individuals so neglected the unique opportunity they have had of thus beautifying their city. It is never too late to mend, however, especially in such a climate as California, where plant life responds to the least chance and encouragement, thrives in beauty and profusion unequaled in any other part of the world. As one of the members of the Panama Exposition Year Entertainment Committee put it the other day, "there are oceans of time in which to plant millions of roses and other flowers and get them to growing to perfection, if the people generally can only be persuaded to get started at it."

The suggestion that the main-traveled county good roads be bordered with rose hedges is one of the best yet offered and is to be commended to the Board of Supervisors, who are known to favor any feasible plan looking to the beautification of these highways. It will cost money for clippings and the labor of planting them, but the funds will be well spent, if the plan meets with official approval.

TRADES FOR GROVE.

REDLANDS, April 25.—Charles G. Patterson of Los Angeles has sold a fifteen-acre orange grove in the Loma Linda section to John H. Alder of this city. Alder gave as part payment the Alder home at Cajon and Clark streets. The combined value of the properties is about $40,000. The grove is a good producer and is planted to navels and sweets. It carries 120 shares of the Bear Valley Mutual and ten shares of the Bear Valley extension pipe line stocks. The lot on which the house stands has an eighty-foot frontage on Cajon street.

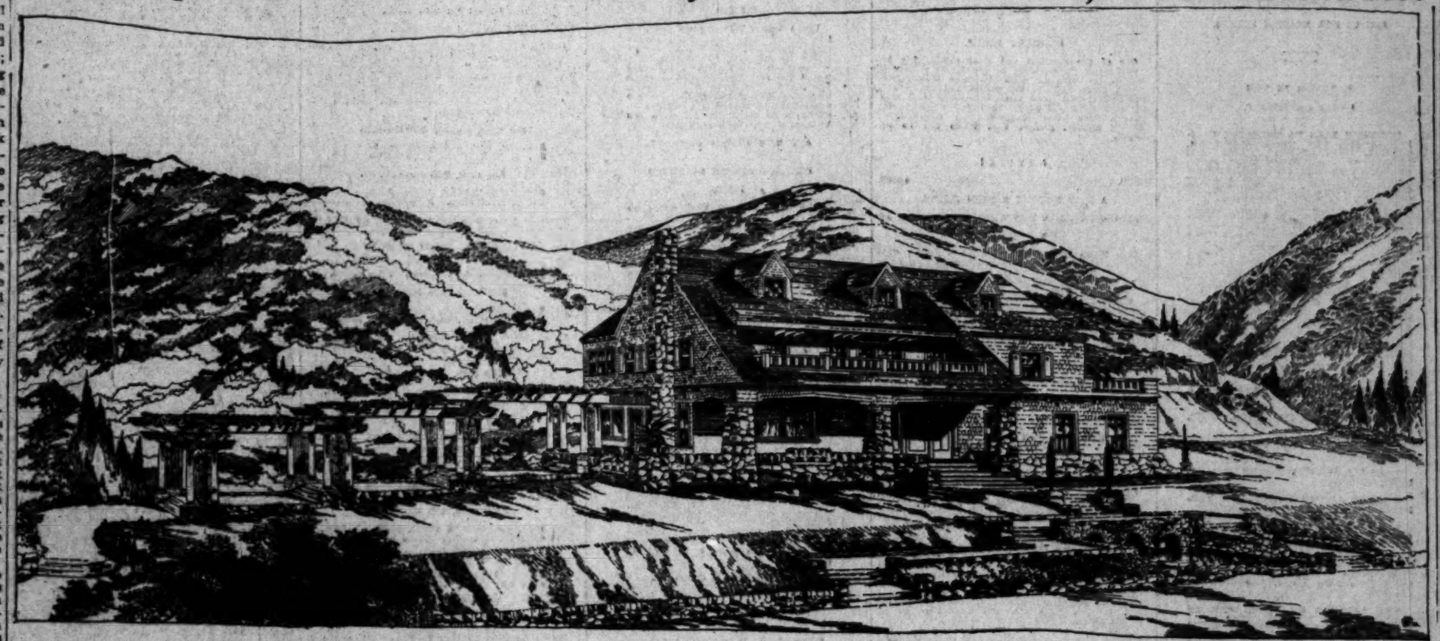
OPENS OWN OFFICES.

J. Fred Gale, a member of the Arenson-Gale Company since its inception seven years ago, has disposed of his interest in that company and entered the field for his own account at No. 712 H. W. Hellman building. He will conduct a general investment and brokerage business.

OFF FOR EAST.

Fred Forrester, secretary and general manager of the Angeles Mesa Land Company, will leave Los Angeles on April 29 for a two months' trip through the east, combining business with pleasure. He will be accompanied by his wife and children.

Picturesque Estate of Local Railway Man in Foothills of North Glendale.



The new home of J. McMillan, general manager Pacific Electric. The place was planned by Alfred F. P riest.

OVERLOOKS VALLEY.

New Home of Railway Official in North Glendale Foothills Has Commanding and Picturesque Site.

One of the most attractive places yet laid out in the picturesque foothill district of North Glendale is the residence estate of J. McMillan, general manager of the Pacific Electric Railway. The house itself has been completed and landscape architects are now putting the finishing touches to the grounds, extensive terracing being a feature of the general scheme.

The dwelling was planned by Alfred F. Priest of Los Angeles, and suggests in its lines the Dutch colonial types. It is eight-five feet wide, sixty-four feet deep and contains twenty rooms, ten on the first floor, nine on the second and a billiard-room in the attic. There is a basement under the entire building. The construction is of frame, the walls and roof being shingled. The masonry work is treated with cobblestones. The finish of the main rooms is in quartered oak, the upstairs being in white enamel, with mahogany trim.

The house is situated at the corner of Louise and Mountain streets and fronts to the south, overlooking the whole of the Glendale Valley. It is set well back from the street lines in an orange grove. The property comprises in all about twenty-five acres and contains several wooded canyons. The owner has developed water from springs on the place. A garage and a building for the servants stand back in one of the canyons.

SKETCHES PREPARED.

Sketches have been drawn by George W. Eldredge for a twelve-story reinforced concrete hotel building now being promoted by Strong, Dickinson & McGrath for a site in the vicinity of Fourth and Olive streets. The building, as planned, would contain about 400 rooms. It is being designed as a hostelry for working girls.

Phoenix-Like.

NEW MARYLAND TO LOOK LIKE OLD.

NEXT STRUCTURE, HOWEVER, TO BE FIREPROOF.

Architect Rushing Plans for Projected Hostelry to Replace Blaze-Stricken Pasadena Hotel—To Retain General Character of Former Building.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, April 25.—Undaunted by the fire which a week ago reduced the beautiful Hotel Maryland to a smoldering heap of ashes and charred beams, the Maryland Hotel Company is bending every effort toward perfecting financial arrangements for the erection of a new and greater hostelry which it hopes soon to be able to start on the blackened site of the famous caravansary. Those in charge of the project report satisfactory results thus far and express the belief that the business side of the enterprise will be fully attended to within a short time. Meanwhile, plans for the proposed new Maryland are being rushed ahead by the architect, Myron Hunt of Los Angeles.

In rebuilding the Maryland, Manager D. M. Linnard is determined to retain as much as is practicable of the character of the old building. The new hostelry will be of fireproof construction and a story higher than the old, but it will follow the same architectural lines and will be reminiscent in many ways of the building that was destroyed. The guests of the Maryland have had a lot to say about the planning and they have, without exception, begged the management to change the design of the structure as little as is consistent with the greater safety which is demanded.

The bedroom portion of the former building was two stories high; that of the new hotel will be three. The front on Colorado street will be lifted to provide space for small shops, giving the building a main elevation of five stories. The arrangement along Los Robles street will be slightly different. It will be the same with the interior, the change being scarcely noticeable, excepting for the increased roominess. The finish will be simple, as before.

BUNGALOW SALES.

Bungalow sales aggregating $42,000 since April 1 are reported by C. A. Harshbarger, manager of the bungalow department of Robert Marsh & Co. Following is the list of sales: John Pfuesser, No. 1900 West Forty-second street, $4000; Geraldine Parker, No. 1861 West Forty-first drive, $3650; R. D. Wilson, No. 1848 Santa Barbara street, $4250; Beulah M. Lannig and James O. Davenport, No. 2002 West Forty-first street, $3650; Jennie B. Gebauer, No. 3700 Arlington street, $4250; Frank O. Fernald, No. 2010 West Forty-first street, $3800; Henry J. Moore, No. 1042 West Fifty-first street, $4100; Charles W. Alexander, No. 2032 West Forty-first drive, $3800; Charles C. Putnam, No. 3867 La Salle avenue, $3500, and Charles C. Davies, No. 2701 Arlington street, $7000.

SELL INDUSTRIAL SITES.

Leading Realty Firm Signalizes Entrance Into New Field of Activity by Closing Important Deals.

Strong, Dickinson & McGrath have established a department devoted exclusively to the handling of industrial properties. George M. SoRelle, who for ten years has been identified with the industrial developments of Los Angeles and who is chairman of the Los Angeles Realty Board Committee on industrial property, has taken charge of this department. Assisting him will be Lyston S. Black.

Through SoRelle's department is reported the sale during the week of 130x140 feet at the southeast corner of Bay street and Santa Fe avenue at a given consideration of $1 a square foot. Strong, Dickinson & McGrath represented the seller and J. W. Wilkinson the purchaser. It is understood that the site is to be improved with a large factory.

The northeast corner of Santa Fe and Ninth streets has been sold through the same agency by the Los Angeles Soap Company to the Sommers-Lund Company, contractors, who will build immediately. Eighty feet on Cheney street, east of Santa Fe, has been sold by Charles Fisher to Edward T. Wheeler. J. H. Bullard has sold to Thomas R. Wood 120 feet on Santa Fe south of McPherson street. The Mosher & Roach Grain Storage Company has purchased through this department a site on East Thirty-eighth street in Vernon.

A syndicate was perfected during the week for the purchase of four acres adjoining the Griffin Car Wheel Company on one side and the Pioneer Paper Company on the other. Strong, Dickinson & McGrath are holders in this syndicate.

CLIFTON-BY-THE-SEA.

The Campbell-Bentley Company reports the following sales of lots in Cliffton-by-the-Sea: Mrs. Emma Fay, Los Angeles, $3500; Brolaski & Craig, Redondo, $1925; Mrs. Electa Kochler, Los Angeles, $1050; E. M. Graham, Los Angeles, $800; Luxford & Quintival, Redondo, $950; Hannah Jackson, Los Angeles, $1000; Jerome Jefway, Los Angeles, $1200; Mrs. Jennie Jefway, Los Angeles, $1200; Hart Hurley, Los Angeles, $2250; Edgar W. Carne, Ventura, $900; Charles H. D. Carne, Ventura, $900; Charles C. Simpson, Ventura, $900; Saul Sheridan Ventura, $900; J. D. Reese, Ventura, $850; W. C. Hendrickson, Ventura, $900; Guy F. Stetson, Ventura, $800; T. William McGlinchey, Ventura, $800; J. McMartin, Ventura, $850; R. C. Watson, Ventura, $850; Mrs. Lizzie B. Fowler, Los Angeles, $1000; Viola K. Backus, Los Angeles, $1050; Mrs. Mary Roberts, Los Angeles, $2250; Robert W. Folkers, Los Angeles, $950; John P. Francis, $1050; R. B. Galbreath, $1050; Mary H. Maxey, $750; Mrs. Mabel E. Montgomery, $1000; Mrs. R. D. Wolf, $3500; Miss Malina Caiblat, $1000; George C. Vanderford, $950; Miss Emma N. Ochenor, $900; John H. Weiss, $950; Mr. Bernard Buttermeir, $950; Mrs. A. B. Clayton, Los Angeles, $1050; Mrs. Mary E. Backus, Los Angeles, two lots, $2250; C. C. Madson, Los Angeles, $1100; Elizabeth Allic, Los Angeles, two lots, $2400; Mrs. Mary E. Heild, Los Angeles, $900; Mrs. Mary E. Foley, Los Angeles, $2500; Sarah Langstroth, Los Angeles, $1200; Walter Stevenson, Los Angeles, $975; Elizabeth Bahn, Los Angeles, two lots, $2000, and J. M. Richer, Los Angeles, $1000.

TO FORWARD CLAIMS.

People of Victor Valley to Hold Celebration at Victorville in Behalf of Reclamation Movement.

VICTORVILLE, April 25.—A petition has been made to Gov. Johnson to name May 9 as State reclamation day for the purpose of encouraging chambers of commerce, boards of trade, real estate organizations and other bodies to study the reclamation needs and possibilities of California and possibly to effect some central organization to present proper suggestions and demands to Secretary of the Interior Lane and the chiefs of the National Reclamation Bureau.

The suggestion of reclamation day originated with the Victorville Chamber of Commerce. Copies of a resolution setting May 9 aside for this purpose and calling upon all ministers of the State to preach a reclamation sermon on Sunday, May 10, have been sent all over the State and have brought many responses and indorsements.

Members of the Victor Valley Chamber of Commerce, the Victor Valley Club of Los Angeles, and the settlers of that vast territory have arranged a celebration to be held at Victorville in recognition of reclamation day and at that time they will formulate an urgent request that the Federal government make no delay in appropriating the sum of $15,000 for a preliminary survey of the water bed of the Mojave River and that this survey be followed by a Federal appropriation to build an adequate reservoir to impound the flood and storm waters that now go to waste.

CONTRACT AWARDED.

New Kerckhoff Building at Sixth and Los Angeles to Cost Nearly Half-Million Dollars.

The general contract for the construction of the projected eight-story Kerckhoff building at the northwest corner of Sixth and Los Angeles streets has been awarded to Weymouth Crowell. The structure, which will occupy a ground space of 142x121 feet, will adjoin the present Kerckhoff block at the northeast corner of Sixth and Main. Morgan, Walls & Morgan are the architects. The new building will cost complete about $400,000.

The structure will be of reinforced concrete construction, the street fronts being faced with ivory enamel brick and trimmed with terra cotta. The lobby is to be finished in Alaska marble. The corridors throughout will be in marble and tile. The interior woodwork will be of birch.

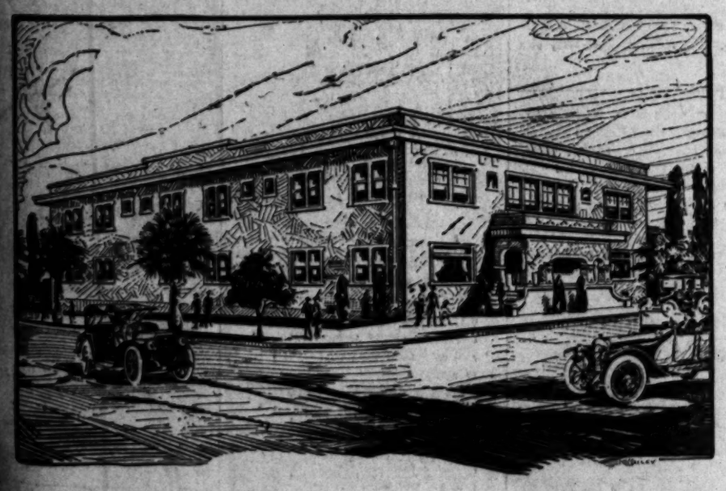
WILL MAKE HOME HERE.

J. Frank Bailey, formerly of Nashville, Tenn., has purchased for a given price of $7000 the nine-room residence of Charles I. Baxter at No. 2699 Orchard avenue and will make this city his permanent home. Charles C. Burnett of Charles C. Burnett & Co. represented both buyer and seller in this transaction. Burnett also reports the sale of a new seven-room bungalow for Philip Gresham to Mrs. M. A. Dowdall, the place being located at the corner of Hobart boulevard and Torrence street. The consideration is reported at $5000.

FOR WEST TENTH.

A contract has been let for the erection of a three-story brick apartment-house for Herman Gutterman at No. 1142 West Tenth street. The building will contain seventy rooms in two and three-room apartments. It will be 61x130 feet in size and will cost about $30,000. L. L. Jones is the architect.

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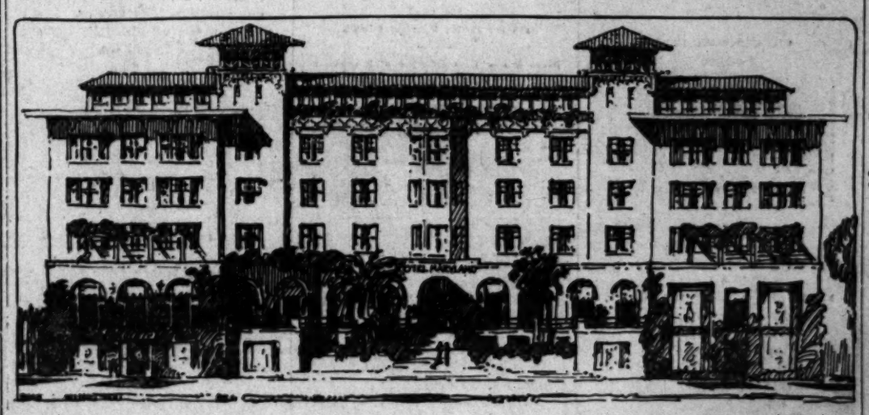
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Realty Liners.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—

G. D. ROBERTSON CO., 813 South Hill street.

$4750.

New 7-room bungalow in the new normal school district. Not another house in the city compares with this for quality, location and price.

Has beautifully prepared and finished living room, breakfast room and den, dining room is panelled and prepared, French doors open to a large porch, two large bedrooms artistically papered, extra large room, den, kitchen with woodstone sink and French hood over stove; lots of drawers and cupboard room, screen porch with two laundry trays, cement walks, tubs, laundry, furnace; large garage with cement floor and drive.

This property can't be duplicated for $5000.

Very easy terms.

$6750.

New 5-room bungalow in Wilshire district, east front; all street improvements, lawn and shrubbery in; has living room, dining room, breakfast room, 3 large bedrooms and kitchen; all the walls and fixtures are of expensive and tasty pattern; every modern built-in feature; hardwood floors throughout; basement with furnace and automatic water heater; garage with cement floor and drive.

This is one of the best bargains on our list; good terms, too.

We have any number of good buys at all prices. Call up

MR. HOWARD, G. D. ROBERTSON CO., 813 South Hill street. Main 6046.

A2550.

FOR SALE—

A BEAUTIFUL NEW FOOTHILL HOME CAN BE PURCHASED FOR $2650

Situated in a carefully restricted district, one block from 5 cent fare, eight minute car service, 20 minutes out. This home is set back from a stone paved avenue and is surrounded by other fine places. Five exceptionally large rooms, oak floors, hand-rubbed woodwork, big clothes closets, expensive plumbing, wide cement porches, in every detail of construction this lovely place is equal to the usual $4000 bungalow. Two blocks from grammar school and three from new Occidental College; very terms for reasonable people.

EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY, 515 Black Bldg., Fourth and Hill.

Eagle Rock Office, corner Central and Colorado.

FOR SALE—

$1175. NEW MODERN BUNGALOW. $75 Cash $17.00 Per Month including Interest.

This is without a doubt the best bungalow in Los Angeles for the money. Has 4 large rooms, beautiful bathroom, large closet and a dandy big screened porch, artistic electric fixtures, piped for gas both for cooking and heating. In a fine restricted district on a large level lot, graded and sidewalk, cement walks and curbs. This bungalow is on high ground, only 15 minutes' ride from main street on yellow 5-cent car line. Make me prove what this ad says by showing you the place. See or phone

P. L. FARLING, 320 Pacific Electric Bldg., 6th and Main sts. Main 1371.

10026.

FOR SALE—

BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW, $6250.

Five rooms and bath, handsome tufted, Dutch kitchen and built-in features. All modern conveniences. Surrounded by over 70 pretty bungalow homes. One minute from Huntington drive and only 20 minutes from Broadway. Lot 50x150, and affords magnificent view of mountains. $2000 cash and balance like rent. Ask for R. D. PETERSON, 611 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION—

9-ROOM HOUSE ON CORNER LOT, LOCATED AT 223 NORTH EASTLAKE AVE., 2 BLOCKS FROM NORTH BROADWAY, WILL BE SOLD AT AUCTION ON THE PREMISES WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, 2 O'CLOCK, APRIL 29. TAKE N. BROADWAY CAR TO EASTLAKE AVE., WALK 2 BLOCKS NORTH TO 223 EASTLAKE AVE. THIS IS A NICE OLD RESIDENCE, WITH A BEAUTIFUL CORNER LOT, AND FINE NEIGHBORHOOD. VERY EASY TERMS. REDIN & DEL REAL ESTATE AUCTIONEERS, 407 GRANT BLDG. MAIN 3744. F7981.

FOR SALE— —$1750— $150 DOWN—$20 MONTHLY.

Four-room house on lot 92x110, located on high ground, sightly location. 17 minutes out, northwest. Fruit in bearing, chicken corrals, eucalyptus trees, etc. $50 CASH, balance

W. A. PROPER, Suite 628 Union Oil Bldg. A1687.

FOR SALE—

NO-ICE REFRIGERATOR BUNGALOW.

MAKE A QUICK MOVE into the choicest new 6-room bungalow in New Vermont Square, one block to car. Modern in every detail. Elegant electric fixtures and fine artistic wall paper. Extra large garage. Lot 42x125 to alley. Grasp this opportunity. Call Monday. Price $4250. $400 down, balance $100 monthly.

EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY, 401 Black Bldg., 4th and Hill sts. Edwy. 1612.

FOR SALE—A SNAP. A $10,000 PROPERTY.

Bonnie Brae, for $7000 cash. Balance easy terms. eleven rooms, lot 90x150. Let alone is worth the price. Think of it, everything first-class.

J. H. SCHWAB, with SIDNEY O'NEIL CO., 315 Lankershim Bldg. A4382. Main 8081.

FOR SALE—

A NEW 6-ROOM BUNGALOW.

Up-to-date; garage and lawn in; east front; lot 50x140; only 15 minutes to Broadway on Parkview ave., 6 blocks north of Westlake Park; $1500 down, balance can be arranged on a reasonable monthly payment. This is close in.

See OWEN, WESTERN BUILDING AND INVESTMENT CO., 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg., Ninth and Spring.

Home 60198. Main 1273.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE PRETTIEST RESIDENCE places in Glendale; seven-room modern bungalow, highly improved grounds, 150 feet by 185, garage, fine lawn, hedge, all kinds fruit trees, roses and flowers, abundance small fruit, etc. Owner at electric carline right town. Terms if desired. For interview, phone GLENDALE 1053. 644 Lincoln ave.

FOR SALE— WHY NOT BUILD? Select Your Lot Anywhere.

We will buy the lot you select, if favorable, and build you a thoroughly modern bungalow to suit your plans completely, small payment down, balance like rent. Plans free. Also if you have a clear lot, or one nearly so, we can finance your building for you. Come in and see us. J. G. KIRKHAM, 6th and Olive. A1697.

FOR SALE IN THE WILSHIRE.

New and strictly modern Japanese bungalow of 6 rooms, located on a fine elevated lot, 50x135, with splendid garage, lawn, fruit and shrubbery; cost $5000 to produce; will go for $67.50, and make terms. The owner on premises from 5 to 9 p.m., and 7 to 9 a.m., or call WILSHIRE 2441, for appointment. 824 S. Kingsley Drive.

FOR SALE—WILL SACRIFICE MY HOME OF SIX rooms and bath, furnished throughout, built 2½ months, entirely modern in every respect, hardwood floors, lawn and flowers. Includes everything, dishes, linen. Worth $4000, unfurnished. Will sell entirely furnished for $3500; $250 cash, $30 monthly pays interest and principal. Thirty minutes from Fifth and Broadway, located in fashionable Vermont Square. Address J, box 370, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BUNGALOW, $3400, JUST FINISHED, hardwood floors, cement porch, fine location, car to door. You cannot build it for the price. 2158 ECHO PARK AVE. Phone 22046 and I will take you out.

FOR SALE—MY EQUITY OF $400 IN A NICE 4-room house with screen porch, built-in features, lawn, flowers and fruit trees; any reasonable offer accepted. Price $1250. 5843 WOODLAWN AVE.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—

GILES & KELLS,

MGRS. HOUSE AND LOT DEPARTMENT, WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO., NO. 408 S. HILL ST.

MEMBERS LOS ANGELES REALTY BOARD.

SEE US FOR MODERN HOUSES.

BARGAINS IN THE GREAT SOUTHWEST.

NOWHERE ELSE IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA HAS THE MODERATE-PRICED TYPICAL BUNGALOW ATTAINED THE DEGREE OF PERFECTION THAT IS TO BE FOUND IN THE COZY HOMES NOW BEING BUILT IN THIS, THE FASTEST GROWING, MOST ACTIVE SECTION OF OUR CITY. THE WIDE PARKINGS, ORNAMENTAL SHRUBBERY AND WELL-KEPT YARDS PRODUCE THE GARDEN-SPOT EFFECT. EXCELLENT CAR SERVICE. GOOD STREETS AND OTHER CITY CONVENIENCES LEAVE NOTHING TO BE DESIRED. WE HAVE JUST FINISHED A REVISION OF OUR LISTINGS OF ALL THE DESIRABLE PROPERTY WHICH IS OFFERED FOR SALE IN THIS LOCATION. IN SO DOING WE HAVE UNCOVERED NUMEROUS BARGAINS. THE SPECIAL PRICES AT WHICH WE CAN OFFER THESE MAKE THEM STAND OUT ALONE AS FAR AS REAL VALUE IS CONCERNED. WE SUBMIT THEM, FOLLOWING TO THE DISCRIMINATING HOME SEEKER, WHO IS LOOKING FOR THE BIGGEST VALUE HIS DOLLAR WILL BUY.

8 ROOMS, HALLDALE AVE., $3000, $300 CASH.

6 ROOMS, NEAR JEFFERSON, $3200, $500 CASH.

6 ROOMS, NEAR 48TH ST. CAR LINE, $3500, $350 CASH.

7 ROOMS, NEW VERMONT SQUARE, $3700, $500 CASH.

6 ROOMS AND BASEMENT, NEW VERMONT SQUARE, $3800, $600 CASH.

7 ROOMS, REAL MAHOGANY FINISH, $4500, $750 CASH.

ALL THE ABOVE ARE NEW AND MODERN, CONTAINING ALL BUILT-IN FEATURES, HANDSOME FIXTURES, COSTLY DECORATIONS, HARDWOOD FLOORS.

THE BALANCE ON THESE CAN BE PAID JUST LIKE RENT. IN SOME CASES EVEN THESE TERMS CAN BE MODIFIED TO RESPONSIBLE PARTIES. SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY, AS WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY.

A RARE WILSHIRE BARGAIN.

$6750.

THIS 7-ROOM MODERN STORY-AND-HALF HOME IS LOCATED ON KINGSLEY DRIVE, SOUTH OF WILSHIRE BLVD., ONE-HALF BLOCK FROM WEST VIEW ST. CAR LINE. WITH AN EAST FRONT ON A LOT 50x135 FEET. THE PROPERTY IS NOW VACANT, THE OWNER BEING A NON-RESIDENT. WE HAVE A LETTER AUTHORITY TO POSITIVELY DELIVER AT $6750. THE PRICE HAS BEEN $8250. THE MORTGAGE IS $4000, 7 PER COST, 3 YEARS. BALANCE MUST BE CASH. DON'T SPEND YOUR TIME LOOKING AROUND. SEE THIS PICK-UP—IT WON'T LAST OVER MONDAY. WITH A GOOD-SIZED DEPOSIT YOU CAN MOVE IN AT ONCE. SUCH PROPERTY AS THIS CAN ALWAYS BE TURNED OVER AT A PROFIT.

FINE HOUSE ON ST. ANDREWS, NEAR FIFTH STREET.

PRICE CUT FROM $15,000 TO $11,500.

THIS HOUSE IS COMPLETE IN ALL ITS APPOINTMENTS. HAS 11 ROOMS, 2 BATH AND HARDWOOD FINISH. BEAUTIFUL GROUNDS AND SHRUBBERY. RECEPTION ROOM, LIVING-ROOM, DEN AND DINING-ROOM, ALL CONVENIENT AND ARTISTICALLY ARRANGED AND FINISHED. JUST THE THING FOR THE MAN WHO WANTS A MEDIUM-PRICED HOME AT A SACRIFICE PRICE IN AN IDEAL LOCATION.

LARGE WILSHIRE HOME—CHEAP.

$15,750.

HAVE YOU A LARGE FAMILY? DO YOUR DAUGHTERS OR SONS EACH WANT A HOME ALL FOR THEIR OWN? AND ARE THEY PARTICULAR PEOPLE, WE HAVE JUST WHAT YOU WANT, AN ABSOLUTELY MODERN HOUSE, WITH 5 BEDROOMS, ALL LARGE AND SUNNY, AND MAID'S QUARTERS. LOTS OF LARGE CLOSETS AND THREE FINE BATHROOMS. ALSO LARGE ATTIC THAT CAN BE USED AS STORAGE ROOM OR BE FITTED FOR BILLIARD ROOM OR BEDROOMS. THE DOWNSTAIRS IS FINISHED IN MAHOGANY AND OAK. THERE ARE HARDWOOD FLOORS THROUGHOUT THE HOUSE, AUTOMATIC HEATER, FURNACE, DOUBLE GARAGE, AND THE LOT IS 175 FEET DEEP. LAST AND BEST OF ALL, IT IS ON A CORNER LOOKING OVER BEAUTIFUL HOMES TO THE MOUNTAINS. IT IS THE BEST BARGAIN IN A MODERN, LARGE HOME IN THE WILSHIRE DISTRICT. ARE YOU GOING TO BE THE LUCKY ONE? DON'T WAIT. LET US SHOW IT TO YOU RIGHT AWAY. REMEMBER, IT WAS BUILT FOR HOME AND PRACTICALLY NEW.

RESIDENCE ON WILSHIRE BLVD.

$22,500.

THIS MAGNIFICENT NEW 10-ROOM HOME ON BEAUTIFUL WILSHIRE BLVD. IS OF THE ITALIAN RENAISSANCE TYPE. THE EXTERIOR IS OF PURE WHITE CEMENT, WITH RED TILE ROOF. THE INTERIOR HAS BEEN FINISHED WITH EXCEPTIONAL TASTE. AS YOU ENTER THE LARGE RECEPTION HALL, WHICH IS PANELED IN RICH DARK OAK, YOU GET A VIEW OF THE BEAUTIFUL SQUARE DINING-ROOM TO YOUR RIGHT, AND A GREAT LIVING-ROOM ON YOUR LEFT. TO THE REAR OF THE RECEPTION HALL IS A DAINTY BREAKFAST-ROOM IN OLD IVORY, WHICH MAY BE ENTERED THROUGH FRENCH DOORS FROM THE HALL OR FROM A SOLARIUM CONNECTING WITH THE LIVING-ROOM OR FROM THE KITCHEN. THE SOLARIUM CAN BE USED AS A CONSERVATORY IN CONNECTION WITH THE LIVING-ROOM IF DESIRED, OR SEPARATED BY FRENCH WINDOWS. THE STAIRWAY IS A WORK OF ART. THE WALLS ARE COVERED WITH CANVAS AND FINISHED IN OIL, ALL EXQUISITE HAND WORK. THERE IS A FINE KITCHEN, A LAUNDRY, ALSO A MAID'S ROOM WITH BATH ON THIS FLOOR. THE SECOND FLOOR IS FINISHED IN OLD IVORY, AND CONSISTS OF FOUR LARGE SLEEPING ROOMS, A DEN AND SLEEPING PORCH, WITH ABUNDANCE OF CLOSET ROOM AND TWO BEAUTIFUL BATHROOMS CONNECTING WITH EACH PAIR OF BEDROOMS. HEAVY OAK FLOORS THROUGHOUT. ALSO FURNACE, AUTOMATIC WATER HEATER, ETC. COMPLETE THIS REALLY FIRST-CLASS HOUSE. LET US SHOW YOU THIS.

WILSHIRE BLVD. HOME.

$40,000.

ONE OF THE FINEST IMPROVED NORTHWEST CORNERS ON THE BOULEVARD. CLOSE TO VERMONT AVE., 115x145; 20-FOOT ALLEY ON THE SIDE. TEN ROOMS AND BATHS, FINISHED IN HARDWOOD WITH EVERY MODERN CONVENIENCE. THE PROPERTY IS CLEAR. THE OWNER WILL TAKE AS PIECE OF INCOME BUSINESS PROPERTY UP TO SIXTY THOUSAND, AND PAY CASH DIFFERENCE. THIS IS NO TRADING PROPOSITION, BUT A BONA FIDE SALE. YOU SUBMIT MUST BE ON A CASH BASIS.

SEE US FOR MODERN HOUSES.

GILES & KELLS,

MGRS. HOUSE AND LOT DEPARTMENT, WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO., NO. 408 S. HILL ST.

PHONES—10743, MAIN 8040.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—

WEBER & BELL,

HOUSE AND LOT DEPARTMENT, W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO., 402-10 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG. MAIN 6760—10777.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!

$9000. FORMER PRICE. $9000.

TO BE SOLD FOR

$8150. $8150. $8150.

KINGSLEY DRIVE.

One of the prettiest and most comfortably arranged seven-room houses in the Wilshire district, finished in enamel, with imported decorations, French doors open to the coziest and sunniest of breakfast rooms; three large bedrooms, large closets; pass pantry, 3 baths, automatic water heater, furnace, also open fireplace. Has semi-indirect lighting system; garage, etc., terms can be arranged.

NOTICE!

$8500. $8500.

A NEW 2-STORY 8-ROOM HOUSE.

NOTHING FINER IN THE WILSHIRE DISTRICT AT THE PRICE.

This house is new and contains 8 rooms. This placewas built by one of the best-known builders of beautiful Wilshire homes. Construction of house is of stucco and shingle, the interior of house is of the latest design. The ground floor is finished in mahogany and hand decorations; the very latest lighting fixtures. The upper floor is finished in white enamel—single panel brick doors; tiled bath with the very latest fixtures pertaining to luxury. In fact, this house has every modern appointment, including water heater, furnace, garage, etc. Do not hesitate to call, set up and have us show you this beautiful place. It is a pleasure to do so.

DISCRIMINATING PEOPLE DESIRE THE BEST.

WE HAVE THE BEST AT THE LOWEST PRICE.

HERE IS ONE AT A BARGAIN.

—$14,500— —$14,500—

Situated on St. Andrews place among some of the finest homes in the city. On an east-front lot, 60x125, English design, with 10 large rooms, with lots of sunshine. The living-room and library are finished in the Tobasco mahogany; great care has been taken in matching the woodwork, which has been rubbed down to a piano finish. The dining-room is in oak, also has a very fine finish. Walls are canvased and done in oil, with rich, artistic effects. Very finest lighting system, with elegant fixtures. The second floor consists of four large, sunny bedrooms, one with sun parlor and sleeping porch, two tile bathrooms, finish white enamel, six-coat work. Basement, furnace, Ruud hot-water heater; garage for two machines. If any one would ask you $17,500 for this place, you would think it the right price. Think of it, a large 10-room house in the exclusive Wilshire district at only $14,500. It will pay you to see this at once, as it must be sold immediately. Don't delay. No trade considered.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!

—$22,500— WAS—$22,500—WAS NOW

—$19,500— —$19,500— —$19,500—

This home is just north of Wilshire blvd., on a large east front, 50x150 feet. The house is of plaster exterior, on metal lath. All exterior cornice, molds, eaves, etc., are plastered instead of the usual wood. The reception hall, living-room and library are finished in Tabasco mahogany, while the dining-room is of quarter-sawed oak. The upstairs is in cedar enameled white, all walls are plastered, hand decorated and carpeted. The maid's room is on the first floor with a complete bath. There are two baths on the second floor, both having tiled floors and wainscoting. With the very highest grade of plumbing, one containing a shower. There is a fine inclosed sleeping porch and a very large open deck. The garage is two stories, large enough for two machines. The upstairs has a complete bath equipment and two rooms are plastered. The laundry is in the garage, and contains stationary tubs, as well as an independent water heater and electric connections for ironing and washing machines.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO GET A SACRIFICE. ON WILSHIRE BOULEVARD.

$23,500 $23,500 $23,500

Beautiful new Italian Renaissance with genuine tile roof. Hall and dining-room finished in oak, living-room in mahogany; unique sun room with tile floor and latticed walls. At this price is included all curtains and draperies and special wicker furniture for sun-room; also special mahogany furniture for hall, and rare old mahogany colonial hall clock. Charming white enameled breakfast-room with fireplace; kitchen, maid's room and bath complete, first floor. Upstairs there are four airy bedrooms finished in white enamel, hand rubbed. Two beautiful tile baths. A sleeping porch and spring decks. All ceilings throughout are canvased and all floors upstairs and down are thick oak flooring. Gas, furnace and hot water heater. A distinctive home for particular people. Must be seen to be appreciated. Seeing is believing. Call us up Monday and let us show you the best buy in the Wilshire district.

MOST BEAUTIFUL HOME IN THE WILSHIRE DISTRICT.

NOW

—$37,500— —$37,500— —$37,500—

FORMER PRICE $60,000. FORMER PRICE $60,000

Beautiful high corner, 170x143. House contains 15 rooms, exclusive of servants' dining-room, wine cellar, refrigerator-rooms and laundry. Construction, cement and tile. Interior finish, selected hardwoods, rich imported hangings. Sunroom with electrical fountain. Stairway, genuine bronze. The most magnificent home in all appointments in Los Angeles.

WEBER & BELL,

MGRS. HOUSE AND LOT DEPARTMENT, W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO., 402 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG. SIXTH AND HILL STS.

PHONES: HOME 10777—MAIN 6760.

FOR SALE—

REAL MAHOGANY BUNGALOW. HIGH GROUND.

$250 cash, balance easy.

Close to car— base bath. School. Pedestal lavatory. Stores. Two toilets.

Oak floors throughout, tile mantel, linoleum on bath and kitchen; extra large clothes closets, piped for furnace. Snap, at price. Must sell. This is a real home. Built like a watch and finished like a piano, and for $4500, and easy terms you can own a home on 7th avenue, between Washington and 16th sts., that is just about equal to finish and fixtures to a $20,000 place.

OWNER, 907 Van Nuys Bldg. F2575. Main 2979.

FOR SALE— $1375. $50 CASH $15 Per Month, Including Interest. $1375.

Here's a cozy little bungalow of 3 rooms, gas, electric fixtures, etc.; fine restricted district on high ground with all improvements, oiled streets, cement walks and curbs. Only 15 minutes' ride from Main street. See this place, then

Take Stephenson-avenue car to Indiana street.

P. A. HANNIGAN, 5720 Stephenson ave. Boyle 2192.

41782.

FOR SALE—NEW FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW, LARGE porches, all built-in features, 12 minutes from Courthouse on Temple car, 5c fare. All assessments paid, $2600. Will take good clear-passenger automobile to $400, or live stock. OWNER, 1769 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—MODERN BUNGALOW, 6 large rooms, 2 disappearing beds, extra dressing-rooms; lot 50x181, near State Normal School. Terms to suit. 942 N. ARDMORE. Wilshire 3204.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, ON ACCOUNT OF leaving the city, beautiful seven-room bungalow, all modern improvements, bars, garden; plenty of trees. No reasonable offer or terms will be refused. 1513 WEST 45TH ST. Inquire by phone 20121.

FOR SALE—PHONE MAIN 4822, 60191. Fine modern 4-room cottage, large lot, restricted neighborhood, $75 down, $17.50 monthly, interest included; very desirable.

R. LUNDEEN COMPANY, Suite 200-234 Central Bldg. 6th and Main.

FOR SALE— A dandy fine seven-room bungalow on South Hobart blvd. Owner must sell this week. Modern throughout.

YOUNG-CASSOU COMPANY. Main 4421. F4738. 911 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—

G. M. BRIGGS AND C. M. C. RAYMOND,

MGRS. HOUSE AND LOT DEPARTMENT, THE BRIGGS COMPANY, SUITE 1016, INVESTMENT BLDG., BROADWAY AND EIGHTH ST. 60155—MAIN 837.

CHALET BUNGALOW.

$6500.

For a very short time we can offer you one of those handsome 1½-story chalet bungalows, with 2 big sleeping-rooms, shower and lavatory upstairs, at the above absurd price. There are 8 rooms in all, with hardwood floors throughout, breakfast-room, 2 baths, furnace, garage, and everything else you could want. Think of it! And the location is an east-facing lot on a fine Wilshire street. We'll show you.

ASK THE BRIGGS COMPANY.

BERENDO STREET SACRIFICE.

$8000.

The greatest slashing of values we ever saw! A handsome 9-room home, with two baths, 6 bedrooms and every convenience, must be sold this week. Think of it! There are hardwood floors all through, furnace, automatic water heater, and big rooms throughout. It stands on a high east-facing lot, 60x155 feet in size, and close in. The property is worth every dollar of $10,000. But owner cannot wait a day for money. Don't let this opportunity slip. It's a snap. You know what a foreclosure means.

ASK THE BRIGGS COMPANY.

HERE'S A CLASSY HOME.

$11,000.

It is on Ardmore avenue, and on a high, east-facing lot. No chalet type house in the city has broader, handsomer lines, deeper porches, wider windows or sunnier rooms. There are 10 in all, a great big living-room, a cozy library, a handsome dining-room, and a beautiful lounging room and conservatory combined. There are two baths, 4 bedrooms, a maid's room downstairs, a big sleeping porch, mahogany and white enamel finish, a furnace, garage, etc. We guarantee you will be pleased with this property. It has that beauty and charm which only an artistic builder can give.

ASK THE BRIGGS COMPANY.

BRIGGS & RAYMOND,

MGRS. HOUSE AND LOT DEPARTMENT, SUITE 1016, INVESTMENT BLDG. 60155; MAIN 837.

FOR SALE—

SIX-ROOM MODERN HOUSE FOR $2000. EASY PAYMENTS.

The owner wants to buy land at Fontana and offers this through us as a sacrifice.

Six rooms, modern, gas, electricity, bath, toilet, lavatory, laundry trays.

Cupboard, buffet, writing desk and bookcases built-in. Interior finishing not all done, and will be completed to suit buyer at price named.

On high ground, 2½ short blocks from yellow car, 2½ minute service down town, takes 22 minutes, 5-cent fare. Street work all done. Commands a view even of Catalina Island on clear days. Still is not on a hilltop.

Will make easy terms on this property.

SEE L. B. JORALMON, WITH THOMAS D. CAMPBELL & COMPANY, Second floor Washington Bldg. 3rd and Spring sts.

FOR SALE— $30,000

WEST ADAMS HEIGHTS.

BY OWNER,

Elegant private home, designed by particular people for Particular People.

Lot 100 feet frontage, in most desirable street and location in West Adams Heights. Large trees and beautiful garden.

House, French chalet, finished in mahogany and selected redwood; electric fixtures of special and exclusive design; four fireplaces and mantels, specially designed; four unusually large bedrooms, four enormous clothes closets, five large ventilated bedroom closets, three tile bathrooms, with solid porcelain hand bowls and tubs; electric light bath. Extra lavatory and toilet in separate rooms, and telephone booth downstairs. Large kitchen with all desirable accommodations; built-in ice chest to hold 500 pounds; butler's pantry, etc. In fact, every convenience and luxury that would be expected in a house costing $100,000.

Cellar, 50x40; Richardson & Boynton furnace; Ruud heater.

Garage, 2-story, for two cars; closets, cement pit, lavatory, toilet, chauffeur's apartments and bathroom, with hot and cold water.

Price $30,000; terms to suit. HOME telephone 71205.

FOR SALE—

HIGH GROUND.

REAL, HARDWOOD BUNGALOW.

$250 cash, balance easy.

Close to car, school, stores.

Base tub, pedestal lavatory.

Oak floors throughout. Beautiful decorations. Entirely different from the usual home. Just a beauty.

OWNER, 907 Van Nuys Bldg. F2575. Main 2979.

FOR SALE—

My new beautiful bungalow, all modern, water, gas, electricity, close to car, best location in Southern California. Exceptional terms. Pay $250 down and move in. Address J, box 349, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—

NEARLY NEW MODERN FRAME BUNGALOW, CONTAINING ALL THE LATEST BUILT-IN EFFECTS.

Lawn in front and rear, flower, fruit trees and shrubbery. Lot 42x125, with garage. Located on a very prominent street, one block from car line.

This property is absolutely worth $5000, but owner will take very much less and make liberal terms for a quick sale.

See this today. Take West Jefferson car to Fourth avenue, walk one block west to 2504. Open for inspection from 2 to 5 p.m., or telephone 72960.

FOR SALE—

$15 MONTH INCLUDING INTEREST. $50 DOWN

and move into this beautiful 4-room plastered bungalow, located on large level lot. Lawn, trees, palms, flowers, etc. Cement walk and curbs. Gas and electricity. One block of yellow car line and only 20 minutes' ride from 7th and Broadway.

And the price is only $1500.

P. A. HANNIGAN, 5720 Stephenson ave. Near Indiana st. Boyle 2192.

Home 41782.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—YOU CAN'T AFFORD to miss this bargain. Buy my equity in a 5-room bungalow in North Wilshire. I will donate 5 rooms of new furniture. This is no junk or inflated prices. Will consider diamonds as part payment. Would lease furnished. 735 N. GRAMERCY, Hollywood 88.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—

BUNGALOWS, CHALETS $50 CASH.

$100—$200—$300—$350—$400 Down. Balance $25 Monthly and Up. (Interest included.)

SOUTH SOUTHWEST GLENDALE.

Special For This Week.

General Description.

All the following bungalows and chalets have oak floors, fireplaces, built-in bookcases, buffets, cabinet kitchens, with composition sink boards and range hood, white enameled bathroom, linoleum on floors of bathroom and kitchen, laundry tubs, hot water tank and heater, window shades and screens, cement porches, steps and walks, fence and lawn, all in fully improved subdivision.

$50 Cash, Balance $25 Monthly.

5 rooms, bath and screen porch. 247 E. 84th place. Price $2750.

$50 Cash, $25 Monthly.

5 rooms, bath, hall, screen porch. 228 E. 84th place. Price $2800.

For 84th place, take Homeward car on Spring st., to Manchester, and walk one block east.

$100 Cash, $27.50 Monthly.

5 rooms, bath, hall and screen porch. 1807 Milford st., Glendale. Price $3200.

$100 Cash, $25 Monthly.

6 rooms, bath, hall, screen porch. 1565 Milford st., Glendale. Price $3500.

Take Pacific Electric Glendale car, get off at First st., Glendale, walk west to Columbus and half block east.

$200 Cash, $30 Monthly.

5 rooms and breakfast nook, screen porch. 4178 Hobart blvd. Price $3500.

$200 Cash, $30 Monthly.

7 rooms, including breakfast-room. 4223 Denker ave. Price $3850.

$250 Cash, $32.50 Monthly.

7 rooms, including breakfast-room and sleeping porch. 4204 Hobart blvd. Price $4000.

$300 Cash, $35 Monthly.

1½-story chalet, 6 rooms, basement, furnace. 4222 Harvard blvd. Price $4500.

$300 Cash, $35 Monthly.

7-room, 1½-story chalet. 4223 Harvard blvd. Price $4500.

For Hobart, Harvard and Denker ave. houses, take University car marked Dalton, get off at 43d place, and walk two blocks west.

Telephone Main 5961 or 10633, or call and auto will take you out at any time that is convenient.

SOL DAVIS, 212 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE— REDUCTION SALE

GENUINE BARGAIN.

The owner of the following described property will sell this beautiful home at $1000 less than it can be duplicated for. $7000 is a low price for this beautiful bungalow, but for a quick sale $6500 will buy it on terms. This is a ten-room bungalow on a large lot, 81x172 to alley. Front, two blocks from car, paved street, sewer, gas, city water and lawn all in. A brand new house. Oak floors throughout, large cement porch, large living room, large den with private entrance, fine tile mantel and fireplace, electrical fixtures have hand-painted shades designed for this house, large dining room, double plate rail, beveled plate glass buffet, large cabinet kitchen with all modern conveniences such as hood for range, woodstone drain board, built-in ironing and meat board, large screen porch, two laundry trays. Two bathrooms, large dressing room with dressers, wardrobe lavatory in each dressing room, large sleeping porch and bathroom with tile of fixtures, large basement all cemented and piped for furnace. All rooms elegantly papered and decorated. Large garage with cement floor and driveway. The owner of this beautiful house is going to give someone who is looking for a nice home a bargain. It is going to sell this week. Call me up at once. Automobile at your service. Make appointment by phoning owner, 4062 or WEST 1512.

FOR SALE—

ROBERT MARSH & CO., ANNOUNCE THE FOLLOWING BARGAINS:

7-ROOM HOUSE, NORTH VERRANO ..... $4500 (Worth $5000.)

8-ROOM HOUSE ON HOBART BLVD., ... $6500 (Worth $8000.)

9-ROOM HOUSE ON MANHATTAN PLACE, $6000 (Cost $8200.)

8-ROOM HOUSE ON N. ST. ANDREWS PL., $7000 (New—Cost $7500.)

8-ROOM HOUSE ON S. ST. ANDREWS PL., $6000 (Worth $8000.)

DO DO NOT THINK THAT THESE ARE ORDINARY BARGAINS, THEY ARE SACRIFICES MADE FOR QUICK SALES. THEY ARE OPPORTUNITIES FOR THOSE WHO REALIZE THAT REAL BARGAINS ARE QUICKLY SNAPPED UP. IF YOU ARE IN THE MARKET FOR A HOME OF QUICK RESPONSE ON YOUR PART, THIS AD WILL AFFORD YOU A CHOICE IN THE ABOVE, AND IF FOR ANY REASON PRICE, SIZE OF HOUSE, OR LOCATION DON'T SUIT YOU, WE HAVE HUNDREDS OF LISTINGS NORTH, SOUTH, EAST AND WEST, THAT ARE AT YOUR DISPOSAL.

SEE MR. JOHNSON, HOUSE AND LOT DEPT., ROBERT MARSH & CO., 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG., NINTH, SPRING & MAIN STS., PHONES: 10175, MAIN 8045.

FOR SALE—

BEAUTIFUL LITTLE HOME.

—$1600—

Artistic 4-room bungalow with bath, electric lights, etc., on lot 50x142 ft. 20 minutes from Broadway. 5c yellow car line, 500 ft. above sea level, near school, churches, and stores. This house is brand new and has a first-class modern bathroom, $75 down and $17.50 per month, including interest. Call for Mr. Dietrich.

JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY, 611-613 South Hill street.

Home 10645. Phones Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—

WILSHIRE DISTRICT.

PRICE REDUCED FROM $6500 TO $6200 FOR QUICK SALE. BUILT BY OWNER ONE YEAR AGO FOR HIS OWN HOME. IDEAL LOCATION.

ONLY 1 BLOCK FROM WILSHIRE BLVD.

Two-story house having center hall, living room (finished in mahogany) dining room, breakfast room, kitchen and screened porch on first floor; 4 large bedrooms and 2 sleeping porches on second floor. Every modern appointment. Hardwood floors throughout. Lot (60x140), with garage. Great variety of flowers, etc.

Not only a bargain, but a sacrifice.

S. M. COOPER, 802 Story Bldg., Sixth and Broadway. Telephones: Broadway 379; A2783.

FOR SALE—

A REAL BARGAIN.

$1500.

I have just completed this beautiful bungalow. Has 4 nice rooms, toilet, large porch, pretty electric fixture, etc., in fine restricted district; all improvements. Graded and oiled streets, cement walks and curbs

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—

REED-WILLIAMS CORPORATION,
($100,000 Paid Up Capital)
WILSHIRE——HOLLYWOOD
FINE RESIDENCES AND BUNGALOWS
$15,250

Palatial WILSHIRE mansion of eight rooms, sleeping porch, one block from the ocean boulevard; describing the interior with its splendidly appointed living-room, 12x30 feet, with beamed ceiling, dull-rubbed, mahogany finish; stairs to delightful floor in Spanish mood. The walls are exceedingly fine in tile all over; reception hallways, servants' quarters, 2 baths, shower and a two-story garage. Below the Shaker.

$8250

HOLLYWOOD—This fine old English type is on high ground in the most exclusive part of Hollywood; has 6 rooms, living-room 20x30, dining-room, kitchen and garage. The lot is large, 60x200, and is covered with a lawn and flowers. A cozier home in every way was never in the market.

$8250

This old Colonial bungalow is on a fine wide street, and all rooms are used in the off-set; has 6 rooms, sleeping porch and the Complete finish; there are three bedrooms, a beautiful dining-room and living-room with a grate of California tile; bungalow is very complete, desirable and easily managed.

"EVERY DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT—WILSHIRE AND HOLLYWOOD—THAT IS FOR-SALE PLACED."

C. S. GALLOWAY,
Manager House and Lot Dept.
REED-WILLIAMS CORPORATION,
Suite 1026-1036 Main Bldg., Fourth and Hill Sts.
Home 61146. Main 2009.

FOR SALE—

Los Angeles, 1920—1,000,000.

W. M. GARLAND & CO.,

AT A SACRIFICE—This beautiful, modern, 2-story home, with every possible convenience, in Hollywood's finest district; high location, overlooking the city; 8 rooms and sleeping porch; price under $12,000. A most desirable home, owner leaving city.

A splendid, eighty residence lot, 60x140, on the incomparable Washington-West Adams plateau; near West Adams and Jefferson cars; price $3,000; terms. Must leave city; will sacrifice. Address owner, 1619 E. 22nd, Phone Ardmore 1415.

RESIDENCE PROPERTY DEPT.,
226 VAN NUYS BLDG.

FOR SALE—
BUILT BY THE OWNER.

But for the sale purpose of being in keeping with his own $10,000 home, the owner has built this cozy bungalow for a residence. The house is located in the heart of the most beautiful section of the city, facing the park and commanding a view of the entire surrounding city and mountains by day and night. Contains 5 rooms and bath, with all the modern conveniences, including built-in features, fine mantel, beamed ceilings, hardwood floors throughout, piped for furnace, basement, garage, etc. Lot 50x142, with 5-foot walks and 10-foot parking. Grand avenue car marked Moss direct, or by auto to Hanson avenue to Moss, then north one block to the OWNER. He will sell it for less than it cost.

$4400 NINTH AVENUE. Phone Home 72014.

FOR SALE—

WILSHIRE DISTRICT.

OWNER WILL TAKE DESIRABLE

VACANT LOT OR BUNGALOW UP TO

$2000, BALANCE AS RENT, for

nearly new 5-room, $7500 stucco bungalow, all built-in features throughout, hardwood floors, fine mantels, beautiful tile fireplace, sleeping porch, large basement, laundry trays, etc. Lot 50x150. Price $7500. Terms, $1000 CASH, BAL-

WILSHIRE DISTRICT.

$1000 CASH, BAL-

TERMS.

bungalow of 7 rooms, All Hardwood floors, Lot 50x150. Price $4500. Terms to suit purchaser. Close in, on car line, and near the $400,000 Wilshire Hotel building. A

tion and other

OWNER NEEDS CASH.

Wilshire district at 426 South Virgil avenue, for two machines, by car labor. Situated in the best of workmanship. Your practical business. Owner will take small house and large sleeping

5-room bungalow. Price $2750. It is just what you want. Lot 50x142. Has a fine lawn in the Mexican hardwood Juana fruit trees, flowers, etc. Terms $1000 cash, balance $25 per month.

Price now, $18,500 cash.
Phone for appointment. See
HUMAN INVESTMENT COMPANY,
911 Trust and Savings Bldg.

A4370.

WE MAKE THE STEP EASY.

$2400.

5-room modern bungalow. This is a beauty, divisible in the built-in effects, has hardwood floors throughout, fine mantel, white enamel finish throughout, full cement basement with laundry trays, set tubs, etc. Lot 50x142 feet, with cement walks and drive-way. That's WHY I can sell this for $2400 cash, balance $25 per month, including interest.

FOR SALE—BUILD YOUR HOME IN
"MAHERY HEIGHTS."

The subdivision of Los Angeles' prize residence district, the Hollywood Hills. Lots are priced at $500 and upward, and are sold on easy terms. Only 20 minutes from the heart of the city. Take Hollywood car to Mahery avenue, walk one block south to the property. Let's WHY I can sell these lots so cheap and on such easy terms. Because I have subdivided a large tract of 50-foot lots, and am selling them in small lots, so that I can sell them cheaper. Lots are large, 50x142 feet, with cement walks and parking. Only $10 cash, balance $10 per month, including interest. Price $500. Size 50x142 feet. Title perfect. Deed and abstract furnished. Don't delay. Phone or call at once.

R. T. ALEXANDER,
Owner and Developer.
Office on the property, Mahery avenue, Hollywood Hills.
Phone 10175; Main 8045.

FOR SALE—

$2400 CASH GETS THIS

BEAUTIFUL FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW

It is perfect, built-in features throughout, all the conveniences, built-in buffet, china cabinet, with leaded glass doors, bookcase with drawers, white enamel electric fixtures, beautiful tile fireplace, with white enamel mantel, hardwood floors throughout, full cement basement, with laundry trays, set tubs, etc., and a fine furnace. Lot 50x142 feet, with cement walks and parking. Only $10 cash, balance $10 per month, including interest. Price $500. Size 50x142 feet. Title perfect. Deed and abstract furnished. Don't delay. Phone or call at once.

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FOR SALE—

THIS CAREFULLY PLANNED
AND GENEROUSLY APPOINTED
KEYSTONE HOME IS SELF-SUPPORTING.

$4800.

$900 CASH BALANCE
$30 MONTH, INCLUDING INTEREST.

Is well located, south front, new and complete with modern conveniences, with goldfish and aquatic plants, set with $500 worth of flowers and shrubbery; 14 varieties of roses, 12 varieties of grapes and five of berries started. Has about 1½ tons fruit this year. Contains garden ready to use. Garage, also chicken-house; 120 pullets. Business takes owner to Los Angeles daily; will sell property priced for quick sale. Take Glendale car to Glendale avenue, walk one block east corner, then take crosstown car to Kenilworth avenue, walk one block south to Rock Glen avenue and walk south to Rock Glen avenue No. 443, OWNER. 1. Phone Glendale 6260.

FOR SALE—DIRECT FROM OWNER, AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY.

Particular people for particular homes. A modern white bungalow, located on Kenmore avenue, between Melrose and Sunset, 5 rooms, all modern, with all built-in features, fine mantel, beamed ceilings, hardwood floors throughout, with cozy den on one front with built-in writing desk and bookcase, beautiful tile, ornamental, built-in gas heater, large fireplace, dining-room has panelled walls, beam ceiling, with built-in buffet and large bay window, light and airy bedrooms, large closets, very convenient, arranged to a fine bath, room in white enamel and has a fine large mirror, etc. Kitchen has all modern conveniences, such as gas heater, woodstone drainboard, white enamel and all in white enamel, screen porch with laundry trays, cement cellar in the basement with steps going to kitchen. All rooms are papered. This place sold originally for $5500, but owner forfeited the first payment of $500 and now you can buy it for the price of $4500, but owner will not last long at this price. This will not last long at this price. This will not last long at this price. This

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CONTRACTORS—And Builders.

WILL DRAW YOUR PLANS AND BUILD, TAKING anything you have as part payment. Phone 11886; MAIN 6249.

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ANGELUS DRAUGHTING CO., STRICTLY HIGH-grade drawings; apartment, flats, bungalows; free estimates. THOS. PRESTON, Architect, suite 821 Higgins Bldg.

"PLAN-BOOK" OF FLATS AND APARTMENT-houses, 25c. WESTON, 207 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE — SICKNESS CAUSE OF SLAUGHTER. $600 for acre on high ground, southwest, worth $1500; half block to car, 25 minutes from Sala and Main. Phones: Sdwy. 4566. WATKINS & NELSON ABOUT. 402 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE—ON MT. WASHINGTON—

One of the finest east front level lots in the city, owner compelled to sacrifice and will sell for one-half the price of adjacent lots, superb view of city, ocean, valley and snow-capped mountains. Terms. 70x150 feet to alley. Near the hotel.

HORACE F. SMITH, 225 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—

Southwest lots, between Vermont and Hoover, only $745. Also some near Main st. Only $140 cash and $7.50 per month. Nothing to interest. Build a temporary house on the tract and save rent; cited road, curbing, sidewalks, gas, water and electricity there and paid for. These are close in.

THE McCARTH COMPANY,
Main 8172. 609 S. Hill st. 00409.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER. LARGE LOT FULLY improved. Well situated in nice neighborhood, close to three car lines, two grammar schools and high school near. Purchaser of big profits on growing value. Price $800. Easy monthly terms or $700 cash discount. Address M, box 236, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LOT ON RESERVOIR ST., JUST OFF Ellendale, boulevard, and rich street slopes from Olivedale, 50x150. Price $1250. Ten minutes from Fourth and Hill cars. Investigate.

MABERY & VAN WINKLE,
680 Ferguson Bldg. Sdwy 2992.

FOR SALE—THE HYPERION TRACT IS ONLY 14 minutes from Fourth and Hill sts., cut on Glendale boulevard, completion of the best and cheapest bungalow lots. Price $650. Pay $25 down and $10 monthly or get liberal discount for all cash. ALLEN & CULVER, 323 West Second st.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, FOR CASH, ONE OF the most beautiful lots in the Wilshire district. High and sightly, one block south of Windsor square, look the northwest corner Lucerne and Riverside; look the southeast corner Lucerne or Gonsalves blvd. and 8th. Get their prices, then get mine. J. WILL SLACKMAN, 607 East Third.

FOR SALE—CASH TALES, LOT IN HIGH-CLASS residential district, high and sightly, 60 FEET HIGHER THAN WILSHIRE BLVD. $500 BELOW PRICE ASKED FOR NEIGHBORING LOT. CALL OWNER, HOME PHONE 72619.

FOR SALE—OWNER WILL SELL $800 LOT FOR $540 provided party will build on home. Best improved section southwest where values are rising. Extra good car service. This is a snap for party wishing home in the locality. Address or call owner, 340 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—FINE LOT, RETURNING EAST WILL sacrifice three lots in high-class residence subdivision. One or all. Address owner, APT. 22, Rampart Apartments.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE BLVD. DISTRICT.
ON WEST 97TH ST. 58x183. ONLY $1065.
Positively the cheapest lot in the entire Wilshire district. Other lots held at $2200. Quick action necessary. See Mr. HALEY at once.
ABBOTT-KINNEY CO., 600 Trust & Sav. Bldg. Main 8193.

FOR SALE—IN THE WILSHIRE DISTRICT, BE-tween Western and Normandie, between 5th and 9th, elevated east-front lot, 50x142, $1250 cash. Street sewered. Takes only $1350 for 60 days. OWNER, 704 S. Bristol Way. F2752. Main 8732.

FOR SALE—GOOD CLEAR LOT, VALUE $1250, corner Slauson and Long Beach avenue, sixteen minutes fast. Ask east cars. Sell cheap for cash. Inglewood 'phone 1, ring 4. Stephen Keogh Co. Address N, box 154, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—ON BRIGHTON AVE., NEAR SANTA Barbara ave., beautiful east front lot, 40x140, make offer and will sell for $700; this is a snap; absolute assertion. See it. LOGAN & WAGNER, 220 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—I HAVE A $50,000 cash equity in a downtown lot, at market value. Mortgage bears 5 per cent. Due in 7 years. Must exchange city or country property. What have you. F 2230, MAIN 3756.

FOR SALE—EQUITY OF $1000 IN LOT WITH 2 houses on corner of Riley; rented for $18 per month; also business lot at Long Beach Harbor; will sacrifice for quick sale. Phone: 203177, VER-MONT 1280.

FOR SALE — HOLLYWOOD PARK. IN THE beautiful foothills $450 up. Terms as light as $5 cash, $5 monthly pays for it. Take Van Nuys car to Hollywood Park station. Agents there on building. PAYTON & LONGLEY CO., 230 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS LOT, 50x135, JEFFERSON st., ready for stores and apartments above; adjoins two-story brick building. S.E. corner Jefferson and Normandie, $62 per foot, worth $75. Owner, HOME 74523.

FOR SALE—

One lot, 60x150 feet, on Oxford avenue, near Sixth, high, sandy level. Must sell; owner out of city. Box 428, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BARGAINS—

Have several lots at bargain prices near new Normal school by high school. This is most active district in the city. Now is your chance for low prices. C. E. CRARY & SONS, 401 Title Ins. Bldg. 18900.

FOR SALE—FINE LOT, SOUTHWEST, ALL STREET work in, bargain, cash or installments, $900. CLYDE E. CATE, owner, 410 Grosse Bldg. F3120. Main 3440.

FOR SALE—

Fine bargain on 32nd st. near La Salle, $300 under the market. See quick, it will not last.

ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
607 Trust & Sav. Bldg. Main 8293.

FOR SALE—LOT BARGAIN FOR CASH. TWO lots near Washington blvd., just west of Lafayette Square, $900 each. Lot on 42nd, in New Vermont Square, $900. Lot on Wilton, close to 48th st. car, $1100. Main 6274.

FOR SALE—

Bargain in lot on Crenshaw blvd., $500 under value. Cash counts. HADLOCK, JR., 325 Story Bldg. Main 8274.

FOR SALE—$850, HOW WOULD A LOT 50x150 on car line, near new Normal school with street graded, pole up, $40 cash, $15 per month. OWNER, Wilshire 2157.

FOR SALE—FINE LOT, WASHINGTON, NEAR 6TH avenue, 50x300 to alley. OWNER, WM. DELLA-MORE, 1118 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE—TELEPHONES MAIN 4928, 60191. Wilshire district bargain. fine east-front lot, snap for cash. $1050.

K. LUNDEEN COMPANY,
Suite 200 to 204 Central Bldg., 6th and Main.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—13 LARGE LOTS AT Culver City, 2 blocks from Venice Short Line. Worth $750 each. Clear. Want residence in city or Pasadena. F7028. REED, 212 Hollingsworth Bldg. Main 6021.

FOR SALE—

Two level lots, $300 under price of adjoining property, near Western and Melrose, $950 cash. C. E. CRARY & SONS, 401 Title Ins. Bldg. 18900.

FOR SALE—$3650, ARAPAHOE ST., FIFTH LOT south of 42nd, east front, 50x132½ ft. No restrictions. OWNER, 500 West 67th place. Phone 28567.

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST LOT IN NORTHWEST. Only $425 for a few days. 50x150. Near new Normal school. FULCHER, room 710, 605 S. Hill. F1756.

FOR SALE—MAIN ST. SNAP, $80 LESS PER FOOT than property sold for in same block before Hoyt was widened. Lot 50x140, west side between 28th and 29th streets. Price $15,000 cash, not to owner. 215 RAY BLDG. Phone A1415.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN LOT. MUST SELL. Fine lot. Mortgage $6500. Main 8, Offer. For particulars address L. O. TRUMP, 5150 Wilton place.

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN NEAR SUNSET BOULEVARD. Lot 50x120, good view, only $850. A bargain. Also 2 apartment lot, 50x125 to alley. $1000. Address O, box 220, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—WILL SELL FOR $250 EQUITY OF $520 in corner and inside lot on Venice Short Line, near Culver City. Address J, box 456, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—N.W. CORNER NORMANDIE AND Temple, corner $4500, two adjoining lots, $1000 each. Must be sold. Make an offer. W. VEDMER, owner, 312 N. Serrano ave. Phones 58016 and Hollywood 429.

FOR SALE—SPECULATORS! DO YOU SEE THIS? Last that cost $375 for $85 Red Boney, Monday. A. R. EDWARD REALTY CO., 400 Conn. Realty Bldg., 6th and Hill.

FOR SALE—

WILSHIRE BARGAIN.

Lot on Norton avenue, 50x150, overlooking Windsor square. Price $1250, terms. Phone evenings, 51561.

FOR SALE—$1625—FINE EAST FRONT LOT ON Woodlawn avenue, just north of Vernon; fine for apartment, buildings or flats. BENNER, 305 Union Oil Bldg. A8540. Main 8099.

FOR SALE—$650, QUARTER ACRE, 20 MINUTES west of Broadway, north of Bimini, low ground. Make good chicken ranch, or truck garden. Must sell cash only. OWNER 1401 OAK ST.

FOR SALE—$1050, VERMONT AVE. BARGAIN. Worth double, near the new Normal School. Phone MAIN 6937; F3147.

FOR SALE—$600, $1250 AND $1700 LOTS AMONG $5000 $10,000 and $20,000 homes. "MABERY HEIGHTS" 13 minutes away.

FOR SALE — LOT NEAR LOS ANGELES STREET, worth it, cash $475; southwest opportunity of life. D. W. BARNES, 302 South Catalina ave., Pasadena.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—LOT ON MESA drive car line; will exchange for auto. Address K, box 469, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$1500 CASH BUYS CHOICE WEST side building lot, 50x140, near Washington Blvd. High ground. Real bargain. OWNER, West 5142.

FOR SALE—$1000 LOT FOR $700. WEST SIDE, 5c car fare, $1200 restrictions. Snap. Address K, box 407, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—AT HARGAIN, LOTS, HOBART AND Harvard Blvds., Monrovia and Pasadena ave., $500 to $5000. If you are looking for bargains, see me. ERNEST E. WOOLNER CO., 220 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—2 CORNER LOTS, 50x145, ONE OR both, $400 each, terms; 2 blocks from car, Pasadena. Owner, 623 W. 41ST DRIVE, L. A.

FOR SALE—EQUITY ANGELES MESA LOT, 125TH ave., equity to consider exchange. Address N, box 85, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—FINE LEVEL LOT ON ALVARADO ST., 50x150, only $1250; worth $2000, 1928 SUNSET BLVD.

FOR SALE—THIRTEEN (13) MINUTES FROM THE business center by THREE (3) fine car lines and nearly every one—"MABERY HEIGHTS."

FOR SALE—City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN LOTS.

FREMONT NEAR SIXTH ST., ONE BLOCK FROM FIGUEROA ST., 60x185, HOTEL SITE, $30,000.

SEVENTH ST. CORNER, NEAR VERMONT, ON PAVED STREET, 145x115, ALLEY, $12,000.

WILSHIRE BLVD FRONTAGE, 100x145, BETWEEN TWO FINE HOUSES, AT ARDMORE AVE., $12,000.

CATALINA, EAST FRONT, ON PAVED STREET, ONE BLOCK FROM BOULEVARD, 80x145, $7500.

BURK PLACE, EAST FRONT, THE HIGHEST LOT IN WILSHIRE DISTRICT, NEAR WILSHIRE BLVD., 100x150, $6000.

MARIPOSA, EAST FRONT, ONE BLOCK NORTH OF WILSHIRE BLVD., 75x150, $4500.

MANHATTAN PLACE, EAST FRONT, ONE BLOCK NORTH OF WILSHIRE, 60x 150, $4250.

WOLO ST., EAST FRONT, ONE-HALF BLOCK FROM BOULEVARD, 50x135, $8250.

NORTON AVE., NEAR FIFTH ST., 50x 135, $1150.

DON'T FORGET THESE ARE JUST A Few Of Our MANY BARGAINS. FOR LOTS BE SURE AND SEE US.

GILES & KELLS,
Wright-Callender-Andrews Co.,
408 S. Hill st. Main 8040.

FOR SALE—

UNLESS THESE WERE EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS, WE WOULD NOT TRY TO INTEREST YOU.

THEY ARE SURE AND BIG MONEY MAKERS.

ASK THE BRIGGS COMPANY.

UNRESTRICTED SNAP.
$1650.

Near Adams, 50x148 to alley, on 80-foot street, southwest, great for flats or double bungalow.

WESTMORELAND BLVD.
Only $2950.

Think! Close to Washington, among handsome homes, 50x150 feet on asphalt paved street. Fine water lighting system. Nothing like it under $4000. You need put $950 cash.

HIGH WILSHIRE LOT.
$5600.

East front, driveway, second block north from Wilshire. Very high elevation, 60x140 feet. Next cheapest is $4500.

CLOSE-IN—UNRESTRICTED.
$4100.

High, choice; 60x155 feet near 7th and Vermont; 2000 feet from park. Splendid car service. Sure to bring $6000 in another 12 months. Part cash.

NORMANDIE HILL.
$5400, $6000, $7500.

Not another like it in the city, adjoins $30,000 home. Elevation and view unsurpassed. Near car. Talk about your Wilshire snaps. Sounds ridiculously cheap, but we'll guarantee delivery.

BRIGGS & RAYMOND,
MORE STORE & LOT DEPARTMENT,
Suite 1516 Investment Bldg. Main 837.
99155.

FOR SALE—

NOTICE!
WE NEVER ADVERTISE
UNLESS WE HAVE
AN ABSOLUTE BARGAIN.
QUR WILSHIRE BLVD. BARGAIN.

100x150.

$15,000.

Frontage on Wilshire boulevard, the Fifth ave. of Los Angeles, is increasing in value every day. Lots today are worth twice what you could have bought them for a year ago. Make your choice now you will not be able to buy this high, sightly corner at double the price today. This is your opportunity to buy a real BARGAIN. Terms can be arranged at once, so if you are looking for the best investment in Los Angeles, don't fail to see this. Will take part cash, balance easy.

Exclusive Agents,
WEBER & REED,
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
402-10 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG.
MAIN 6760. SIXTH & HILL 978. 10777.

FOR SALE—

LARGE LOTS.
$400 AND UP.
$10 CASH, $5 MONTH.

Buys one of these dandy lots, with cement walks and curbs, gas and electricity, rear yellow car line. Build yourself a small home, and stop paying rent.

Twenty minutes' ride from First and Broadway.

See or phone
C. H. PIPER,
Cor. Brooklyn ave. and Rowan st.
E. First car.
Home Phone 61862.

FOR SALE—

FEW LOTS BELOW MARKET VALUE.
$750—40x120; Holmes ave., east front.
$750—40x120; Mariposa ave., east front.
$1500—60x120; Mariposa ave., near First.
$2000—60x120; Kenwood, near 25th.
$2000—50x140; St. Andrews, corner, near Wilton Heights car.
$2000—60x120; Western near Temple.
$2500—120x150; Figueroa north of Florence; east front.
$2650—50-foot corner, overlooking Windsor sq.
$3000—41x128 to alley; corner of 9th and Normandie; 128 feet 6th street frontage available.
$4000—Large corner, Alvarado and Wilshire.
$6000—80x140, west of Vermont, one-half block from Wilshire. High ground. Might consider taking second trust deed in payment.

GEO. A. CORTELYOU CO., 634-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—

TWO BEAUTIFUL LOTS.
$600. $700.

I have two fine lots, one $600 and one $700, in the midst of 70 pretty bungalow homes. Every improvement in—water, electricity, sidewalks, telephones, etc. Close to grammar and high school; 5 minutes from electric car and 20 minutes from Broadway. They won't last long. See MR. PETERSON, 611 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—BIG 54-FOOT LOT ON HIGH GROUND, overlooking the city and Silver Lake Park system; best street work in and paid for; gas, electricity, water, phones, etc. Surrounded by magnificent homes costing up to $25,000, though restrictions permit $20000 bungalows on this lot. This BIG HOME SITE OVERLOOKS little 40-foot lots, near by, that are selling for from $1200 to $1700. It's a WONDERFUL BARGAIN. Price, if you want a little flat lot without view, this will not suit you. Take any Hollywood car to ELSA ave., any afternoon. 600 FERGUSON BLDG., week days.

FOR SALE—

WHY NOT BUILD?
Select Your Lot Anywhere.
We will buy a lot for you, if favorable, and build you a thoroughly modern bungalow to suit your plans complete. Small payment down, balance like rent. Plans free. Or, if you have a lot, we will loan money to you on the finest bungalow building for you. Come to see me.

J. C. KIRKLEY, 628 Union Oil Bldg. A1667.

FOR SALE—

BIG CORNER BARGAIN.

$4500 buys a fine large corner near Wilshire and Kingsley drive, beautiful and well-built up neighborhood. Close to the sea.

HILDESHEIM & SCHILLER,
625 Van Nuys Bldg. F6426. Main 8025.

FOR SALE—

South Park ave., corner 80th st., $650.
Or inside lot, 44x186, $450.
Also 51st place, near Normandie, $1050.
Terms, $200 cash, balance $10 monthly, on any.

D. F. McGARRY, 531 Higgins Bldg.

FOR SALE—

AT A BIG SACRIFICE, 8 TO 10 FINE LOTS LOCATED AT WEST ADAMS STREET NEAR 8TH AVE., FORMERLY SOLD FOR $2500 AND $3000. NOW I CAN DELIVER AT $1500, EASY TERMS. ADDRESS K, BOX 350, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OWNER WILL SELL OR EXCHANGE corner lot, Wilshire-Westlake district, excellent for hotel or apartment-house. Some cash, balance income property, bargain for immediate sale. PHONE 53401.

FOR SALE—AT A BIG SACRIFICE, 73x178 FT. TO 12 ALLEY, LOCATED ON WEST ADAMS ST., NEAR EIGHTH AVE. CHEAPEST LOT ON WEST ADAMS. HIGH GROUND. $7000. SEE CHARLEBOIS, 610 TITLE INSUR. BLDG. A5062.

FOR SALE—IDEAS HOW TO MAKE THAT VA-cant lot worth something to you. Let me solve your housing problem. Five plans, if I build for you. Income terms a specialty. CHAS. M. MOFFET, Master Builder, 909-10-11 San Fernando Bldg. Sdwy. 2042.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE, $1600 LOT FOR $800; $200 cash, balance easy; South Park ave. near 61st car. Lot 50x147. Main 8, Offer. $1200 terms. WILLIAMS, owner, 308 Grant Bldg. A2282.

FOR SALE—

$1900, BARGAIN.

Lot 50x145 to alley, on 84th ave., one block north of W. Adams st., $1900, part cash. Address J, box 404, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—WILL SACRIFICE LOT 60TH AND Figueroa for cash. Owner, 540 S. GRAND AVE., room 21.

FOR SALE—LEAVING TOWN, MUST SELL LOT 50x150 FT. FINE LOCATION. TREES, WATER, FENCED. $25 E. ADAMS. CALL, OR PHONE F2917.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, ONE OF THE CHOICEST building lots in beautiful Angeles Mesa. Quick sale, very cheap. Terms or cash. Phone GARVANZA 4113.

FOR SALE—LOT ON MANHATTAN, NEAR 9TH. 60-foot frontage only $2200; also 50 business corner on Mission ave., near Main, $1850. Both cheap. 60389; BROADWAY 392.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—IN FAITH RAPID DEVELOPMENT, Unrestricted lot 60x175) on Santa Monica Blvd. Junction 3 car lines. Bank loan $800. Make offer. Owner needs money. Might take some exchange.

NIEUWENDERK & CLARKE, Inc.,
602 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS, 18 AND 19, OXFORD Square, Pico Heights; high ground; beautiful view; bargain if taken soon; terms. R. H. CARLETON, San Gabriel R.F.D., No. 1, box 678.

FOR SALE—A REGAL SQUARE LOT IS BOUND TO make you money. For reason: In the quickest, shortest way to the car, between 2nd on Washington and 3rd on Pico boulevards. On the Venice Short Line and in path of the subway. Restricted to good homes and priced low. Over half sold in few weeks to people who know. If interested I have my auto ready to show you without any obligation on your part to buy.

ROBERT McGARVIN,
215 Hollingsworth Bldg.
F7068. Main 2418.

FOR SALE—DON'T OVERLOOK THIS FACT! The Silver Lake Park System and Boulevard will soon be a CERTAINTY. While we boost "MABERY HEIGHTS" only as a HOME PLACE for the BEST PEOPLE, as a matter of fact, this Silver Lake Park boulevard frontage will soon be very valuable. Some of the finest boulevard and park frontage is in "MABERY HEIGHTS," and TODAY'S PRICES are VERY LOW. NOW IS THE TIME TO INVEST. Hollywood car—any afternoon, and get off at ELSA ave.

FOR SALE—DON'T YOU WANT TO GET AWAY from the lowlands, with their heavy soil and damp, foggy weather? Let me show you the healthiest spot around here. Light, loamy soil, twice as high as Broadway, surrounded by hills, yet level, in the midst of an abundance of flowers, shrubs and trees; one hour to car; cut by car; commuters' 30 minutes out. Prices $675 to $950, easy terms, or discount for cash. W. H. YOUNG CO., owners, 836 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A8090. Main 317.

FOR SALE—TWO FINE LOTS, NORTHWEST COR-ner Eighth and Crenshaw; 103x155; bargain for quick sale.

Also one lot on Leeward ave., near Wilton, 53x150, cheap.

Terms if desired on either one.
Inquire 213 CENTRAL AVE.,
Main 4282. A3741.

FOR SALE—

NEW SUBDIVISION.
GRIFFITH PARK FOOTHILL SCENIC VILLA PLACE
Bounded on the south by Los Feliz ave.; east, Commonwealth; north, Griffith Park, 50 and 60-foot lots. $1350 to $2250. Villa sites, one to two acres, $2,000 to $10,000. 10 per cent discount. 5 per cent additional for building, first 2 years only. Regular commission to agents.

JOHN W. ALLEN & CO., 540 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE—

CHEAPEST LOTS
IN LOS ANGELES FOR LOCATION.
$1250—Located in proximity to NEW STATE NORMAL GROUP OF MAGNIFICENT BUILDINGS. 57-foot fronts. All improvements. Adjoining lots held at $1900 to $2100. High-class residential restrictions. Easy terms. We will arrange to finance any building on these lots.

J. H. HOLLYWOOD,
Suite 628 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY—

A beautiful home site, magnificent view of ocean and mountains; conveniently accessible to beach and business center of Los Angeles. Pleasant surroundings; every natural advantage; city conveniences; at one-half actual value.

For full particulars address owner, J, box 495, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BEST FLAT PROPOSITION IN THE city. Lot facing two good streets, plenty of room for two flat buildings; in good residence district; will sell for $2000, half cash. See Owner, 403 DOUGLAS BLDG. Phone A1075.

FOR SALE—NEAR WASHINGTON AND FIGUEROA, lot 100x169½, terms. Call MAIN 5852; A4852.

FOR SALE—ASK CHILDS ABOUT THAT LARGE lot, close in, small payment down, the rest as you like it. 4219 PASADENA AVE. 51473. East 684.

FOR SALE—FINEST CORNER ON NORMANDIE for apartment. If you build it I will take mortgage in it for the lot. P. OSTERGARD, Palms, California.

FOR SALE—LOT, $1650, AT WILMINGTON, ON Wilmington st., with double frontage, others selling $1200, only $250 down, $10 month. Address 4418 S. VERMONT. Phone Vermont 3524.

FOR SALE—City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—WITH $25 DOWN AND $10 MONTHLY you can own a top 50 ft. lot, but 20 minutes from the business heart of the city. All street improvements included and taxes paid up to July 1, 1914.

See ROBERT McGARVIN,
F7068. 215 Hollingsworth Bldg.
Main 2418.

FOR SALE—

Looking for a site for a home? I believe I can show you one of the prettiest spots in California. Only 20 minutes' ride on the most beautiful scenic line out of the city, surrounded by mountains, yet level as a floor; one block to car line; every city convenience, with none of its noise, fog and dirt; reasonably restricted. Prices $675 to $950, on easy terms, or discount for cash. W. H. YOUNG, owner, 836 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A8090. Main 317.

FOR SALE—

LARGE LOT AT BEACHWOOD
HOLLYWOOD FOOTHILLS
above the fogs and frost. Ideal homesite.
$500 UP.
Easy terms. Take Franklin ave. car to Beachwood Drive Tract Office.

ALBERT H. BEACH,
1025 Marsh-Strong Bldg.
Phones—Home F5005, Main 8172.

FOR SALE—OWNER IS RETURNING EAST; MUST have money; will sell for $1000 under value a 50-foot front lot on Bonnie Brae, near 12th; this lot is suitable for a high-class apartment-house, and adjoining property is selling for $2500 a lot; must act quickly and will sell for $1500 if taken at once. Terms. This is a decided bargain. Call Dept. "D," L. D. LOOMIS COMPANY, 840 S. Hill street.

FOR SALE—

NEAR 6TH ST. CAR LINE AND SUNSET PARK.
HIGH CLASS—UNRESTRICTED LOT.
ONLY $2500. SEE THIS QUICK.

Sales have actually been made in this city, unrestricted lots at this price that never will bring such rents as this will now. If interested in unrestricted lots see this snap Monday.

A. H. BARRY, with DAVID RAMEY & CO.,
60250. 1216-20 Hibernian Bldg. Sdwy. 909.

FOR SALE—50-FOOT LOT, HIGHLY IMPROVED, several miles this side of Hollywood, but with a view of ALL that beautiful little city and its foothill villa homes. Gas, electricity, water, phones, in now. Surrounded by fine homes, right across the street from one costing $25,000. Moderate restrictions on this. A more magnificent view could not be had were the price of lot $1000, but it's only $1250, on terms to suit the right purchaser. This wonderful VIEW LOT is, of course, in "MABERY HEIGHTS."

FOR SALE—I HAVE TWO LOTS BOUGHT AT $600 each. Not enough money to build on them now. Prices have advanced since purchase, but will surrender my equity, either one, for a small amount in cash. What will you give? This is a chance for somebody to get a fine lot cheap in the most southwest location among handsome homes and fully improved. Address for particulars, M, box 209, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—

$675—Close-in lot, southeast, near Grand ave. car line. 100 ft. from old Vermont Square tract. Terms, $25 cash, balance $10 monthly, including interest. Improvements all in and paid for. Perfect title to lot.

See or phone MR. DAVIS,
Main 8172. 609 S. Hill st. 00409.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
UNRESTRICTED
just ripe for a flat or apartment; one block from two car lines; nothing better in the city.

CLARKEY PLACE,
CORNER LOT, 54 FT.
DOUBLE. CLEAR.
THIS LOT IS A SNAP AT ONLY $1700.
DO YOU WANT A BARGAIN?
A BRAUN, Third and Western ave.

FOR SALE—

CUT THIS OUT!

The office at "MABERY HEIGHTS" is OPEN EVERY AFTERNOON, INCLUDING SUNDAY. Take Hollywood, Colegrove, Franklin ave., or any other car going out Sunset blvd., at or north of Hill st. station and get off at ELSA AVE.

FOR SALE—$1300 CASH WILL BUY A $2500 LOT, one of the prettiest and most desirable on the west side; a genuine bargain for immediate sale; owner must have money; surrounding lots can't be had short of $2000.

Call Dept. "D," L. D. LOOMIS CO.,
Suite 421, No. 605 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—SNAP—SNAP.

Must be sold Immediately.

Two lots, 44x130, to alley, north and south fronts, located on 71st st., Vermont Square, at Normandie car. Act quickly.

E. SCHULMAN,
Merchants Realty and Investment Co.
806 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE—

Lot on Rozbury street, near Hobart, first street south of Pico, $300 improvements, $2250.

Lot on Rozbury, near Western, five-room cottage, $4500.

Lot on Norton avenue, between Eighth and Ninth sts., $2000. Favorable terms. These are snaps. See OWNER, 600-602 Trust Bldg. Corner 2nd and Bdwy. Monday, April 27.

FOR SALE—ONE OR MORE OF SIX CHOICE LOTS in tract fully improved; sidewalks, curbs, gutters, parkings, ornamental shrubs, improved streets and everything in and paid for. Owner offers special price inducements with still further discounts for cash to those ready to build. Will show especially satisfactory via 8 lines. Near high school southwest. $800 to $900. Monthly payments if wanted. Address M, box 191, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—

LOT FOR FLATS.
$1650. WORTH $2000. 60x140.

On New Hampshire close to new State Normal School. Ideal for flats, duplexes or bungalows of investment.

EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY,
Main 9807. 515 Bigelow Bldg. 4th and Hill. 10747.

FOR SALE—CHOICE LOT ON OXFORD STREET, between Washington and Twenty-first, facing east. Size of lot 60x145. The only lot in this beautiful block facing east which is not improved. It will sell this lot cheap for cash, or build a home in a select part of town, phone to me on Monday, MAIN 4628 or 5541. No flats or apartment-houses permitted in this district.

FOR SALE—TO MY BEST KNOWLEDGE AND BE-lief there is not a SINGLE DISSATISFIED owner or resident in "MABERY HEIGHTS." My manager, who has handled subdivisions for years, tells me that this is a condition he has never before met. H. J. MABERY, Owner, 600 Ferguson Bldg., Third and Hill.

FOR SALE—ELEGANT APARTMENT-HOUSE SITE opposite MERINE AUDITORIUM. LOT 50x150. OWNER ABSOLUTELY FORCED TO SELL. WILL TRADE FOR GOOD INCOME. MUST HAVE QUICK ACTION. SEE MR. CANAVAN, ROBERT MARSH & CO., 300 MARSH-STRONG BLDG. MAIN 5045. 10175.

FOR SALE—SNAP AT $1200, EAST FRONT 50-foot lot, on Kenmore avenue, near new State Normal site, and adjoining Westmoreland tract, where lots cost $1000 to $1500. Will trade for all improvements. Good restrictions. Cash or terms. Will build to suit on this lot on advance building. Address J, box 358, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—

THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
609 S. Hill st., have for sale lot near Vermont and Wilshire blvd. for $2800. Street is being paved. Call for MR. CHESEBRO, Wilshire District Salesman. Phone 60409 or Main 8172.

FOR SALE—I'LL TAKE $1000 NET CASH FOR a lot 56.5x140, next to fine 7-room bungalow; every improvement in, not east, and worth easily $1250 of anybody's money. You cannot find a more desirable lot for a home. W. H. YOUNG, owner, 836 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A8090, Main 317.

FOR SALE—FREE RENT. 12 MINUTES OUT Hollywood way near Sunset Blvd. I will sell a fine big double frontage lot 48x184, in an excellent restricted district, permitting you to build two houses—rent one and live in the other. $50 cash, $20 per month will soon pay this price. Only $1250. C. SALLING, 346 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—

$2500 lots, 90 feet higher than Wilshire blvd. These lots will appeal to anyone wishing to build in the Wilshire district.

THE McCARTHY CO.,
Main 8172. 609 South Hill st. 00409.

FOR SALE—

Have a 50-foot lot on Girard st., near Burlington, to sacrifice for $6000. A tax payer on the property.

F4728. YOUNG-CASSOU COMPANY. Main 4421. 911 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE—COME SUNDAY MORNING, INSPECT these lots. Lots 2 blocks away; sell for $1200 to $2200. I sell these for $625 to $1000; $25 down, $7.50 up per month. Take East First car, walked Gage st., to Blanchard, E. block west to 801 HOLLENBECK ST. Phone 71867.

FOR SALE—

$1500—Corner lot for $1250. 52d and Halldale. Truther, $1000. Corner for $1350. Terms.

THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
Main 8172. 609 S. Hill st. 00409.

FOR SALE—

YOU'LL DO IT SOONER OR LATER!

Why not secure that site for your future home in "MABERY HEIGHTS" THIS VERY AFTERNOON? PRICES WILL POSITIVELY BE ADVANCED.

FOR SALE — TWO HIGH LOTS IN ELYSIAN Heights, overlooking city. Owner will sacrifice these lots that cost $2000 for $1250. By building small house and chicken runs, these lots will produce 15 per cent in rents. No agents. ERNEST G. GLOCKNER, 251 S. Bunker Hill. A3815.

FOR SALE—THE STREET WORK IN ALL COM-pleted in Ryndon tract, and there are a lot of pretty homes there, and there are still some fine lots at $650 left. Let us show you the best and cheapest bungalow lots in the city. ALEX CULVER, 323 West Second st.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL LOT, 50 FT. FRONT, West Adams, near Normandie. It will interest you. See us quick.

CUNNINGHAM REALTY CO., (Inc.)
A2696. 714 Central Bldg. Bdwy. 1982.

FOR SALE—

Two fine building lots on 35th st., near Western. $960 spiece.

F4728. YOUNG-CASSOU COMPANY. Main 4421. 911 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE — FOR $675 TO $950, ON EASY terms, or discount for cash. I can sell you elegant home sites, 50 feet front, all improvement, not east; one block to car and 20 minutes to Broadway. W. H. YOUNG CO., 836 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A3090, Main 317.

FOR SALE—$1050, LOT ON SAN PEDRO ST., NEAR 52nd; fine for flats. BENNER, 305 Union Oil Bldg. A3540. Main 5090.

FOR SALE—FOUR LOTS 50X150, IN LOS AN-geles, on high ground, near car line, $300 each $800. Address J, box 352, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$1250 FINE BUNGALOW LOT ON 31st st., near Cimarron, ½ cash. One block to car. ALBERT E. METCALF, 516 Grant Bldg. A1697.

FOR SALE—$400 CASH BUYS A NICE LOT IN Long Beach, city, 10 minutes' ride from center. One block from car line. Phone F6805.

FOR SALE — $1050, WORTH $2000. BETWEEN West 16th and Washington. Building restrictions $2000. Expires January 1, 1915. See Miss Gregory, with LOCKHART & SON, 731 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—$800. LOT ON 37TH NEAR WEST-ern ave.; all improvements in, cash or terms. Owner. Phone WEST 3092.

FOR SALE—City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—

MUST BE SOLD.

Beautiful lot, exclusive neighborhood, bargain for someone; have to go east. Address G, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OWNER WILL SACRIFICE FINE LOT on La Plata st., one block from Temple st. car line, $500. Paid $650, one year ago. No agents. Address O, box 140, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LEAVING CITY, WILL SACRIFICE $900 lot for $700; 50x185 ft., on 81st st., between Hoover and Vermont. Address M, box 276, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LARGE BUILDING LOT, 61ST ST., near Hoover, $600, easy terms. RESSLER & CO., corner Slauson and Hoover. Vermont 503.

FOR SALE—GOOD CORNER LOT ON VERMONT ave. near Slauson, $1800. MINNER & DOE-blank, 4710 S. Vermont. 29255; Vermont 99.

FOR SALE — MAKE ME AN OFFER, CASH OR terms, for a 50-foot unrestricted lot on Jefferson, near Dalton. WILSHIRE 2162. HOME 56131.

FOR SALE—THE RESIDENTS OF "MABERY Heights" are often AT HOME by the time people living on other car lines, leaving at the same time, are out of the business section.

FOR SALE—120-FOOT FRONTAGE ON MAPLE avenue, near 58th. A bargain. BENNER, 305 Union Oil Bldg., A8540, Main 5090.

FOR SALE—OWNER LEAVING CITY, WILL SAC-rifice fine north Wilshire corner lot, 60x135, near Western ave. $1700. Telephone WILSHIRE 4282.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—$1200 EQUITY IN 5 lots. Must sell at once, going away. Phone SOUTH 6068.

FOR SALE—$1250 LOT ON 51ST ST., NEAR BUD-

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—
GRATIOT PROSPECTIVE BUSINESS PROPERTY.
On 20th street, between San Pedro and Trinity sts., on the southeast line of the Southern Pacific Main line to Los Angeles, 2 doors from the corner of Gratiot; 50 feet, with known as 611, 613 and 615 20th street; property is just on the edge of the downtown business district, and is in the right of the future growth. Price $4000. Terms. Phone South 8600.

FOR SALE—$100 PREMIUM ORDER OF CLUB. Only $50; must be had at once. Call 1 to 5 p.m., 1200 Call Bldg., San Francisco.

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FOR SALE—FINE 97 FOOT LOT, NEAR 3RD STREET car; with two houses; rents $30; price $1,000; $100 cash, $5 month; 6 per cent. 1 block south of 3rd. Phone South 8600.

FOR SALE—A BEAR, CREEK AVE.; RENT will pay interest; $1,000 cash, balance easy. Owner, 1924 Wilcox ave. Phone 572 F. Hollywood.

FOR SALE—
Industrial property.

For industrial acreage, lots or leases, see me; I have some very attractive propositions.

Factory sites with trackage, 2½ miles from city hall; only $2500 per acre.

A store with brick building, $12,000. This is a snap.

For Sale or Lease—4 acre, Vernon, trackage.

HARRY M. JOY.
405 Trust & Savings Bldg. F1003.

If you are looking for an industrial site YOU WANT IT IN YOUR BUSINESS. One-half an acre to the heart of the industrial district—surrounded by the best of factories; 2 blocks from Santa Fe avenue, $6000, one block from Santa Fe avenue, $6000, but that will surprise you. This is just one of them.

See MR. SCHELLE or MR. BLACK.

FRANK DICKINSON & McGRATH,
Grant Bldg. 6th and Spring. Ad

FOR RENT—PEDLAR LINE RENT, ABOUT 27,000 square feet with 329 feet frontage on S.P. R.R. tracks in Vernon streets. Total frontage about 500 feet. Only $2500. Mtg. $3000. will exchange for equity or sell on small payments. Address owner, 1924 Wilcox ave. Phone 572 F. Hollywood.

FOR SALE—INDUSTRIAL.
22,000 square feet.
Only $1 per square foot, with Santa Fe switch and trackage. Will build to suit. Terms to be arranged. Or this has been appraised at $27,500—a snap. See it with Mr. Meredith or
FRAZER, 325 Union Oil Bldg.
Exclusive Agent.

FOR SALE—FACTORY PROPERTY, LOCATED 120x140 building 25 feet OWNER, 1704 E. 16th st.

FOR SALE— Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—AUCTION—
Monday, May 4, 10 a.m., 1149 Hobart blvd., 2 story, 7-room house; lot 40x150; 2 blocks from Sunset avenue car. Sold subject to confirmation at the start for the lucky party who gets this. Will make special terms of $1,000 for quick deal, and consider some exchange. Only $4,000 mortgage. FINLEY REALTY CO. A2159; Broadway at 3rd.

FOR SALE—3 BEAR, CREEK AVE.; RENT will pay interest; $1,000 cash, balance easy. Owner, 1924 Wilcox ave. Phone 572 F. Hollywood.

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

BY OWNER.
WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
YOUR OWN RENT FREE.
YOU CAN QUIT ONE FLAT AND MAKE FUTURE PAYMENTS WITH THE INCOME FROM THE OTHER THREE.
Will take your bungalow, 5-story cement vacant lot or modern flat as first payment and easy terms on balance. Lot is 50 feet front by 142 feet deep, and is having 4 flats of 4 rooms each. Strictly modern. All hardwood floors. Large basement. Electric lights, gas, tubs, sewer connection, sprinkling pits, boulevard, paving, all paid. Situated on the corner of Wilshire boulevard facing Westlake park. Large double frontage. Lot alone is worth $4000 cash. Balance easy. If you are looking for an investment where you can double your money, getting scarce. Call at once. Don't delay. Owner will not be here long. Will be sold soon. Must be sold. Price $9000. Mtg. $3000. Will exchange for equity or sell on small payments. Address owner, 1924 Wilcox ave. Phone 572 F. Hollywood.

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Only $1 per square foot, with Santa Fe switch and trackage. Will build to suit. Terms to be arranged. Or this has been appraised at $27,500—a snap. See it with Mr. Meredith or
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FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL, HALF-ACRE BUILDING lot (100 feet) near Venice short line, one block from Culver City. Large trees on front; gas, water, block sewer; graded streets; all of Los Angeles and adjoining new beautiful homes. Price only $1250, which is $500 below the market. Terms, $50 cash, $10 monthly. See MR. LANGLEY, Phone 8048; Vermont 139.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES, SAN GABRIEL VALLEY, near two acre tracts under valve, fine sandy loam soil, with water, near railway. If you have $1,000 in cash, and have the nerve to make a big profit, this 10-acre piece that is worth more than $300 per acre, complete with surrounding values, for only $375, on Monday. Call at once. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA HOMES CO., 1225 Broadway, F4902.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES OF LAND, LOCATED 10 miles south of city, close to Santa Ana electric car line; will exchange for lots in Los Angeles, and a greater bargain has not been offered. Our asking price for $750 to $1000 per acre. Call at once. Room 1, 2d floor, 107 W. 3d st. Bond and Savings Bldg. Ad. 95214 or Main 8574.

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—
NEW, MODERN 4-FLAT BUILDING.
ELEGANT NEIGHBORHOOD.
ELEGANT APPOINTMENTS IN EVERY PARTICULAR.
EXCELLENT CAR SERVICE.
LOW PRICE AND TERMS.
RENTAL OF $160 PER MONTH.
USUAL COURTESY TO AGENTS.
H. H. ALEXANDER,
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There is absolutely NO ALKALI, NO HARDPAN, NO ADOBE, on this tract. It lies as level as a floor with a fall of ten feet to the north and 6 feet to the south, making it ideal for irrigation. The cost of preparing for irrigation is thus nominal. The soil takes water easily, retains it a long time and the water table is low though to insure its never becoming waterlogged or sour.

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We will sell tracts in any size, with or without water development, at very low prices compared with real values.

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$20 per acre—1280 acres, 25 acres in prunes, sold 45 tons last year, $6000. 70 acres good soil and plow land. Balance good pasture. About 15,000,000 ft. redwood and pine, 200 horses.

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CHEAP PUMPED WATER

NO JOHNSON GRASS

ONLY $125 AN ACRE

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Why? Because the pumped water is FREE FROM GRASS AND WEED SEEDS. FIND OUT what grass and weeds can do to an alfalfa field, and you will see the advantage.

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I have 15 acres of good sandy loam soil 1 mile from Riverbank in Oakdale Irrigation District. Price $2625.

To the man who knows how to farm and will move on the place and improve, I will make this exceptional offer:

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10 acres in young "Valencia orange," in the famous Fullerton district, the best of deep, rich, black mellow loam soil, every foot of it's strictly high-class land. Splendid big pumping plant included, consists pipe line, abundance of water and to sell to neighbors.

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33 acres on boulevard, near Rivera, $33,000. Splendid value. Vacant land close, nearly same price.

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10 acres, El Monte, highly improved. Fine home place, team, implements. Trees 20 years old. $15,000.

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We offer today the best bargain we have ever had in this most popular and high-class district. 147 acres, 5 miles from Nordhoff, commanding a magnificent view of the whole valley; 40 acres in full-bearing lemons, 30 acres Navel oranges, 55 acres cleared and in hay; all splendid citrus land; comfortable ranchhouse with bath and plumbing, tenant-house, all necessary tools, equipment, wagons, etc., including 2 fine teams, value $500 each; ample water; good pumping plant; a place with tremendous possibilities as a home place, with fine income. Owing to family reasons, we are ordered to sell for $50,000, including everything; $15,000 cash, balance to suit. Raw land in this valley sells from $300 to $500 per acre, while here we have 70 acres in full-bearing citrus fruits, which, if well taken care of, would be worth $1500 per acre. The owner of this place has let it run down, and the oranges need fertilizing and careful treatment to restore them to first-class condition. The lemons are in good shape, almost 30 acres, first class, with a big crop of lemons now on the trees, which go with the place if sold at once. This ranch is in the hands of competent parties can be made to produce $20,000 yearly, and should be worth in a few years $100,000, based on surrounding values. THE ALFRED E. LUWEN CO., exclusive agents, 1020 Marsh-Strong Bldg., Ninth and Main.

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265 acres of the best suburban mesa and valley acreage in beautiful Santa Barbara; the soil is a rich loam, and grows lima beans, walnuts, corn and hay in abundance; a beautiful stream runs the entire length of the property; some of the Veronica Medicinal Water Company's springs are located on this tract; very unsurpassed mountain, valley and sea; elegant building sites, magnificent scattering oaks; soil suitable to walnuts, lemons, oranges, and all citrus fruits; this property is in the good roads district, only a mile from city limits, and a portion of the well-known Hope ranch. No improvements. Price $65,000. Terms easy.

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$20.00 per acre	52,180 acres
$27.50 per acre	12,500 acres
$40.00 per acre	3,800 acres
$40.00 per acre	2,500 acres
$60.00 per acre	2,500 acres
$80.00 per acre	2,500 acres
$100.00 per acre	3,300 acres

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In El Monte. Best of soil, fine healthy trees, abundant water, close to car line.

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All above land non-alkali, good water conditions. Half cash, balance 6 per cent. No trades.
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$425 an Acre. Easy Terms.

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ALSO—

160 ACRES—$6500.
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Close to Calabasas, three miles off State Highway, on main county road. A country retreat with an income.

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EARLIMART.

We have just subdivided 1000 acres of our land at Earlimart, Tulare county, into 10, 20 and 40-acre tracts, and are offering it to the public at a price from $100 per acre, on terms of $1 an acre cash and $1 an acre per month, or one-fourth cash and balance in 1, 2, 3 and 4 years, 6 per cent.

The water conditions on this tract are perfect, soil ideal for alfalfa and fruit. Graded roads and fine alfalfa fields on all sides, and school within half a mile.

On Thursday, April 30th, we will have a free excursion to Earlimart to inspect this property, and we invite all those who are interested in getting hold of a small piece of good alfalfa land to come in and see us at once, as no reservations will be made after 3 p.m. Thursday. Absolutely no trades considered, our lands are priced too low to permit it. EARLIMART IMPROVEMENT CO., 504 Story Bldg.

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OLIVES, DAIRY, WALNUT,
SANTA BARBARA COUNTY LANDS.

THE OWNERS OF A LARGE RANCH CONTEMPLATE SELLING DIRECT TO INVESTORS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL QUANTITIES. THIS RANCH IS 7 MILES FROM MAIN LINE RAILROAD. AVERAGE RAINFALL OVER TWENTY INCHES. RECEIPTS FROM FIRST SALES AT CHEAP PRICES TO BE EXPENDED IN ROADS AND DEVELOPMENT. MISSION OLIVES ON THE PROPERTY 100 YEARS OLD, HEALTHY AND PRODUCING. THE LAND IS HILLY AND CARRIES SUFFICIENT LIVE OAK TO PAY THE ENTIRE PURCHASE PRICE.

IF INTERESTED WRITE FOR DETAILS OF PROPOSITION. STATE AMOUNT YOU HAVE FOR INVESTMENT. ADDRESS M, BOX 96, TIMES OFFICE.

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A PERFECT "DREAM."
$5000.

5 acres, 45 minutes out, close to car, on main oiled road, finest of soil, interest in pumping plant, supplies abundant and cheap water, all in fine stand of ALFALFA, with great variety of fruits, as fine a garden.

Almost new 5-room BUNGALOW, hot and cold water, fine screened porches, fine barn, splendid poultry equipment, water piped and also cement pipe line for irrigation. IT'S A HANDSOME LITTLE PLACE, "AS NEAT AS A WHISTLE," and certainly is a BARGAIN. Only $3000 required. If interested inquire of

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160 acres N.E. of Lancaster, $22 per acre.
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Relinquishments, improved and unimproved, cheap.
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FOR SALE—
560 acres highly improved ranch, with 2 sets of buildings. Price $25,000.

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FOR SALE—80-ACRE RANCH, 10 ACRES IN ALfalfa, 5 acres in orchard. Good house, barn, implements, etc. $9000. $2000 cash, balance $1000 a year, 6 per cent. 150 miles from Los Angeles on Salt Lake R. R. PHONE 28638.

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Successful orchardists and nurserymen are investing at North Whittier Heights, which demonstrates that it has the soil, water and climatic conditions necessary for success.

Call at our office and go out with us by automobile to see this choice subdivision. Call, phone or write for descriptive folder.

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Seventh and Spring sts., Los Angeles, Cal.
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LET DELANO SOIL MAKE

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These little farms are money makers. One Delano rancher made $3900 the past season from melons and vegetables grown between the rows of his young orchard.

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Twenty years' experience growing oranges and lemons here.

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GET YOUR MONEY'S WORTH IN LAND.

Our land is equal to the average land in Southern California that sells from $500 per acre up.

Buy five acres in place of one acre.

Seven tons alfalfa at $10 per ton, $70, or Thirty-five tons alfalfa at $6 per ton, $210. See the difference? It's the same $500.

Oh yes, our land has other attractions.

It grows fine fruit; it has good railway service. It has plenty of CHEAP WATER, schools, church, good neighbors, State highway.

Ideal CLIMATE, and many of the conveniences of the city.

We believe the percentage of INCREASE is LARGER and FASTER.

It will be WORTH YOUR TIME TO INVESTIGATE this.

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FOR SALE—
SACRAMENTO VALLEY BARGAIN.

Situated in Colusa county, two miles from Colusa City on the main road to Williams, $72 acres of land that cannot be surpassed in the Sacramento Valley. This is made land, level and deep, with no hardpan. Can be irrigated from adjoining gravity ditch, or will be ready for irrigation by fall development on the place. This property is owned by the advertiser and several others, and as we are unable to agree upon a method of distribution, have decided to sell the whole tract. Will sell this land in small tracts for alfalfa or any other crop that can be raised on alluvial soil, making it a first-class dairy or subdivision proposition. This is a bona fide representation. Further information and inspection of the property can be had by addressing DR. CHARLES KEANE, 2105 Second ave., Sacramento.

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Finest olive grove in best olive section in Southern California. 60 acres improved land with 40 acres old olive trees, mostly Missions and Manzanillos. No scale or disease. Small citrus grove; balance deciduous. Large mission house (new,) complete set outbuildings, abundance of water. Olive curing and canning plant in connection. Will sell plant and trees, or trees and olive packing business at great bargain to make quick deal. No agents. For full information apply to owner. Address F, box 248, TIMES OFFICE.

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THE GREATEST LAND BARGAIN ON THE MARKET TODAY.

In Millard County, Utah, 160 acres, amounts to suit purchaser. Three finest alfalfa land, most fertile soil, abundance gravity water, excellent climate, full water right for 2 feet to acre. Land will pay for itself in two years and make you independent. Decidedly the best all around proposition for the man that wants to make money farming. Price $50 per acre with full water right. Only a limited amount to offer. See me at once. ROSS, 225 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, OR WILL TAKE part exchange, 440 acres choice walnut land near Tulare. Practically level. Cornering prosperous, progressive town. On main line Southern Pacific. Unlimited water on land. Adjoining land, improved, and partly improved at $135. Can deliver at this time for $80 per acre.

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Broadway 4124. 1007 Van Nuys Bldg. F3840.

FOR SALE—80 ACRES VERY BEST LAND, 16 miles from Los Angeles on Pacific Electric right on Blvd. 6-room plastered house large new barn, 22 acres in alfalfa, first cutting just harvested made over 1 ton per acre, 8 acres in oats and garden; all kinds of fruit, large shade trees, 12 inch well under ground pipe, price $20,000, will take house in vicinity of L. A. to $6000. R. J. GRAY, 1140 Fairview Ave. S. Pasadena. Phone Colo. 7335.

FOR SALE—$540 ACRE FARM.
$13.25 AN ACRE, WORTH DOUBLE.

One-fifth cash, balance 11½ years, 6 per cent. Interest. STATE AMOUNT YOU HAVE. 1000 acres fenced; 700 cleared, gravity water, buildings and implements; near prosperous city of 2000 people; unexcelled opportunity for farmers and stockmen with abundant grazing land adjacent; subdivision being sold near this for $50 an acre, no better soil. See LA DUE REALTY CO., Sole Agents, 429 Central Bldg. Broadway 2007. F3063.

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Here is the ONE best bargain in a PAYING ORANGE GROVE.

10½ acres 7-year-old Valencias at Arlington Heights, frostless belt, Riverside. $2500 crop now on trees. Price $6500. Mortgage $3000. This is 50 per cent. under value.

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F4125.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES, 10 ACRES ALFALFA, 5 acres Valencia oranges, 8-room house, barn and outbuildings, 15 H. P. pumping plant, sell enough water to go with or sell separate. Price $15,000, mortgage $1500, terms 2-3 cash, trade or mortgage back. Address H. BARTER, Anaheim, Cal.

FOR SALE—BUT LAND, NEAR OCEAN AS POSSIBLE. NO SAFER INVESTMENT. IT WON'T BLOW AWAY OR BURN UP. IT WILL NEVER BE AS CHEAP AGAIN. I HAVE BARGAINS: 3000 acres, $6; 400 acres, $9; 1100 acres, $15. Some partly improved in sight of ocean, between Los Angeles and San Diego. No better climate or place to live on earth. I have several fine improved ranches. Very cheap. WM. J. WELMANS, 2307 E. 3rd st., Los Angeles. Boyle 827.

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Level alfalfa lands, ripe for subdivision.

40,000 acres at $20.	
35,000 acres at $25.	
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5000 acres at $50.	

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Let us get together and buy a tract of [illegible] land at wholesale in famous fruit [illegible] trict. We can purchase this land at $75 an acre less than the adjoining acreage is selling at. Th[illegible] and, the water is there, the soil is there, [illegible] and 600 acres nearly adjacent now being planted to citrus and olive orchards. Waiting [illegible] Santiago to important towns. This is a chance to get in on the ground floor and save enormous profits. The subject is to you all the side money into our pockets instead of the real estate agents. Only a few hundred dollars from each one necessary. We will see the land before we invest. Address J. box 344,—TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
160 acres choicest alfalfa land in Kern county; 80 acres first-class stand; 80 acres ready for seeding; deep soil; perfectly level; $5000; terms; [illegible] plant, 120 Indian water; long-tight fence on three sides; price $125 per acre; owner wants clear city property to Investigate. If you have something good.

A. E. HODGKINSON,
Phone A4823. 238 Byrne Bldg.

FOR SALE—
A choice high and eighty corner acre, lying perfectly liver, having a double quantity of water that and located in Altadena; price $1300; terms if [illegible] dired.

CHAS. B. MULLALY LAND & LOAN CO.,
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160 ACRES
Fine citrus land, adjoining good town and railroad; a big map of $150 per acre. Will take up to [illegible] one-third in good clear local or eastern property, [illegible] mortgage. Call or write for full particulars and [illegible] WESTPHAL, with
VICTOR G. KLEINBERGER,
F. H. EDWARDS,
Subdivision,
200 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 10521; Main 9128.

FOR SALE—
$20 ACRE—$20.
200 acres adjoining Paso Robles and right in heart of finest fruit and nut district in State. Irrigation by deep well; 20 acres level alfalfa land; balance fruit and nut land. Running stream with ample water. Here to raise sugar cash and for one week only this tract goes at $20 per acre; no exceptions to full information. SAN LUIS OBISPO LAND CO., Call Spring st. #1050; Main 6040. Inquire quick.

FOR SALE—
5 acres with three-room house and large [illegible] 10 miles from center of city limits. Water piped in steel pipes; $325 an acre. A small payment down and balance to suit. Phone or call at office of U. W. JONES, 611 Security Bldg. Main 10945.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—$2300. 640 ACRE school land, $5 per acre. Want good auto, house cash.

For Sale—or Exchange—$10,000, house and lot, Pasadena. This is good property and well worth the money asked. Northwestern Kansas cheap land to $60000 or $70000.

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With T. M. MILLER CO.,
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80-acre ranch, all fenced, stock, fruit, potatoes, grain and garden truck; good 6-room house, barn, chicken houses, etc.; 20 acres alfalfa; near in grain, chicken houses, etc. Phone 2 horses, cow and heifer, wagon, harness, plow, [illegible] to take and spade, one mile from Lankershim and San school, 10 miles from Los Angeles.
Price $4750 will handle. Address
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FRUIT AND ALFALFA LANDS.
In tracts of 10 acres or more at $150 per acre, close to water, on main county road, only [illegible] from Los Angeles; [illegible] nothing more for six years. Descriptive folder on request.

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18-ACRE WALNUT GROVE.
Close in, in the Capitol Valley. Large, full-bearing trees, big crop every year. Good [illegible] soft-shell trees, etc. Owner positively must sell. Any reasonable offer will take it. Actually worth $600 to $1000 per acre. $3000 cash will handle it.
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Main 9907. 515 Black Bldg. 4th & Hill. 10907.

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5 acres finest citrus or olive land near Duarte. Large county. Good four-room house, barn, chicken [illegible] and all fencing. Only $1200; $200 cash, balance [illegible] 5 miles from city, close to boulevard and [illegible] (60). Must sell at once. No trade on this. Is worth $2,000. W. L. SHERWOOD, 511 C. I. T. Bldg. Main 8450.

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PINE STOCK RANCH IN NAPA COUNTY.
700 acres, miles from St. Helena, 2000 feet above sea level; 3 miles from R. R. station; 300 acres fine pasture, over 10 miles high-fenced; divided into 15 fields, water in every field; 2 houses, 3 barns, sheds, etc. Over $10,000 worth of buildings. New house, 5 big barns, [illegible] shop, garage, splendid income from small [illegible] orchard, [illegible] cash. Get particulars on earth. [illegible] cash. Address R. D. BOYD, Box 1, St. Helena, Cal.

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5 acres adjoining Huntington Beach, high [illegible] water abundant and cheap, soil easily worked; will grow anything; frontage, splendid [illegible] Income property in Huntington Beach. High school, boulevards, electric lines and railroads. $300 per acre; terms 10 per cent. down.

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ONLY $50 CASH.
10-ACRE TRACT AT SNAP.
Deep, rich soil, well located San Gabriel Valley, near Covina electric; price $4500; easy terms. This property is a snap at the price.
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Main 9907. 515 Black Bldg. 4th and Hill.

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Near Central California. Railing [illegible] Nine miles to good town [illegible]

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Three hotels, business district. Will st.; rent $6 50 per room; good lease. $6500, any good exchange, equal value.

Three-story (brick,) walking distance, $6000 income. 10-year lease, well secured; $25,-600; mortgage $35,500, clear. City or close-in acreage, equal value.

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Other good hotels and apartment-houses for cash. See us about them.

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68-room apartment-house, one year old. Beautifully located, on west side corner walking distance. Always full. Modern in every respect. Cost $24000 to furnish; full of permanent guests with waiting list, netting with summer rates $220 per month. 9-year lease at ONLY $5.50 per room. Owner, being called from city on account of serious illness, owner will sacrifice. Will consider modern bungalow to $4000, flat

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FOR EXCHANGE—WANT FURNITURE AND LEASE of paying rooming and apartment-house in exchange for a 2-acre ranch at Lankershim, two blocks from electric line and improved with new bungalow and full-bearing fruit.

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Forty-two rooms.

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FOR SALE—$1500 BUYS WELL-PAYING TRANSIENT house, also steady roomers; 25 rooms; rent $54; good lease; easy terms. Owner. Address O, box 33, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—A REAL BARGAIN IN 58-ROOM hotel, east of Main st. Fireproof building, long lease, low rent, steam heat, hot and cold water. $4000 equity for furnished cottage. Address O, box 228, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$3800 BUYS LEASE AND FURNITURE of a 72-room hotel, ground floor lobby; reasonable rent. Good lease. Best location in town. 1705 Broadway, 817 MORGAN REALTY CO., 302 Lankershim Bldg., Third and Spring.

FOR SALE—$5000 EQUITY IN MODERN HOTEL, private baths, 9 years' lease, rent $310 and $395, close in, walking distance, balance $3500, payable $100 month; submit cash offer or good exchange. 335 CONSOLIDATED REALTY BLDG.

WANTED—LODGING-HOUSE, 30 TO 40 ROOMS, close in, $700 down, balance monthly.

H. P. ERNST,
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FOR SALE—BEST 25-ROOM TRANSIENT BARGAIN in city. Price $1250, $500 down; never sold before for less than $2500. Good lease. 401 SECURITY BLDG., 5th and Spring.

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FOR SALE—7-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE. 3-YEAR lease, small payment, balance easy terms. Buy from owner. Phone MAIN 3423; F7360.

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WANTED—ACREAGE OR WHAT HAVE YOU FOR sale? 50-room apartment-house, clear? Rent less than $4 per room. M—, 324 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG.

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FOR EXCHANGE—30-ROOM APARTMENT-HOUSE, nicely furnished, well located, clear. Want bungalow, or what have you? Must be clear. PHONE BOYLE 281.

FOR EXCHANGE—52 ROOMS, APARTMENTS AND single rooms, rent $250, 3 years' lease. Price $6000; consider bungalow, lots or acreage to $4000. MAIN 2064, F5292.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—APARTMENT-HOUSE, well furnished, fine prospect. 345 S. HOPE ST. Phones 3626.

FOR SALE—$1000 BUYS $4000 EQUITY IN 75-room modern apartment-house, fine location, close in, long lease. PHONE F2404.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—LEASE AND FURNIture of 20-room apartment-house located in southwest. Will consider a bungalow or good vacant property clear. Phone WEST 160.

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$5000, small business property, Optimo, Oklahoma; want something California; offer.

$20,000, beautiful suburban home, containing nine rooms, sleeping porches, lot 70x214; want orange grove.

$5500, clear, San Bernardino, 8-room 2-story house, lot 50x145; want flats or residence; would assume.

$12,000, 11-room 2-story residence, lot 80x161, on Adams street; offer lots; consider country property.

$5000, clear, lot 51x142, improved with five-room cottage on Fourteenth street, good industrial property; want six or seven-room house, southwest; offer yours.

$8500, clear, 10-room modern residence, West 20th, good location, lot 50x159; want acreage, foothill section.

$5000, clear, five-room cottage, East Hollywood section, lot 86x177; prefer 6 or 7-room bungalow or might consider 9-room house and assume.

$15,000, clear, 185x200 foot, corner of Figueroa, improved with residence; take apartments or flats and assume small amount.

K. LUNDEEN COMPANY,
Suite 200 to 204 Central Bldg., Sixth and Main.

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$3000—5-room cottage, E. 42nd st. Want country place, improved, to value. 148-H

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$2900—Clear, 5-room cottage, near 28th and San Pedro sts. Exchange for 2- or 3-room house west side to $2500.

$5400—Mortgage $2500, 2-flat building near Alameda ave., rental $42. Exchange equity for cottage.

$10,000—Clear, Chicago residence near Glendale Drive. Exchange for Los Angeles property, vacant or improved, to $15,000.

P. W. CROAKE,
229 Douglas Bldg., Third and Spring sts.
Phones: A1813; Main 5430.

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FURNISHED BUNGALOW OF 7 ROOMS.

STRICTLY MODERN. GOOD LOCATION ON CAR LINE AND ONLY 22 MINUTES' RIDE FROM LOS ANGELES BUSINESS CENTER.

VALUE OF LOT $2500.
VALUE OF HOUSE $2000.
FURNITURE $800.
TOTAL $5300.

Clear of incumbrance. Has been renting furnished at $40 a month. Will trade for lots in Boyle Heights, West Washington, West Adams, Wilshire and Hollywood districts, or for desirable suburban property.

S. M. COOPER,
802 Story Bldg., 9th and Broadway.
Telephones Broadway 379; A3783.

FOR EXCHANGE—

WE HAVE
A BLOCK OF
TEN CLEAR BUNGALOWS,
IN THE SOUTHWEST,
On accepted city streets, schools, stores and car lines are close; these bungalows are all built in 1913-14, and were built of the best material.
PRICE $40,000, CLEAR.
Want income business vacant or close in acreage, submit no equities.

TRACY E. SHOULTS & CO.,
Southwest corner Vermont and Stanson.
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26848.

FOR EXCHANGE—PRICE $16,000.
One of the most beautiful residences in the city, also in the most fashionable residence section. Modern and new in every particular, 3 tile bathrooms, with all accessories. Porcelain tile and hardwood through. Silk tapestry, wall hangings, large lot; will exchange for close in acreage or improved property. Vacant or will take for value or less.

J. M. FERGUSON REALTY CO.,
Bdwy. 2274. 227 Story Bldg., F1941.

FOR EXCHANGE—
7-ROOM NEW BUNGALOW.
$4800, in the southwest, Vermont Terrace Tract, without a doubt one of the finest in Los Angeles today; 50-foot lot, large stone and cement pillars to ceiling; two large cement verandas, front and side entrance; quartered oak floors throughout the whole house; massive stone mantel in corner of living room; beam ceiling, with oil-fashioned grandfather's clock, built-in elegant $175 lighting fixtures, buffet with large china closets, leaded art glass, with 8-foot mirrors back; china cases, beam ceilings, long mirrors in doors, 3 large bedrooms, with window seats and drawers, large gas-plate stove, sink, cabinets, pantry, water, phone, [illegible] 2 yellow 5c car lines every 5 to 5 minutes. Take Vermont and Georgia car; marked Manchester on [illegible] and Broadway. Get off at Broadway, get off at Manchester avenue, walk two blocks west; second house on right side of street. HOLSON, owner.

FOR EXCHANGE—

GOOD CHANCE HERE.

Splendid 20-room flat building in prime condition, with 4-room building on rear of lot. Located in best part Westlake section, on large east front lot, 2 blocks to alley. Lot alone worth $5000 and building cost $10,000. Our price is $15,000 and we can take vacant lots for equity of $9000 or good home in Wilshire section and assume or pay cash difference.

NEISWENDER-LACLAIRE CO.,
603 H. W. Hellman Bldg.,
Sole Agents.

FOR EXCHANGE—

High-class, new 11-room residence, Wilshire district, valued at $12,500, mortgage $5000. Want close-in ranch 10 to 20 acres.

Also 10-room residence, very swell. Price $15,000, mortgage $5000. Want orange grove up to $12,500.

Also a beautiful well constructed 10-room residence, splendid for rooming, $12,000, clear. Want small ranch up to $10,000.

UMSTEAD & ROBINSON,
O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
10-room, modern house, two blocks to car, bath, [illegible] all modern improvements paid; $2500 cash, all clear. Want Pasadena or vicinity. Will assume small amount.

1¼-acre lot, 8-room, modern house. Fine [illegible] oranges, lawn and flowers. $5000 cash. Want lot, equity to equal value.

Best located lot in this beautiful suburb. Improvements all in, water piped over lot, shade and fruit, 60-foot lot, 110x200. Restricted section. Submit Los Angles bungalow to $4000. Will assume difference.

Attractive, 6-room, modern bungalow, nearly new. Lot 54x117. Lawn, flowers, garage. Price $4000, mortgage $1150. Want Los Angeles bungalow to equal value.

MEAD-GILLILAND REALTY CO., Sierra Madre, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Nine-room house in Wilshire district, east front, new, modern and attractive. Price $12,500; $5000 mortgage. Want clear house in same district for equity. Mr. Laughlin, with

H. J. MUESS & CO.,
Suite 504 Hibernian Bldg.,
Fourth and Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW 6-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE at Altadena, 1400 feet elevation, corner 100x [illegible] $6500; want city.

New modern 10-room Swiss chalet, lot 175x150, at Ivywild, and a 6-room modern cottage at South Pasadena, lot 60x135, $12,000; want income.

6-room modern cottage furnished and a new 5-room modern cottage on one lot Southwest, rent $40 per month, $4000; want about 5-acre ranch. [illegible]LAVAN, 627 Bryson Block, A5594.

FOR EXCHANGE— Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$2500, Corner property comprising 5 lots, one of which is improved with small bungalow; want 5 or 10 acres Santa Ana Electric way to equal or less value.

$12,000, Lot 50x150, improved with 10-room residence; close to business district West 23rd. Fine for stores or apartment. Want ranch to $8500.

$15,000, Grounds 92x200, close to business center of Pasadena present improvements. 2-story 9-room residence. Fine Heights; very high-class property; exchange one or both for anything clear; owners or agents; describe fully. Address O, box 168, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Beautiful home on Kenwood avenue, $10,000, mortgage $2000. Want house in Seattle, Washington. See Mr. Hart,
Exchange Department.
ROBERT MARSH & CO.,
200 Marsh-Strong Bldg., 9th st. at Spring & Main.
Phones: 10175, Main 5045.

FOR EXCHANGE—
San Francisco apartment-house, fifteen 3-room apartments, 4-story building, rent $440 per month. Located close-in, in fine district. Price $45,000. Mortgage $15,000, 6 per cent. Will trade for good Los Angeles property.
ROY R. KING,
with W. W. MINES & CO.,
Home 60478. 631 S. Spring st. Main 2875.

FOR EXCHANGE—NICE HOUSE IN SOUTH PASADENA, leased for $45 per month. Price $6500. Also three acres subdivided into lots at Huntington Beach; value $6000. Will exchange for land between Fresno and Merced to $12,000. Mr. Thacker,
MANNING REALTY COMPANY,
710 Black Bldg., Fourth and Hill.
Main 2307. 60503.

FOR EXCHANGE—6-ROOM HOUSE, LARGE LOT, South Figueroa. rice $4500, mortgage $1000. Want few acres close to electric line.

16-room house, lot 75x200, Budlong, near Adams. Want ranch; large house, southwest, 9 rooms; want lot $3500, balance easy or close-in acreage for all; 12-room house, south part of city, rented $46 month. What have you for $5000 equity? JONES, 517 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE FINE APARTMENT-house site on Ingraham, between Union and Valencia. Lot 60x118, to alley. Two-story house in first-class condition, but not modern. rice $15,000. Will take bungalow to $8000 or a couple good lots to same amount, and take back mortgage for ten years, at 6 per cent. Address J, box 872, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
8-room modern 9-wins chalet house, full two-story, hardwood finish, Rudd heater, furnace; lot 50x250 on a corner. $25000 equity to trade for any clear real estate anywhere. Mortgage of $3850 to assume.
AMBROSE L. HAMELL COMPANY,
F2696. 629 Story Bldg. Main 5567.

FOR EXCHANGE—I AM THE OWNER OF THE finest white plastered bungalow in Pasadena. Located in the Oak Knoll district, only few blocks from Huntington Hotel. House is new, and has every modern convenience. Price $7000. Must dispose of immediately, and will trade for lots in Los Angeles or Hermosa Beach to $5000. Address J, box 852, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL CORNER ON FIGueroa improved with 8-room modern 2-story bungalow. Bargain $9000. Want walnut or alfalfa on electric line or will add $5000 gilt-edge security. Also high class well-located general merchandise store, $8500, for larger deal, all clear. Submit no equities. 906 Van Nuys Bldg.
Main 2302. E. J. LA FON. F2302.

FOR EXCHANGE—
IN WESTLAKE SECTION.
2-story 8-room house. Lot 50x145 feet to alley. Fine close-in location for flats or apartments; property city for [illegible] Want clear property to $6000. Mortgage back for balance. What have you to trade for this? Address O, box 131, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE AND two lots, Redlands, $2500, clear; want house in or near L. A. to $4500.

7-room house, close-in, L. A., $6500; want Santa Ana, about $4000.
CLENDENON BROS.,
F2237. 734 Central Building.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$4000—Glendale bungalow, on 19th st., near Broad blvd., want lot, easy terms, on balance.

$4000—Clear, cottage, want bungalow between Crenshaw, Western, Pico and Adams; assume $3000.
HERNANDO D. WOOD CO.,
412 Title Ins. Bldg. Main 4521.
F2432.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR, MODERN TEN-ROOM home, southwest, bath, furnace, Rudd heater, all built-in features; price $7500; want one or two lots in west or Wilshire up to $5000; will take back mortgage for balance, would consider close in acreage. GONZALES & WILSON, 407 Union Oil Bldg. F4132.

FOR EXCHANGE—INCOME PROPERTY; 2 HOUSES on large lot, one car line, southwest, near University Southern California; value $7000; also 6-room modern bungalow on car line, West Adams section, price $5500, equity $3500; will trade one or two for good ranch. Address M, box 347, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — 9-ROOM HOUSE, GOOD AS new; 2 bathrooms, furnace, sleeping porch; Bayshore ave. near W. Adams; will exchange for close bungalow and take back trust deed for difference. Address N, box 225, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, fine location, west side; must be in best part of Palms, lot 50x142 to alley, east front, $4500, want cottage, acres for $2100 equity or good lot. MR. McCREAL, 841 S. Hill. Main 4778. 60504.

FOR EXCHANGE — 82 FEET ON SAN PEDRO north of ADAMS, three COTTAGES, rent $70 per month, for VACANT LOT.
Price, Terms and Title.
Call McDougall, with
W. R. MERWIN & CO.,
434 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$500 CASH AND $2500 EQUITY in eight-room two-story modern house in Seattle, want modern bungalow, Los Angeles or suburban will assume. Address J, box 521, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
HIGH-CLASS HOME.
Alvarado Terrace section, clear, $25,000; want alfalfa land within forty miles Los Angeles.
J. D. HANFT,
Woodward Land Co. 609-610 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR BUNGALOW, SOUTHwest, worth $5000, for Wilshire home, 7 or 9 rooms, worth $8000. Give price or mortgage for difference.
E. G. COFFMAN, with
HALPHILL & CONVERSE,
A2138. 1108-5-7 Trust & Savings Bldg. Bdwy. 229.

FOR EXCHANGE—$4000, CLEAR, 6-ROOM BUNgalow, Highland Park; want from Albany, Dartmouth, Fort Edward or Hudson Falls, N. Y., Suburb.
THE NOTES-LONG CO., Main 4300.
1011-15 Trust & Savings Bldg., Sixth and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE — OR SALE — NEW 14-ROOM house 4318 Victoria Park. Must be sold this week. If you want a bargain, see this. Will sell this home for $10,500; $2500 will handle, or will exchange for smaller house. Submit no equities or acreage. Address owner, 220 W. SIXTH PLACE or phone 28484.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, CLOSE IN, 50x150 each; want clear lots, southwest, or acreage, on car line. MR. McCREAL, 841 S. Hill st. 60504.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR LOTS, WHAT HAVE you to trade for few clear lots in Imperial Valley warm belt. Price of lots $250. Size 50x140 each. WHIPPLE, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—3 LOTS WORTH $4800, MORTgage due; cannot meet interest. What have you? 71216.

FOR EXCHANGE — CLEAR LOTS AND CASH. Want income property, owners only. BRANDES, 618 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR EXCHANGE—$8000, MORTGAGE $1400, UNrestricted lot, Juliet, near Adams; want eastern lots, acreage. SADER, 211 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$800 EQUITY IN FINE CITY lot for stock, diamond pins or what have you? ARMSTRONG, 927 Black Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR LOTS UP TO $5000 FOR book and stationery store. 606 NORTH SOTO. 41900.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE CLEAR LOTS FOR BUNgalows or income, trade all or part; owners submit. JUSTEMA & McMILLAN, 407 Consolidated Realty Bldg. Broadway 316, F7208.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT HOME WEST HOLLYwood; 7 sleeping rooms. Have 5-room home, well located, south part of city; 4-room California house in rear. Also vacant lot near by. All clear, $5500. Will assume or give cash difference. M. A. PROPECK, 628 Union Oil Bldg. A1967, Main 7530.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM HOUSE, LARGE LOT, 24 large orange trees, property clear, value $2200; in Covina; want modern bungalow in Santa Monica; will assume up to $1000.
MUIR M'KELVEY
Broadway 403. 820 L. A. Inv. Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — THREE NEW BUNGALOWS, Mortgage $1800 each; want clear eastern. F5525, M. 1107. 518 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1250 EQUITY IN WESTLAKE choice bungalow, also nice Hermosa Beach 7-room furnished bungalow. PHONE 52289.

FOR EXCHANGE—NICE INCOME PROPOSITION, new 4-flat building, rent $2500, clear; for cheap lots. 87ACY, 401 Fay Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM BUNGALOW on best part of Hollywood. Price $6500, consider clear lots to half value of cottage, southwest. Address J, box 501, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—IN HOLLYWOOD, AT THE CORner of Gower and Edmunds; 10-room modern house and garage; furnace, 2 baths, sleeping porch. Price $9500; what have you for the $4000 equity? J. R. FARNHAM, Hollywood 57693.

FOR EXCHANGE — TWO BEAUTIFUL HOMES, one Wilshire district and one South Pasadena, $12,500 each, clear. Want city income and sequoia. See L. C. Klausenberg, with WILLIAMS & FUNK, 418 Mason Bldg. F6074.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Beautiful residence Wilshire district, new and modern. $16,000. Mortgage $4500. Want smaller place or lots clear. Address K, box 347, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—IDEAL SUBURBAN HOME, 14 room residence, large grounds, Beverly Hills, $25,000. Want other city property exchanges exclusively. JAMES E. M'DONALD, 502 Story Bldg. Home 60161, Main 244.

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN, 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, southwest, $5200. Want lot or lots. Exchanges exclusively. JAMES E. M'DONALD, 502 Story Bldg. Home 60161, Main 244.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—$900 EQUITY IN A Modern 5-room bungalow, Normal school site, for Covington or Mandeville (Louisiana) property. Address M, box 210, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE $6500 EQUITY IN FIRST-class 6 rooms, corner residence. Will exchange for bungalows. Address J, box 417, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW BUNGALOW, FIVE ROOMS and sleeping porch, will take clear lots. $1500 first mortgage. Courtesy to agents. 5642 Lexington ave. Owner, L. J. MULLIGAN, 5853½ Santa Monica Blvd.

FOR EXCHANGE—I OWN A LOT, NORTH PASadena; will build to suit for small payment or accept equity in lot. 60CTD, 415 Rodell.

FOR EXCHANGE — FINE CLEAR HOMES AND equities all parts of city. Want lots, close-in acreage, anything good. E. DUSON, 613 Fay Bldg. A3926.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT ORANGES—
10-room house, Wilshire district, worth $11,500. Small mortgage, will give cash and assume on 10 acres oranges. Address J, box ADZZ8, 1008 Van Nuys Bldg., F1906, Broadway 1096.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT OHIO PROPERTY. HAVE [illegible] portions, 2 houses, 5 rooms, in A-1 condition. Price $10,000. Mortgage $3500. Want eastern for equity. GILBERT-KIRBY CO., 307 Van Nuys Bldg., F1906, Broadway 1096.

FOR EXCHANGE—8-ROOM HOUSE, INCOME $56. Price $4500; also 5-room house, value $2000, clear; will exchange one or both for small acreage, near city. GROSECKE, 432½ S. Broadway. Room 43. Both phones.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW MODERN 7-ROOM CHALET home, Wilshire district. Want automobile to $2000. LEVITT, 704 Johnson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE ARTISTIC SEVEN-ROOM home, beautifully located, want small ranch. Will pay cash difference. Address J, box 521, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT LOT OR LOTS UP TO $12,000 for several nice homes. Exchanges exclusively. JAMES E. M'DONALD, 520 Story Bldg., Home 60161, Main 244.

FOR EXCHANGE—OFFER SOMETHING CLEAR for $1200 equity in $2500 new modern 5-room bungalow at Huntington Park. Address K, box 485, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—EIGHT FINE CITY LOTS WITH two modern houses, clear, OWNER, Room 43, submit acreage ANYWHERE. THE REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE, 407 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT $40 SHARES LOS ANGELES Investment Co. stock; will give clear $800 home in good town. Address O, box 7, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—THE IMPERIAL LOAN AND INvestment Co. will exchange your property. 401 SECURITY BLDG., Fifth and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—MY NICE, MODERN BUNGALow, $2500. Will take city or beach lots. Address M, box 181, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN COTTAGE AND LOT, district. Want one to five acres, improved or unimproved. Address M, box 174, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — MODERN COTTAGE, EUCLID Heights, $2900, clear; want S.W., will assume. MRS. HOOVER, 428 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE 8-ROOM RESIDEN

Realty Liners.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Not often do opportunities like these occur. The properties advertised below are gilt-edge and bargains. Here they are:

(1.) SANTA ANA, 80 acres, right in town, set to about 60,000 citrus nurser, stock nearly all budded, on four acres, and one acre in family orchard; apples, peaches, apricots, pears, nuts, etc. Fully water stocked. Price only $12,000 on 5 stands; mortgage $3000. You can sell off $10,000 worth of nursery stock next spring. Will consider clear lots.

(2.) MONROVIA, ten acres in city limits, full bearing Valencia oranges, beautiful trees, and fruit of the first. New seven-room bungalow and four-room cottage. Price $18,000. Mortgage $2000. Want clear city or northern property near coast. Quick action.

(3.) HIGHLANDS, 20 acres, 19 solid alfalfa, ½ acre berries, fine 8-room bungalow 3 walls, electric pumping plant, electric railway in front of house, big income. A fine home ranch. Price $12,500. Mortgage $5000. Make cash offer, or will consider clear bungalow or lots for equity. Chance for a pick-up. Owner going east. See G. A. NICKERSON CO., 812 Story Bldg. A5814. Main 8515.

FOR EXCHANGE—11½ ACRES ONLY 9 MILES from French and Main sts., 6½ acres in 12 year-old soft shell walnuts, balance fine bottom land and a fine alfalfa proposition. Walnut grove piped with underground pipe. Lots of water rights in State. Price $18,000 clear. Trade for Los Angeles, clear for clear or assume. Grove is near school, car line, etc. See MR. Dorfinger, with

MESCH & WOOD,
F7781. 200 Story Bldg. Bdwy. 3080.

FOR EXCHANGE—ELEGANT COUNTRY HOME OF 8 acres, 4 miles from Monrovia; 2-story, 8-room modern residence, garage, cellar, barn, chicken houses, pens, etc.; plenty water for all purposes; corners on 2 boulevards with cement walks and rare eucalyptus trees bordering; also has over 4200 fine bearing fruit trees, mostly oranges, and large variety of berries; price $11,000, clear; want 6-room bungalow in city to $6000 or $7000, balance long time. MILLON, 222 Douglas Bldg. Main 7614, F7164.

FOR EXCHANGE—EUREKA, CAL., POPULATION 15,000; largest city in United States without railroad; Northwestern Pacific will be there within six months; wonderful growth sure to follow; 1 seven quarter block business center, partly improved; ideal site for hotel, apartments; have plans for same; can furnish tenant. Want fine residence lots or acreage, to value of $15,000 to $20,000. Will exchange for better or less attention. Address M, box 851, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Two acres highly improved, twenty-five minutes from city; good income; chicken corrals, etc.; must be in Highland Park or southwest to about $5000.

Three acres near city, house, barn, deep well; pleasant; want unimproved Palo Verde land to $2000; list your property for exchanges with the

R. J. MITCHELL COMPANY,
614 Trust and Savings Bldg.
Fifth and Spring sts.

FOR EXCHANGE—
ATTENTION.
Elegant country residence site, lots of big trees and lawns, garage for 3 cars; high ground, but no sand or stone; between Westgate and Santa Monica. Price $7000; terms. Will consider small bungalow in high ground, near Wilshire or Westlake district, or put on Washington, same value, or less. See

WM. R. WERNER,
A4563. 529 Union Oil Bldg. Bdwy. 1690.

FOR EXCHANGE—8-ROOM HOUSE ON ELM ST., South Pasadena. Large lot. Good neighborhood. $7500; mortgage $2750. Want Altadena. BERNARD VOLLMER, 806 Trust & Savings Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—CORNER LOT, 65x170, N. FAIR Oaks ave., Pasadena; has side for 2 apartments; trade for Los Angeles income property. M. M. MORRISON, 713 Grant Bldg. Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 FEET ON TROLLEYWAY at Venice, 66 feet improved. Income $60. Rent $5 per month. Want clear Los Angeles. OWNER, 214 Security Bldg. F2789. Main 206.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Acreage, clear, near car line, to exchange for clear lots or Eastern Nebraska; going East. PHONE F2518.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES ONE MILE FROM Culver City, near Washington Blvd., only $45,000. Wish city. Can put in $12,000 apartment lot on larger deal. OWNER, 1 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—IDEAL COUNTRY HOME; 4 acres, edge of city; assorted fruit trees, $6500 clear. Want city bungalow. PERRA, 2315 Joliet, city.

FOR EXCHANGE—BUSINESS WHICH HAS PAID over $1,000 month can do better, for small cash to $6000. Address O, box 282, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FIVE ACRES, WITH WATER, unimproved, two miles east of Van Nuys, $4000 cash. Address J, box 452, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—5 ACRES, FOOTHILLS, unimproved, 600 ft. from Lieut. Gov. Wallace's residence, 3 miles north of Monrovia. See Mr. Lee at 128 PINCLAIR AVE., Glendale. Phone 271.

FOR EXCHANGE—SMALL RANCH, WELL IMproved, near city, want bungalow. ZARGER, 329 Bradbury Bldg., Main 5850.

FOR EXCHANGE—40 ACRES WITHIN 15 MILES OF city, $1000 clear. Want clear city. Address K, box 846, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—ONE OF THE FINEST TRACTS of alfalfa land in California; 160 acres within a mile of railroad station, all under cultivation, on main ditch of irrigation district; all smooth, high grade; $80 per acre; owner will take up to three-fourths of value in clear city property. Must be at cash value. Phone: F5452, Main 1472. 810 TRUST AND SAVINGS BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—
307-acre ranch at San Jacinto, 15 wells, $8000 worth of improvements; 200 acres in alfalfa. Price $53,750; mortgage $17,000, 3 years; trade for L. A. property and assume. Can make quick deal.

ROY R. KING,
WITH W. W. MINES & CO.,
Home 60478. 631 S. Spring st. Main 2875.

FOR EXCHANGE—$8000, CLEAR—

160 acres, good land, in Antelope Valley. 20 acres leveled and flowing well. Want clear city.

MR. FISHER, Suite 736 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
ALFALFA LAND.
Want equity in 5-room bungalow or clear lot for $1800 equity in 20 acres improved San Joaquin Valley; very choice. Address J, box 700, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE OR SALE—80 ACRES, 1 MILE from Saticoy, Ventura county. All good level land, no alkali or hardpan, good soil for alfalfa or fruit, 18 ft. water lift, cash price $12,000. Want acreage or city property to value of $7000. Inquire 211 W. Broadway, Long Beach.

FOR EXCHANGE—40-ACRE ALFALFA RANCH, 45 inches water, pumping plant and all improvements, including 4-room house, near Roosevelt school, 5 miles east of Lancaster. Price $14,000; mortgage $4000, three years to run. Will take good clear property, Los Angeles or vicinity, to value of $10,000 equity. OWNER, 31 Maine st., Long Beach.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE DEPT OF AGRICULtural land in California, 7000 acres. $850,000 clear. Want income here or Eastern.

BARNES INVESTMENT CO.,
807 Johnson Bldg., 4th and Broadway.
Phone Broadway 6800 or F7278.

FOR EXCHANGE—120 ACRES, EIGHT AT PIPE-line-water flow, fences and cross fenced for alfalfa, good well and pumping plant. Water close to surface. Price $12,500. Want city.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA HOMES CO., 128 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Acreage for city income, flats or stores, I make a specialty of exchanges. Write or phone full description of what you have for exchange. Main 2374. RADMAKER, 625 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Any part of 1280 acres in Tulare county, near Porterville, level land, under cultivation, $100 per acre, clear. Submit offers. HUSBARD, 904 Union Oil. Main 4260. F4945.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—EQUITY $5000 IN improved 40-acre alfalfa ranch, Coachella; absolutely first-class; completely equipped. Address BOX 418, Corona, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—40 ACRES GOOD LAND, ALL level; sure water, close in, $6000, mortgage $2500. Want good improved property in city suburban town. Address R, box 330, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—6 ACRES, FULLY IMPROVED, Watsonville, house, artesian well, bearing apple trees, berries, etc. Want 5 acre little home for equity, $2200. TOURIST REALTY CO., 317 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES ALFALFA, TWO miles from Riverside, free water, improved with buildings, value $6000, mortgage $2500. Want house in city for equity. 251 CHAMBER COMMERCE. A4969. Main 3862.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED—LOS ANGELES IN-come for 40 acres Fresno county alfalfa, $12,000. Only mortgage $4000, 7 per cent. 20 acres Dinuba Orange Tracts, $800. J. DILLON, 631 Van Nuys Bldg. F. C. Box 1826.

FOR EXCHANGE—A-1 ORANGE GROVE, CLEAR, for first-class Eastern lowa or Central Illinois to $60,000.

THE CHAS. A. MASH CO.,
831 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—HEADQUARTERS, OWNERS REMEMBER!!! We promptly match ANY exchange ANYWHERE. THE REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE, 407 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES, CLEAR, $2000, San Joaquin Valley, 10 acres apricots, Fresno, for Los Angeles property. Address Owner, 503½ 428 Union Oil Bldg., F5080, Main 1507.

FOR EXCHANGE—70 ACRES ALL IN ALFALFA, all subdivided, big ranchhouse, 160 inches water, fine soil, close to town, $44,000. Want city property to $30,000. MR. BEAR, 211 Hollingsworth Bldg., A4731, Broadway 4039.

FOR EXCHANGE—$12,500, CLEAR, 2½ ACRES IN Glendale, with fine 9-room residence; want city income property, best value. BENNER, 305 Union Oil Bldg., 12540, Main 5060.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, 1800 CHICKENS, fine house, etc., $19,500, for full equipment and land, near car. Want city property. OWNER, 211 Hollingsworth Bldg., A4731, Broadway 4039.

FOR EXCHANGE—320 ACRES, ANTELOPE VALley, near town; 160, San Diego Co. clear; 1912 National auto; want merchandise; can match any size stock. F5622, M 1107. 515 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—1 ACRE OF CHOICE ORANGES, improved with fine bungalow in the best part of Pomona, will exchange for good bungalow or lot, Hollywood way. PHONE 57403.

FOR EXCHANGE—4½-ACRE ALFALFA RANCH, with buildings, close to Los Angeles. $25,250. Mortgage $12,000. Will city. BERNARD VOLLMER, 806 Trust & Savings Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — 9-ACRE BEARING OLIVE grove, near Hemet. Want house Los Angeles or beach. Address owner, BOX 167, HEMET, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

TELEPHONES MAIN 4826; 60191.

$15,000, clear, about 10 acres, close in, Riverside, improved with 7-room modern residence, good outbuildings, 10 house, etc. All in full-bearing oranges with 19 shares of Riverside Water Company.

$15,000, clear, 14 acres, Riverside, in Thompson improved navels, 12 years of age; 28 shares of Gage Canal water, cement flumes; city or suburban.

$25,000, clear, 17 acres, Covina, with 28 shares Covina Irrigation Company; cement underground pipe line; some navel trees, but mostly Valencias. Want apartment-house.

$20,000, 20 acres in the famous Lindsay section, in navels and Valencias, 6-room modern residence, cement underground flumes, pumping plant with electric motor, right close to towns and schools. Want apartment-house.

$12,500, 10 acres adjoining the railroad, Riverside, within ¼ mile of electric line, walking distance of schools; cement underground flumes. Thompson improved navels, 7 years of age. Offer anything good in Los Angeles.

$33,000, about 20 acres, Riverside, with 28 shares Gage Canal water; best section of city; 1700 trees, 18 years of age. Offer anything, Los Angeles.

$14,000, 140 acres, Kern county, in grain. Railroad runs through corner of land, convenient to schools. Want residence, flats or offer city or town.

$8000, 20 acres, Baldwin Park, new, unimproved. Offer city.

$24,000, 240 acres, Kings county, 240 shares in Tulare Lake Water Company, worth at least $2000. Now in grain. Prefer Long Beach property.

$25,000, CLEAR. Here is an opportunity of a life time for your easterners of securing 170 acres of land with 70 or 80 acres seeded to alfalfa, balance in barley and located in good part of Tulare county, near good town; has 15-H.P. pumping plant, No. 6 pump, 12-inch well; also smaller pumping plant for domestic purposes; good sediment soil, small house, sheds and barn. Will take eastern or local.

$16,000, between 8 and 9 acres on Orange avenue, Pomona; good water supply, underground cement flumes and standpipe; solid to full-bearing oranges. 5-room house. Want good city residence or offer.

$6500, 7 acres Fullerton, in 2-year-old navels; fine little ranch for garden truck. Want bungalow.

$13,000, 7 acres, Colton, all in navels and Valencias, with good family orchard, 6-room house, barn, well improved. Offer.

$10,000, 7 acres, Ontario, in varieties of fruits; good water right, cement underground flumes, convenient to city schools. Want flats or bungalows.

$18,000, 10 acres, Rialto, all in full-bearing trees; good 5-room bungalow; good barn, garage. Want flats for income.

E. LUNDBERG COMPANY,
Suite 209 to 294 Central Bldg., 6th and Main.

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835 Security Bldg. Pomona office:
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ALFALFA RANCHER.
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40 acres, Chino section, soil deep rich loam. All in alfalfa, beautiful stand. Fine pumping plant, cottage and barn. This is one of the choice ranches of the section. Value $20,000; mortgage $5000. Wants city house and lots. EDWARD WILDEY CO., 315 Black Bldg. Main 9807. 10767.

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FOR EXCHANGE—

An opportunity to pick up one of the high and sightly pieces of acreage between here and Venice suitable for immediate subdivision. 15 acres at $2250 per acre, mortgage only $14,000, equity $16,000, for quick buyer. Property would take clear eastern. Address J, box 845, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
COUNTRY STORE AND TAVERN
STOCK AND FRUIT RANCH.
487 acres. Store paying $250 net per month to elderly people; younger management could double this income. 13 buildings, family orchard, eight acres, store, saloon, horses and colts, farm implements, household furniture and merchandise stock all goes. In Yuba county, California, on two main county roads tapping rich mining and lumbering backcountry. Price $27,000. Will take $10,000 clear property and $7000 cash, balance at 6 per cent., or will divide in smaller pieces.

J. M. COLLIER,
340 Chamber of Commerce, Pasadena.
Fair Oaks 2055.

FOR EXCHANGE—
A SPLENDID HOME RANCH.
10-acre young walnut grove, interset to assorted deciduous fruits and alfalfa, improved with 6-room modern house, barn, pumping plant and chicken corrals. Located in San Gabriel Valley, on main road to Los Angeles, distance about 10 miles. Price $12,500. Will take good vacant or improved up to $6500, balance easy. If you want something extra good and at price that is the lowest in the market, investigate this at once.

See MR. SNIDER, 18 E. Main st., Alhambra.

FOR EXCHANGE—
240 ACRES WHEAT LAND.
MINNESOTA.

240 acres fine wheat land, close to two towns. Price $50 an acre. Will trade clear for clear California.

Mr. Stair,
CALIFORNIA REALTY CORPORATION,
O. T. Parish, President.
353 So. Hill st. Main 2888.
Home 60286.

FOR EXCHANGE—

COUNTRY PROPERTY.

SNAP. ALFALFA RANCH. SNAP.

$35,000.

Will exchange for clear improved or unimproved Los Angeles property, an 85-acre ranch, with house, barn and pumping plant, near Chino; now under cultivation; 30 acres of alfalfa, 20 acres barley; one of the best ranches in California for dairy and hog raising; an ever-flowing stream of water running through the ranch will furnish as much as 500 inches of water for irrigating. This should interest you, because it is the best and cheapest buy in the country. For further information see

H. T. ALEXANDER,
with
EDWARD D. SILENT & COMPANY,
733-735 SOUTH HILL ST.
Main 695. 10695.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$5000—5 acres at Porterville, abundance of water, 5-room house, good barn. Land all bervies. Want city.

$6000—24 acres at Terrabella; good pumping plant, 5-room house and barn, also nursery stock. Good orange or lemon land. Want city.

$25,000—One of the best ten-acre groves in Covina district. Trees 14 years old, in fine condition. House and barn. Inexpensive water system. Want city.

$20,000—25-acre Santa Ana electric, flowing wells, reservoir, underground irrigating system; 2 houses, large barn, about $3500.

$28,000—11-acre grove, 7 acres lemons, 4 acres Washington navels. All about 16 years old and in excellent condition, Claremont way. Part trade; prefer city.

J. C. MITCHELL WHITAKER,
AMBROSE L. HAMMEL COMPANY,
F2696. 629 Story Bldg. Main 5567.

FOR EXCHANGE — WHAT HAVE YOU TO EXchange for my $1600 cash payment on 22 acres good alfalfa land, abundance of water, gravity flow. 3610 UNIVERSITY AVE.

FOR EXCHANGE—11 ACRES WITH WATER, valued at $7500; mortgage $3000. Want residence. HUGH BLAIR, owner, 1031 Grand View. Phone F5956.

FOR EXCHANGE—$14,000; 17 ACRES VALENCIA oranges, at Fullerton; on paved street, excellent young grove; trade for Long Beach or Santa Monica. GARRETT-HARVEY REALTY CO., 112 W. A st., Ontario, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — 80-ACRE RANCH, ABOUT 7 miles east of Riverside, has good buildings, good domestic well, 6-foot, water stands all the time in it. Want income in trade, $10,000. F6029, Broadway 1842. I. J. SILVIS CO., 305 Mason Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—

LIST YOUR PROPERTIES WITH US
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"WE KNOW THE GOOD SPOTS."
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LOS ANGELES.
D. P. FLORY.

FOR EXCHANGE—
80 acres near Fresno; fine soil and water-bearing land. Here is your chance to trade your home for good farm land. Price $5000, mortgage $1500. Want small house for equity, or might assume small mortgage.

3 RANCHES IN IMPERIAL VALLEY.
160 acres, close to city of Imperial, all in cotton. Price $24,000, mortgage $7000. Want good L. A. income.

220 acres near Dixie, all in alfalfa. Price $400,000. Want L. A. income or Glendale.

80 acres near Brawley all in cotton. Price $12,000. Want L. A. property.

E. N. HILLEGAS,
with
VICTOR G. KLEINBERGER,
F. H. EDWARDS,
SUBDIVIDERS.
209 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 10621; Main 9122.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES, WELL IMPROVED, close-in sandy loam soil, full water, eight pipe lines. Modern six-room house, good barn, two horses, harness, carriage, all farm implements, wind pump and tank, family orchard. This place is A-1, near Walnut Center, 18 miles from Los Angeles. A bargain at $14,000. Will take from $5000 to $8000 good city property.

For exchange—5 acres, well improved, close-in, 6-room house, modern, barn, all kinds of fruit. This place is A-1 in every respect, 12 miles from town. Price $11,000. Will take from $6000 to $8000 good city.

SEE JOSEPH MILLER,
WITH T. M. MILLER CO.,
60116. 310 Van Nuys Bldg. Broadway 1190.

FOR EXCHANGE—
60-acre highly improved ranch in the heart of the Wood Colony, 9½ miles from Modesto, quarter of a mile from school, employing four teachers. Clubhouse on corner of ranch. Improved with large two-story house, two large barns, well, windmill, tank, tankhouse, gas engine, 2 cottages, outbuildings and yards. 40 acres in fine stand of alfalfa; 10 acres in peaches and other fruit. Fine eucalyptus grove which will furnish fuel and posts for many years to come.

This is one of the finest home places in Stanislaus county. Price $24,000. Will take in as part payment a good home up to $10,000 in North Los Angeles, Pasadena or Highland Park, tributary to Occidental College. If property is clear will give long time on the balance, at reasonable interest. MR. WILSON, 702 Trust and Savings Bldg.

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FOR EXCHANGE—

$36,000—Clear land adjoining Town Bella, the most active district between Bakersfield and Porterville, will exchange for Los Angeles, income. Would consider apartment-house to full value in city or Venice. FRANK THORNBURG, 1027 Union Oil Bldg., F5402.

FOR EXCHANGE—I OWN AS NICE PIECE OF acreage as can be found in California. Positively no objectionable features. Soil cannot be surpassed. Within mile from a thriving inland town on the Southern Pacific. Cash value $13,000. Want an residence in Los Angeles, and one or two nice lots. Clear for clear or will adjust a mortgage. PHONE A3460, JAMES KINCHELA, 615 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$40,000. Mortgage $7000. A fine olive ranch close to Los Angeles, consisting of 38 acres in all. About 16 acres Mission olives, 30 years old. About 8 acres deciduous fruits, balance alfalfa. Abundant water right. Fine family orchard, lovely home place. Want L. A. income. Will assume some. Can make fine deal. Submit. Here's your chance. A1185; Main 3652. PITCHARD & STUMPF, 506-7-8 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
118 acres, 6 miles from Perris, fine pear, apple and general fruit land. Abundant water, good house and barn. Splendid climate, elevation 2400 feet. Price $40 per acre.

Land inferior to this is selling near Perris at $200 per acre.

Will only entertain clear city or beach property. F. SMITH, 417 Douglas Bldg.
F4125. Main 5522.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE 5-ACRE RANCH ON HIGHway, new 5-room modern house, barn, well, mill tank, interest in pumping plant, one acre fine bearing family orchard, four acres alfalfa, beautiful flowers, lawn. A beautiful home place with income. Price $3000, mortgage $1000. Will take house in city to same value. This is a show place. Owners, call CHAS. G. BARNES. Phone Vermont 44.

FOR EXCHANGE—

WANT SEATTLE OR NORTHERN.

43 acres, young walnuts, all level, close to subdivisions, between Los Angeles and Venice, near Washington car, $2500 per acre, mortgage $40,000, runs 2 years at 6 per cent. Equity $60,000, for Seattle or northern. Address J, box 844, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—40½-ACRE, WELL IMPROVED ALFALFA and DAIRY ranch, close in. Including stock, implements, etc. Will consider LEASE and FURNITURE of a well located medium-size APARTMENT-house up to $25,000 or $4000 part cash, with mortgage back. THOMPSON REALTY CO., Tulare, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—$2800, CLEAR. 10 ACRES level, fine sandy loam soil. House, barn, fruit, horses, harness, carriage, implements, etc. 2½ miles from railroad, 6 from beach, San Luis Obispo county. Want same value, clear, Los Angeles or surrounding town.

WM. J. WELSHANS, Agt., 2537 East 3rd, Boyle 827, FORENOONS.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, BEAUTIFUL HOME place with good water right, new 8-room modern bungalow, hardwood floors, near Corona, $8000. Want residence or rental property.

EASTERN INVESTMENT CO.,
507 Johnson Bldg., 4th and Broadway.
Phone Broadway 6800 or F7279.

FOR EXCHANGE—$2250. CLEAR 2½ ACRES with water, actually worth $100 per acre. I have put this land and it is worth it. Will loan $1200 on it. Owner here and will assume or pay cash difference for city home. Land is in Tulare county, near Alpaugh. GOODWIN, 315 Douglas Bldg., 3rd and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—
160 acres near Lancaster. All fenced. House, walls, reservoir, windmill, close to school. Best kind of land for alfalfa in the country. Some cash, balance in trade.

AMBROSE L. HAMMEL COMPANY,
629 Story Bldg. Main 5567.

FOR EXCHANGE—TEN ACRES IN CITY LIMITS, Riverside, ten shares water stock. Small house and barn. Price $5000. Will trade for lots. Will exchange for modern bungalow and assume. CRAIG or GLENN, 730 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 10. A8756.

FOR EXCHANGE—24 ACRES, IMPROVED BUNgalow, barn, spooler house, 10 acres improvements very best. Chicken ranch and nursery. Value $9500, mortgage $2200. I want city property. GROSBECK, 452½ South Broadway, room 45. Both phones.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES NEAR ANAHEIM, 10 acres set to 4-year-old Valencias. Fine pumping plant, good House and outbuildings, live stock and machinery. Want Los Angeles income. Price $20,000. Trade to full or less value. T. E. DARLING, 425 H. W. Hellman Bldg. F5375. Main 2442.

FOR EXCHANGE—
WANT ANTELOPE VALLEY LAND.
Prefer near Lancaster. Have business block, Santa Monica, $65,000. Income $5000 yearly. Quick trade.

Cooke or Boyd, with
MELVIN F. GEORGE COMPANY,
F1536. 710 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 6011.

FOR EXCHANGE—40 ACRES IN PERRIS VALLEY. House and barn, good well; 6 horses. Price $10,000; mortgage $2500. Want house or vacant lots for equity. J. M. CHEEK, No. 619 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE WANT SEVERAL APARTment and flats ranging from $25,000 to $250,000, in exchange for improved and unimproved alfalfa and fruit land. Our clients will assume. Owners only. Mr. Bicomdeed. With WILLIAMS & FUNK, 418 Mason Bldg. F6074.

FOR EXCHANGE—10-ACRE RANCH AT RAMONA Acres, $5000 pumping plant, 2 good houses, outbuildings and tools. Price $25,000, clear. Make me an offer. PERRIS, Exchange Dept., JANSS INVESTMENT CO., 611 S. Hill St., 10945, Broadway 2468.

FOR EXCHANGE—10-ACRE WALNUT GROVE, ANAheim, clear, $10,000. Take one or two apartment lots to $6000, clear.

Frank L. Frary, with
ROMBOTIS REALTY & INV. CO.,
F7838. 625 Van Nuys Bldg., Bdwy. 142.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED—GARAGE BUSINESS and equipment; in Los Angeles or near-by town; have highly improved 40 acres in Tulare Valley, all leet, fully water stocked, close to Woltville, to exchange for garage. This will bear close investigation. Call me. I am the owner of ranch, at SOUTH 250.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Want residence, flats or consider furniture and lease of hotel or apartment lease. Have 103 acres with water, Oakdale Irrigation District, close to town and station, good for alfalfa, clear, valued $175 per acre. Submit yours. C. C. COHN CO., 3328 Byrne Bldg. A4823.

FOR EXCHANGE—
ALFALFA RANCH.
Want large income property, either business or apartments. Have choice, well improved property, with some acres in vineyard. FRED E. FOSTER, 521 Central Bldg. Home Phone F3716.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES ORANGE AND ALfalfa land, 40 minutes from city, on electric road, only $3000 per acre. Will take some trade. OWNER, 5008 Virginia ave., South Hollywood.

FOR EXCHANGE—A YOUNG APPLE ORCHARD with pumping plant, or unimproved land, with water, clear, near town at Tehachapi, Kern county; land level and good soil; want a clothing store; prefer Cal. W. L. CARTER, 432 Byrne Bldg. A2400.

FOR EXCHANGE—15 ACRES IMPROVED RANCH at Monrovia, with plenty of free water. Water stock, etc. Modern house. Valued at $15,000. Mortgage $7500. Want city improved. HUGH BLAIR, owner, 1031 Grand View. Phone F5956.

FOR EXCHANGE—FORTY ACRES CHOICE TULARE land; suitable for olives or alfalfa; close to town; good roads, schools, etc.; price $5000; want Los Angeles residence; might consider good clean stock of groceries. MR. WILSON, 702 Trust and Savings Bldg., Phone Broadway 161.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT GOOD EQUITY HERE. Have 160-acre ranch, Southern California. All in wheat. Buildings. Value $12,500. Mortgage $3500, and a clear bungalow, $2200. What have you? LELAND S. DAVIS, 237 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES—CLEAR—
Kern county, 60 acres alfalfa, balance unlevelopped. Pumping plant, abundance of water, $32,000. Want apartment-house. Will assume $30,000.

HALFHILL & CONVERSE.
A2128. 1103-5-7 Trust & Savings Bldg. Bdwy. 220.

FOR EXCHANGE—IMPROVED 160-ACRE RANCH, Perris Valley, $25,000. Want Los Angeles, or near by. Exchanges exclusively. JAMES E. McDONALD, 502 Story Bldg. Home 60161, Main 344.

FOR EXCHANGE—167 ACRES NEAR EARLIMART. Price $12,525, clear. Wants house to $8000, vicinity of State Normal. PERRIS, Exchange Department, JANSS INV. CO., 611 S. Hill St., 10945, Broadway 2468.

FOR EXCHANGE — FOR CITY PROPERTY, 11-acre ranch at Richfield. Adjoins the townsite. Improved with house and barn. Plenty of good water. Want $450 an acre. For further information phone EAST 701.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT RESIDENCE TO $15,000 for forty acres fine land, really worth $12,000. Exchange exclusively. JAMES E. M'DONALD, 502 Story Bldg., Home 60161, Main 344.

FOR EXCHANGE — $60,000 INCOME PROPERTY, close in at Long Beach, leased for $5000 per year, secured lease. Want orange grove, 100-acre alfalfa ranch, and 1500-ton corrugated iron warehouse, large 7-room house, barn, outbuildings, 6 head of good work mules, horse, cow, 3 mowers, 3 rakes, hay baler and other farm implements, 45 and 50-horse-power pumping plants, 150 inches of water. All for only $65,000; this is the finest alfalfa ranch in the valley and is adjoining the town. Riverside county. Want city income. Richlevel alfalfa land with water from large artesian wells, well located in the San Joaquin Valley, $90 per acre. Want city income. FRED E. PALMER. 427 Pine ave., Long Beach.

FOR EXCHANGE—
GREAT SACRIFICE SALE.
CLOSE-IN, NEAR ELECTRIC.
Choice, high, slightly suburban home, $5000 under cash value, 9 1-4 acres oranges, abundance cheap mountain water, beautifully terraced grounds, 11-room house, garage. Forced to sell. Take $20,000, half cash, or any good property for $10,000 equity. Submit quickly.

IDEAL REALTY COMPANY, 224 Grosse Bldg., 124 W. 6th st. Phones: 61851. Main 4563.

FOR EXCHANGE — EIGHTY-ACRE RELINQUISHment four miles south of Perris, 50 acres under cultivation with five-room plastered bungalow with two sleeping porches, large front and back porches and stone fireplace. Price $6000, mortgage $2000, 7 per cent. Will consider clear property up to $10,000 equity. Submit quickly.

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BROWN & KERKER,
609 Trust and Savings Bldg.
F3068. Broadway 63.

FOR EXCHANGE—
10 acres, good alfalfa land, 5 minutes' walk from car, adjoins Van Nuys; all in grain. Price $9000, mortgage $2100. Want vacant lots or house. Will assume. See Mr. Hess,

Realty Liners.

FOR EXCHANGE— Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—MANY BARGAINS IN THE SAN Jacinto Valley for good Southern California property. ROBT. B. RE YENNEY, 415 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 AND 294 ACRES SAN JOAquin land, abundance cheap water. Want Los Angeles. LEVITT, 704 Johnson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—ONE-ACRE CHICKEN RANCH, with bungalow. Address E. [illegible] BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—IN NEW GROWING TOWN IN Sonoma County, near state, valued at $12,500, for Los Angeles property. W. A. VARCOE & CO., 547 Stimson Bldg.

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FOR SALE—EQUIPMENT AND STOCK OF SUCculent tabletop in foothills; rent 6 months, with an established trade in market and fancy meats; living rooms; 5-room bungalow for rent, plenty of fruit; terms to responsible, clean buyer. Owner will teach you the business. See ALLEN, 507 Grant Bldg.

A GOING MANUFACTURING CONCERN, REQUIRES the man of business experience and not less than $5000 to invest, for the right party a very liberal salary will be paid, in connection, state age and experience. Address N, box 151, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—MOVING PICTURE and vaudeville theater, downtown district, seating 600 and clearing $600 monthly. Terms or trade. Grocery, $1000; clothing store, $1000; many theaters. Call after 6 p.m., or write. 3158 N. MAIN ST.

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FOR SALE—DEPOT LUNCH ROOM, MODERN. Long Beach, best thing available, only reason for selling I have too many places, dog me at THE PEPPER TREE CAFE, 215 W. Third st. I can sure have sale another place here in the city. L. M. Wood.

BILLIARD AND POOLROOM FOR RENT, COMpletely furnished, 11 high class tables. This is an exceptionally high class place and should be a very profitable proposition. Will rent cheap to first class party. Reason for renting, other business and can not give attention. Call PALACE BILLIARD PARLOR, 117 E. Seaside, Long Beach.

FOR SALE—OUT OF ORDINARY, GOOD PAYING, legitimate business; established; nine years; several thousand dollars will handle it; experience not necessary. The best investment that you can ask for; cannot be appreciated; investigation invited. Cash reason for selling. Address O, box 91, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BEST CASH, NO DELIVERY GROCERY store in city. First to see it will buy it. Must sell, and sacrifice it on account of going back East. Don't miss this opportunity; will involve and sell $1500. Only bump it at $1118.

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PICTURE THEATERS, BEACH, BARGAINS; $20 to $50 cash, balance $25 monthly; also 2 chairs, $300. Terms, exchange or partner. See my list of bargains, city, country, beaches from $600 up. RYAN, 101 San Fernando Bldg.

FOR SALE—MY FINE LITTLE CASH GROCERY. Am forced to sell on account of sickness. Must sell at once. Will sacrifice both stock and fixtures. Best location. Corner Hallidale and West Jefferson. PHONE 74420.

MAKE OFFER BUSINESS PAYING $125 PER month net. Committed to sell. $1200 invested. Will invoice. THOMPSON, 307 Title Insurance Bldg. 10261; Main 8306.

$900—CIGAR STAND AND LUNCH COUNTER, etc., living-rooms and garden. Parties all tired out, cause of sale. Just look at it. 3005 PASADENA AVE.

GROCERY AT INVOICE STOCK ABOUT $500, FIXtures $150, expenses 75c per day. Living rooms, second door from postoffice. Profit $144 per month. Reason, illness in the family. Have wish to return to Ariz. J. O. MATTHIAS, Rialto, Cal.

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FOR SALE—A BARGAIN, GROCERY, A WELL balanced stock with fixtures, all cash, no delivery, doing $20 to $30 a day; will involve about $800. This is the best bargain in town. Owner going East. BOYLE 2558.

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IF YOU HAVE $1000 OR $2000 TO INVEST WITH your services, here is a good salaried position for a man of executive ability with sales experience to talk charge of a high-class corporation department, where previous experience is unnecessary. Address N, box 158, TIMES OFFICE.

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$1250 PURCHASES HALF INTEREST IN LARGE downtown restaurant, averaging $75 daily. Experience unnecessary. Need reliable man to attend head end. Apply at once to gentle woman taking. Inquire ROOM 202, 126 WEST THIRD.

FOR EXCHANGE—COMPLETE HARDWARE STOCK, invoiced at $12,000; mortgage $4000, 6 per cent, can run as long as wanted. Need cash or land most anywhere. Call CHAS. M. COOK, 601 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE—OLD ESTABLISHED CORNER GROCERY close in, doing fine cash business, about $40 day; compelled to sell on account of other business; rent $35; lease; will invoice; owner, 502 AMERICAN BANK BLDG. A1061. Bdwy. 6589.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO PEOPLE IN LAND line; we need only $10,000. "Limited proposition," absolutely no risk. Remarkable condition if desired, your qualifications permitting. Address K, box 328, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTY WITH $1000 TO INVEST IN Ground floor proposition; will pay you $200 per month. Your services not required. Address J, box 500, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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FOR SALE — HERE'S A SNAP FOR SOMEBODY; grocery at 2052 N. LOS ROBLES, Pasadena; about $1000; good location; must sacrifice; have other business.

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Rent; 5x1 to end this. Going North. Fully equipped, living-rooms, established 14 years. BOYLE 250.

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FOR SALE — 1-CHAIR BARBER SHOP WITH 3 living-rooms, going east and will sell cheap; fine location, good business. Address M, box 265, TIMES OFFICE.

$650—CIGAR STAND, NEAR FIFTH AND SPRING. Large assorted fresh stock, fixtures, register, etc. Three-year lease. Low rent. Good permanent income guaranteed. Inquire ROOM 202, 126 WEST THIRD.

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FOR SALE—CAFE, $150 LIQUOR LICENSE, SPRING st., near Ohio, long lease; rent $60; family furnished; worth $7500; going for $4000; part cash. See TUCKER, Agent, 211½ W. 2nd st.

FOR SALE—THE SAN BERNARDINO AGENCY OF the Los Angeles Times. Inquire J. S. SYNDER, care Times Office, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE — LUNCH COUNTER, 15 STOOLS, cheap rent, lease; good business; $400. Inquire 1834 S. MAIN ST.

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FOR SALE—CORNER GROCERY, INVOICE ABOUT $1200; fixtures $600; horse and wagon extra, will bump at $2000; rent $35; average daily sales $60; best market adjoining. 6001 S. MAIN. Smith 3448.

FOR EXCHANGE—A STOCK OF GENERAL MERchandise in nearby town, business about $6000 to $8000 per month; price $40,000; business to be increased 50 per cent. Want small ranch. MRS. W. W. HARDISON, 427 Union Oil Bldg.

$300, FAMILY PICTURE THEATER, FULLY equipped, takings easy. This house will make man and wife $35 profit. See RYAN, 101 San Fernando Bldg.

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN A WHOLESALE bakery business, reason for selling too much business for one man; $1000 required. Call at 2311 CENTRAL AVE.

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BUTTER AND EGG ROUTE, WITH GOOD HORSE, wagon and harness; paying $75 per week; will sell for $400 cash; don't work 5 hours a day. 928 W. 11TH ST.

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$100 CASH, BALANCE EASY TERMS, TAKES fully equipped picture theater in good business district. Seating capacity 450. Rent $30. Good lease. 230 W. HELLMAN BLDG.

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PICTURE THEATER, SHOWING HANDSOME PROfits, business guaranteed. Large seating capacity, long lease, 423 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. Hours 10 to 2.

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$750—CIGAR STAND ON BUSY TRANSFER CORner, long lease, new stock, no fixtures to buy, new owner and save commission. Address owner, N, box 250, TIMES OFFICE.

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$50 to $1000, 1 to 12 months, first or second mortgages, commercial rates. No commission, escrow or title fees. Interest lowest. Mortgages, trust deeds and contracts bought. PACIFIC LOAN CO., 606 Title Insurance Bldg., Corner Fifth and Spring.
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We have plenty of money in amounts from $1000 to $5000 and want some good loans in the west and southwest. We will loan from 40 per cent. to 50 per cent. of the valuation. and if you have improved property, and want a reasonable amount, bring in your applications, and we will take care of them. ROBERT MARSH & CO., Main 5045; 10175.

WE HAVE THE MONEY IN THE BANK TO make building loans. If your lot is clear or nearly so. Select your lot anywhere. If you have half the cost of it, we can plan, finance and build your building, covering all costs in a flat contract price. No extras. Come in and talk it over.
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Money to loan on city property, either vacant or improved, at low rates.
WE DO A MORTGAGE BUSINESS EXCLUSIVELY. We make a specialty of building loans.
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Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent. and up.
Large and small city loans a specialty.
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We have funds with these trust funds to loan on good city properties at current rates in amounts up to $20,000.
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A4787. Main 5555.

HAVE $15,000 WHICH CAN BE LOANED AS whole or will divide to suit; $2000 or more, 7 per cent.
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Small or large amounts, on real estate.
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LOANS.
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$1000—5 years, 8 per cent. $2000—5 city imp. $4000—for west side. $2500—7, for city. Also other $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $2500, $1750, $1500, $1200 and $800.
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ANY AMOUNT,
ON CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY.
APPLY TO MR. KELLY, LOAN DEPT.,
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NINTH, SPRING AND MAIN STS.
HOME 10175. MAIN 5045.

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City or country.
Improved or unimproved.
Prompt, quick action.
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We want to place several loans on bungalows, southwest, at once. MR. PARKER, Strong, Dickinson & McGrath, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg. Main 1273, 60196.

WE HAVE MONEY TO LOAN IN AMOUNTS OF $10,000 at 7 per cent. on gilt-edge first mortgages.
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$7500 FOR LOS ANGELES.
Money is waiting in bank. Can give definite answer in 24 hours on anything submitted.
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W. H. ALLEN & SON,
Main 1262. 216 Douglas Bldg. A2588

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in sums to suit.
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M. J. TRUESDELL & COMPANY,
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TO LOAN—IMMEDIATE FUNDS FOR FIRST OR second mortgages, deeds of trust, and good collaterals. JAMES M. PATRICK, 420 STORY BLDG. HOME 10705.

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$5000 OR LESS TO LOAN SUBMIT IMPROVED city or suburban property actually worth double. Principals only. REED, 606 South Alvarado st.

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We will make liberal building loan for cost of house, straight mortgage, or monthly payment. No commission or we do the building. We will build to suit on your own lot at lowest price. Our experience will save you money and our guarantee relieves you of all responsibility. See us for plans.
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have money to loan
AT 7 PER CENT. NET, NO COMMISSION.
on well-located city improved or vacant.
Give exact location an dfull particulars.
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On real estate or building loans; valuation over 40 per cent. not considered. A. H. KAMINSKY, General Agent, Western States Life Insurance Company, 401 American Bank Bldg., Second and Spring sts.

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In amounts of
$5000 to $25,000,
at prevailing interest rates,
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TO LOAN—
NOW ON HAND.
$5000, $7500 and $30,000, or less, 7 per cent., on city improved.
$80,000 or less, on close-in acreage or ranch.
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MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE.
On lots, residences, apartments, stores, ranches, etc. Cash for first mortgages.
Straight building loans a specialty.
Interest 6, 7 and 8 per cent. and up.
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$500,000 TO LOAN—
Residence or business, city or country, at 5½, 6 and 7 per cent., according to location.
In amounts from $2000 up.
FRANKLIN HARPER,
F3673 or Main 944. 1102 Hollingsworth Bldg.

WE MAKE BUILDING LOANS IF YOU HAVE A clear lot, and furnish plans, specifications and money to full cost of building, including same in contract price. J. F. STONEGATE, 520 L. A. Investment Bldg. F7916, Main 2013.

WE LOAN MONEY TO HONEST, CAPABLE PERsons on same plan used by banks; namely, on your business, by an indorser, collateral security or real estate mortgage. If you're right we want your business. W. J. DENNIS & CO., 304 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A1810, Main 2900.

TO LOAN—$1500 ON IMPROVED PROPERTY AT 8 per cent. Money is actually in the bank waiting to be loaned. Can do business quickly. JAMES P. McDONALD, 502 Story Bldg. Home 60161, Main 244.

TO LOAN—MONEY—
We have plenty of money to loan on good real estate security, city or country, lot us have your application. Rates for immediate action.
ROMBOTIS REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.,
F7308. 628 Van Nuys Bldg. Bdwy. 142.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE—
Loans closed promptly from our own funds.
Building loans a specialty.
Terms to suit borrower.
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MONEY TO LOAN—
$15,000 in amounts of $2000 to $10,000.
$45,000 in amounts of $1000 to $15,000.
City or country property. Lowest rates.
R. E. 1st & 2d Title Insurance Bldg.
F5107; Main 1511. Fifth and Spring sts.

TRUST DEEDS, MORTGAGES, CONTRACTS OF sale, bought and sold on cash discount. Amounts from $500 to $10,000 preferred. No commission charged. SECURITIES REALIZATION CO., 229 Union Oil Bldg. F3668.

IF YOU WANT TO BORROW ANY OF THE FOLlowing amounts, see us at once, as money is available for immediate action: $500, $1000, $1200, $1600, $2000, $3000, $4000, $5000, $10,000, $12,000. GILBERT & SONS, 401 Title Ins. Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—
We have plenty of money to loan at 7 per cent. Come in and see
CONWAY & GLEASNER,
405 Laughlin Bldg.

A LARGE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO LOAN FROM $2000 to $500,000, on approved real estate. Banks won't loosen up, we will. W. H. ELWELL CO., 709 Grant Bldg. A5502.

I HAVE $12,000 WHICH I WANT TO PLACE ON first mortgage loans in this city. Prefer loans of $1000 to $2000. Give full details and I will give answer promptly. Address K, box 865, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

TO LOAN—
$1000 to $5000 at 7 per cent. to 8 per cent. on first mortgage city income.
ALBERT E. METCALF,
516 Grant Bldg. A1897.

WE WILL LOAN 40 PER CENT. OF THE CONservative value of improved city real estate at 7 per cent. Prompt attention is assured, as we loan on our own funds. Principals only. WESTERN INVESTMENT CO., 1109 I. N. Van Nuys Bldg. Phone F6245.

SEND IN YOUR APPLICATIONS FOR FIRST mortgages on city property. We have funds to place and can serve you quickly. See Mr. Conant with REALTY LOAN CO., 911 Bruckman Bldg. F6162, Main 162.

I HAVE MONEY TO LOAN ON AI CITY IMproved.
ROBERT HENRY BROWN,
Main 450, F6587.

TO LOAN—
Money of various amounts, waiting for good first mortgages. See MR. PARKER, Strong, Dickinson & McGrath, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg. Main 1273, 60196.

TO LOAN—THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS ON HAND to be loaned immediately: $500, $1000, $2000, $2500, $3000, $3500, $5000, $7500 and $30,000.
A4189. 809 Trust and Sav. Bldg. Bdwy. 1568.

MONEY TO LOAN—
On Improved City Property
or for building, on easy terms of repayment.
STATE MUTUAL BUILDING AND LOAN
ASSOCIATION, 223 S. Spring st.

BUILDING LOANS, WITH OUR OWN FUNDS, $2000 to $15,000, 7 per cent., you do the building, immediate action.
HOUSTON, GORE & LOY, Inc.
Capital $250,000. Main 1720.
1007-8-9 Union Oil Bldg.

WE HAVE PLENTY OF MONEY ON HAND TO loan on first mortgage real estate security improved or vacant; city or country; within 25 or 30 miles of L. A. See M. D. McGREGOR, with David Barry Co., 1216-20 Hibernian Bldg. Main 8.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT, FROM $1000 to $20,000 to loan on good Hollywood property. HOLLYWOOD REALTY CO. 6496 Hollywood blvd., near Wilcox.

MONEY TO LOAN—
I have from $1000 to $3000 to loan on first mortgage, city or country. See HITCHMANN, 704 Story Bldg. Broadway 1566 or A4810.

TO LOAN—
Money on high-class ranch property alfalfa preferred. MR. PARKER, Strong, Dickinson & McGrath, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg. Main 1273, 60196.

MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE, LISTED stocks, bonds and on personal security; bonds and commercial paper bought. TRADERS EXCHANGE, 321 Bryson Bldg. Bdwy. 5199, A5062.

$50,000 IN SUMS TO SUIT; CITY OR COUNTRY. Low rates; free advice; quick action.
FRANK D. TATUM & CO.,
Main 176. 231 Title Insurance Bldg. F2125.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT ON VACANT OR improved, building loans a specialty, current rates.
CHANDLER CASSOU & CO.,
F8121. 708-14 Bradbury Bldg. Main 2715.

MONEY TO LOAN—E. W. POINDEXTER, 409 WILCOX BLDG. Mortgage loans, building loans a specialty. If you want to lend or borrow, see us. References, First National Bank.

$25 to $25,000 LOANED WITHOUT DELAY ON vacant or improved city or suburban property. Bring all papers and save delay. CANNON, 201 Security Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN ON BUSINESS PROPERTY; also few good farm loans wanted.
LIBERTY F. SCOTT, 601 Grosse Bldg.

TO LOAN—LET US FINANCE AND BUILD A flat for you; $4000 to $6000. N ccumulation. SMITH & DE NURE. 311 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 4028. F1865.

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MONEY TO LOAN—
Salaries and Chattels.

DIAMOND LOANS, 1 to 2 PER CENT. KUSEL, 306-307 Stimson Bldg., Third and Spring. Established 12 years. Bank references. Diamonds kept bank vault. WE BUY DIAMONDS ALSO.

SMALL LOANS ON CHATTELS, TRANSACTIONS treated confidentially. Address L, box 128, TIMES OFFICE.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Salaries and Chattels.

LOAN HEADQUARTERS—
By straightforward, simple business methods and low rates we are daily demonstrating to our many customers that this is the place for every borrower to do business. Any one keeping house can get the amount they need—$10 and upwards, to be repaid weekly or monthly. No publicity. Get all your bills together. Confidential loans to ladies. Call, write or phone Main 6080.
PARK LOAN COMPANY,
Rooms 307-8 Broadway Central Bldg.,
434 S. BROADWAY, Third Floor.

IF YOU WANT A RELIABLE PLACE TO BORROW money in small amounts you will make no mistake by coming to us. Easy weekly or monthly payments. Let us tell you more about it at our office.
CENTRAL LOAN COMPANY,
509 Security Bldg. 510 S. Spring st.
Phones: F6012. Main 4018.

LOANS—LOANS—LOANS.
BEST RATE AND EASIEST TERMS.
FIDELITY LOAN CO.,
520 Mason Bldg.
228 W. Fourth, corner Fourth and Bdwy.
Phones—Home F3421, Bdwy. 5171.

PRIVATE LOANS PRIVATE.
QUICKLY MADE. IF YOU ARE KEEPING HOUSE, SEE US
GERMAN-AMERICAN LOAN CO.,
ROOMS 701-702, DELTA BLDG.
MAIN 6257. 426 S. SPRING ST. F2158.

MONEY LOANED AT 2 PER CENT. MONTHLY ON diamonds, jewelry and other good collateral. Private rooms. PROVIDENT PLEDGE CORPORATION, 312 Union Oil Bldg. No chattels.

SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN ACCOMMODATED without delay or publicity. SOUTHERN CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

PRIVATE PARTY HAS MONEY TO LOAN IN amounts to suit, on stocks and bonds only. Interest reasonable. Name your security. Address TRUSTEE, N, box 110, TIMES OFFICE.

LOANS ON DIAMONDS. CONFIDENTIAL. BANK references. FRITCH-LAUGHLIN, 710 Great Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

WANTED—VICTIMS OF CHATTEL LOAN SHARKS to call at 205 FROST BLDG.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—
APPROVED LOANS.
$1700, 7 per cent., on southwest corner, for which $6000 was refused.
$2500, 7 per cent., on modern $7000 North Wilshire dwelling.
$5000, improved corner, near Hope and 30th.
$6000, on large improved corner on Figueroa and 42nd.
$7000, 7 per cent., on fine dwelling overlooking Wilshire and Sunset Park.
$15,000 on $30,000 orange grove.
$20,000 or $30,000 per acre, on Glendora grove.
$30,000, 8 per cent., on $120,000 alfalfa ranch.
F. A. PATTEE,
607 Story Bldg. Main 1989; F6748.

WANTED—MONEY— VALUE
$1000, 8; 5-room house, modern..... $2500
$1100, 1; 6-room house, new..... $4500
$2000, 1; 7-room modern..... $6000
$4000, 1; 4 4-room flats, new..... $10,000
$4000, 1; 5-room flats on Union..... $14,000
$6000, 8; 8 3-room flats; fine loan..... $18,000
$4000, 7; business corner Los Angeles st..... $15,000
$7000, 1; concrete bldg., stores and flats..... $20,000
$7000, 8; 20 acres well improved, Downey..... $17,500
$10,000, 7; bungalow court, Hollywood..... $25,000
$15,000, 7; bungalow court, Pasadena..... $40,000
$30,000, 7; Figueroa near 10th, new brick..... $70,000

SEE MR. RUBEN WITH
HILDESHEIM & SCHILLER,
625 Van Nuys Bldg. F6426; Main 5025.

WANTED—MONEY.
$6000—3 years at 7 per cent. on close-in improved corner lot 51x125. Bank valuation $13,000. This is a choice loan.

$6000—3 years at 8 per cent. on 20-acre well-improved dairy and fruit ranch near Downey. Conservative value $17,500.
HILDESHEIM & SCHILLER,
625 Van Nuys Bldg. F6426; Main 5025.

WANTED—MONEY—
$55000 3 years, at 7, on large improved southwest corner.
$9000 7 years, at 7, on choice building proposition.
$1500—3 yrs. at 9, on city vacant.
$3500—3 years, at 10, on improved ranch, Coachella.
A1168; Main 8941. 401-03 Laughlin Bldg.

WANTED—
$185 CASH BONUS TO PRINCIPALS.
$4500, 5 PER CENT. SECURITY $15,000.
480 acres level land, elegant soil. Antelope Valley. Close to Lancaster. Plenty water, all subject fine improvements. Priced $25 per acre cash. OWNERS, 421 Grant Bldg.

WANTED—$3000, 7 PER CENT., ON NEW ONEsome smaller loans. W. HICKS, 419 Van Nuys Bldg. $9000 to build. Lot worth $6000 cash. This is a splendid loan. No agents.
$25000—7 per cent., vacant lot, 60x150, on Western avenue, near Sixth street, value $50000.
C. H. CRARY & SONS, 401 Title Ins. Bldg. 12908.

WANTED—$40,000, 7 PER CENT., ON RANCH, ample security. Party having this sum of money can place it quickly. I also want $20,000 on portion of land near Encinitas. Can use some smaller loans. W. HICKS, 419 Van Nuys Bldg. Phone A5062.

WANTED—
EXCEPTIONAL.
$25,000, 8 per cent., on $120,000 6000-acre ranch, 300 acres of finest alfalfa and 250 acres raw. All land abundant, free ditch water. F. A. PATTEE, 607 Story Bldg. Main 1989; F6748.

WANTED—LOAN $35,000 AT 7% ON 200 ACRES worth $100,000. 100 acres walnuts, 100 acres beans. Bank appraisement $90,000.
CHAS. T. INMAN, 333 Union Oil Bldg. Bdwy. 535. A4378.

WANTED—$5000 AT 7 PER CENT., 3 YEARS, ON 20 acres good improved land, on boulevard to Long Beach; 12-inch well, 2 miles to town; 3 houses, large barn, 3 acres of fruit; value $15,000. 104 HENNE BLDG. Broadway 1482.

WANTED—$10,000, WANT TO BUILD HOLLOW tile bungalow court.
EDW. R. SWEET, Builder,
401 Black Bldg. Broadway 1612.

WANTED—MONEY; SEE OUR LIST OF CHOICE first mortgages; $2000 to $50,000 AT STANDARD SECURITIES CO., 704 Hollingsworth Bldg. A4846.

WANTED—$6500 AT 8, ON 100x150, 15 ROOMS, income $3000; lot valued at $15,000, one block from bank and Modjeska Theater, Santa Monica. CHANDLER, 624 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—$2000 ON GOOD SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE in Boyle Heights, lot 50x147. Easily worth $4500. A good, safe loan. ROBERT MARSH & CO., Main 5045. 10175.

WANTED—MONEY—
We can place your money on carefully secured real estate first mortgages, at 7 and 8 per cent. MR. PARKER, Strong, Dickinson & McGrath, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg. Main 1273. 60196.

WANTED—$1600 FIRST MORTGAGE AT 7 PER cent.; close; new modern 5-room bungalow; value $3500, on high ground, near Sunset blvd. and Silver Lake Park. Address J, box 575, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — $2100, FIRST MORTGAGE 8 PER cent.; no agents; no commission. EARL NEWBURN, 623 Higgins Bldg.

WANTED—$2000 AT 7. NEW 6-ROOM BUNGAlow, furnace, garage, corner lot Southwest, valley $4500. A4781.

WANTED—$6000 AT 8 ON TEN ACRES 13-YEARold navels, with water; value $18,000. GOODRICH-HUNT CO., 2010 Hibernian Bldg. F2010.

WANTED—$2500 AT 7 PER CENT., ON MY HOME in Hollywood, good loan; no agents. Address N, box 72, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$3500 AT 8 ON FIVE STORES, ON corner lot, 100x125, rentals pay 10 per cent. on $6000; quick action required. CHANDLER, 624 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—LOAN, $15,000 AT 8, CLOSE-IN HIGH grade income. Lot 150x200. Fine new buildings. Value $29,500.
CHAS. T. INMAN, 333 Union Oil Bldg. Bdwy. 535.

MONEY WANTED—ON IMPROVED PROPERTIES. We have a large listing of fine securities. MacDERMOTT & McLAUGHLIN, 423 Bradbury Bldg. W. Jones Co., 417 Hibernian Bldg. A3751; Bdwy. 627.

WANTED—MONEY—$350 FOR THREE MONTHS. Will give $50 for the use of it. Pay 5 per cent. a month. Money secured by real estate. Prefer private party. Address N, box 270, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I NEED $1100 IMMEDIATELY, 10 PER cent. Will give trust deed on first-class property. CALL 457197.

WANTED—$250, GIVE TRUST DEED PROPERTY value $5000. Pay 10 per cent. First mortgage of $2000 at 7 per cent. Improved with 5-room house rented for $25. A4781.

WANTED—MONEY—
$1000 at 9 per cent. on Main street lot. Good security. Phone HOME 10847, Sunset Main 2308.

WANTED—$3800 AT 7%, 5-ROOM HOUSE, LARGE lot, on 35th, close to Main street. Value $6000. A4781.

WANTED—HAVE $13,000 TO LOAN AT 7 PER cent. on business and income property, north of Pico, south of Sixth, west of Main. Act quick. 916 STORY BLDG. 07123.

WANTED—FOR SALE FIRST MORTGAGE, $2000, 7 years, 8 per cent. 423 Forty-first st. Interest and principal guaranteed. ROLAND HOLLINGSWORTH, 803 Union Oil Bldg.

WANTED—$2500, 8 YEARS, 8 PER CENT. SECured by first mortgage on property worth $6000. This is an exceptionally fair loan. Address K, box 427, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$3500 AT 8 PER CENT., ON MODERN bungalow, Portia street, near Bonnie Brae, close-in, from principals. CALDWELL, 515 Trust and Savings Bldg. F6523. Main 1107.

WANTED—$2500 AT 7, ON 6 AND 8 ROOMS, lot, corner, 40x140; easy $4000 and Western. Value $6000. S. R. KERNS & CO., 521 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A4787, Main 5555.

WANTED—TO BORROW, $1000, SECURED BY $5000 payable $150 monthly, through Title Insurance and Trust Co. For information inquire of C. C. MISHLER, 301 Bradbury Bldg.

WANTED—$2000 ON WESTERN AVENUE, NEAR 20th st., 40x180, improved, with good 6-room modern house; value $5500. ROBERT MARSH & CO., Main 5045; 10175.

WANTED—HAVE $500 GILT EDGE MORTGAGE on 5 improved farm lands; will discount. Phone F3452, MAIN 1472. 316 Trust and Savings Bldg.

WANTED—$1200 AT 7 PER CENT., 3 YEARS, ON large corner lot, 75x185, corner New Hampshire and Wed. 11th st.; the apartment site; value $5000. 104 HENNE BLDG. Broadway 1482.

WANTED — TO SELL $4000 FIRST MORTGAGE, well secured, 1-4 trade, sound paper, balance cash. Call mornings and evenings, SOUTH 4504.

REAL ESTATE TO EXCHANGE FOR NATIONAL Pacific Oil stock. Address N, box 179, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BORROW $6000 ON MODERN TEN-room house, near Victoria Park, worth $13,000; will pay good rate of interest; no agents. Owner, 1219 ALGOMA. Home Phone 75060.

WANTED—$4500, VALUE $12,000, 2-STORY RESIdence, large lot, West Adams district, paved street, 2 garages. A4781.

WANTED—$6000, PROPERTY VALUE $16,000. Good improvements. West 8th st., close in, large lot. OWNER, A4781.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY
FIRST MORTGAGE.
$1000—3 years, 8 per cent., northeast corner 1st and Rowan st. Value $4000.

$1300—3 years, 8 per cent., elegant lot on Mesa drive. Value $3000.

$1500—3 years, 7 per cent., on fine 2-story bungalow, Virginia st., Hollywood. Value $3000.

$1800—3 years, 7 per cent., 7-room bungalow, West 47th st., near Hoover. Value $4000.

$2000—3 years, 7 per cent., on elegant new 7-room bungalow West 45th st., near Harvard. Value $4500.

$2000—3 years, 7 per cent., on fine, large 7-room bungalow on Second ave., near Jefferson st. Value $4500.

$2500—3 years, 7 per cent., on new 8-room house, West 24th st., near La Salle. Value $6500.

$2500—3 years, 7 per cent., on fine 8-room bungalow, furnace, garage, etc., 41st st. and Normandie. Value $5500.

$3000—3 years, 8 per cent., on 2-story house, large lot, 35th st. near Main. Value $7000.

$5500—3 years, 7 per cent., on elegant new court of six bungalows. Near Pasadena ave. Value $15,000. Income $135 per month.

AMERICAN MORTGAGE COMPANY,
Dr. Peter Janss, President.
Frank N. Fish, Secretary.
611-613 South Hill street.
10345. Phone. Bdwy. 2468.

WANTED—MONEY.
$700—5 per cent. 2 lots, street work done; value $2400.
$1200—8 per cent. 5 rooms, modern; value $2700.
$1500—8 per cent. 6 rooms, modern; value $3500.
$1800—8 per cent. 6 rooms, just sold for $3500.
$2000—8 per cent. 7 rooms, close in; value $4200.
$1500—8 per cent. 8 acres close to city; value $8000.
$1500—9 per cent. 20 acres, improved; value $6000.
$2500—8 per cent. 6 rooms, modern, and 6 lots; value $6000.
$3500—9 per cent. 8 rooms, new, corner; value $8000.
$2500—8 per cent. Improved ranch at Fullerton; value $9000.
$4000—9 per cent. 80 acres, improved; value $12,000.
$9000—7 per cent. 11 rooms, corner on Figueroa; value $18,000.
$2500—7 per cent. 10 rooms, 80-foot front, near Westlake; value $14,000.
$1000—7 per cent. Mortgage for sale; will discount $900.
$10,000—7 per cent. Improved near Westlake; value $25,000.
$15,000—8 per cent. Improved ranch worth $75,000.
$16,000—7½ per cent. 100-acre alfalfa ranch, value $60,000.

J. C. HOVIS & CO.,
236-7 Bradbury Bldg.
F5226 Main 8458.

WANTED—ON FIRST MORTGAGES. VALUE
$17,000—7, 14th and Magnolia. Lot 50x150, new 40-room brick apts., $42,000
$11,000—7, Hollywood, close in apts. 25,000
$10,500—7, 7th, 8th and Ft.; 75x115. 25,000
$9500—10, Westlake, nr. 7th, imp., 50x150 18,000
$8000—8, Bullcog, nr. 41st., 11 R., modern, 12,000
$8000—7, Adams, imp., 12 rooms, 21,000
$7500—7, Watts, new brick stores. 20,000
$7000—7, Hollywood, new stores & apts., 30,000
$7000—7, Glendale, concrete st. and apts., 20,000
$6200—7, 14th and Constance, imp. 97x146, 17,500
$5800—8, Adams and Central, imp. 110x185, 12,500
$5000—7, Grand, 7-room, 10th, imp. 25,000
$4500—8, 8th & Hoover, 104x198. High 12,000
$4000—7, W. Adams, 6 R., modern, 9,500
$3800—7, Manhattan Place, 50x146, 10,000
$2500—7, No. Hollywood. Modern, 50x150 6,500
$2000—7, San Pedro, nr. 52nd, 4-4 flats 7,500
$2000—7, Compton ave., bung., and stores. 4,500
$2000—7, Inglewood. Business, 50x150. 6,500
$2000—8, Santa Fe ave. Indust., 80x150 6,000
$1800—8, Long Beach, 2 fine lots. 600
$1600—8, Hermosa Beach, 10 R., 3 lots. 5,000
$1200—8, Gardena, 8 acres, close in 5,000
$1200—8, Gardena, 5 acres, close in 3,500
$1000—7, Angeles Mesa, 2 lots, 100x150 2,500
$1500—8, W. 20th. Lots 40x180. Choice, 1,150

A4059. Main 4059. 302 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—
NINE PER CENT. MONEY.
INTEREST AND PRINCIPLE GUARANTEED.

Unusual opportunity to place any part of $12,000 at 9 per cent., payable monthly, with real estate security to the amount of $50,000, deposited with the German-American Trust and Savings Bank. The property is a pedestal monthly income, payments at a rate that places the actual cost in 5 years. Opportunity for full redemption before the five years expire.

Can be taken in units of $100 or $500 up to the full amount.

Quarterly interest coupons attached to notes and payable on presentation at German-American Trust and Savings Bank. The annoyance of personal collections, legal delays, interest, etc., avoided, and a certainty of principal being paid on date it is due is assured. Agents protected. Address K, box 814, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

F. C. SMITH, Agent, 410 W. Sixth st.

WANTED—MONEY FOR
CALIFORNIA STREET,
IMPROVEMENT BONDS.
AN ABSOLUTE FIRST LIEN.
ON CHOICE REAL ESTATE.
being a prior lien to a first mortgage regardless of date of issue.
Bearing 7 per cent. interest,
and
With Bonus Collections.
Will not

Realty Liners.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—$ YEARS, $2500 OR $3000 ON $-ROOM bungalow, $500 third mtg., worth $4000; no brokers. 1827 West 7th. st., north. Exide car.

WANTED—$2500 AS SECOND MORTGAGE ON RESIDENCE worth $4000, near 4th and Figueroa, worth $60,000, with $17,500 first mortgage. Deal as security, and will regard investment as same. Address M, box 97, MELROSE, 3123 Van Nuys Ave. Main 5877. Gilder.

WANTED—$17,500 FOR 5 YEARS, 8 PER CENT., on a large business corner 100x132 now leased to two responsible business tenants. Joy Deal & Imp. Co., 1st floor Grant Bldg. 2nd floor Hollenbeck Bldg. Main 8441.

WANTED—$1000 at 7 per cent., secured by 7-room house valued at $4000, in the Wilshire district. Property is on car line and is excellent security. Principals only.

J. V. BLAKISE,
W. H. ALLEN & SON,
A2626. 216 Wilcox Building.

WANTED—
Mortgage of $2500 on beautiful seven-room bungalow and lovely garage located on 21st. st., V. Ardsley Park; valued at $6000. Address M, box 97, Ardsley.

W. H. ALLEN & SON,
Main 1092. 216 Douglas Bldg. A2626.

WANTED—A LOAN OF $600 FOR 5 YEARS AT 8 per cent., on 5 fine lots at Ridgewood Park. Improvements: Fine fencing on two sides and $40 assessment. Also a loan of $1200 for 5 years at 8 per cent. on 7-room bungalow in city with 2 car lots. Commission. Telephone BROADWAY 6477.

WANTED—MONEY—
We want $2500 on new modern white cement, 5-room house, built to sell, all improvements; built-in features, hardwood floor; will pay 5 per cent. Please see us at once. BARRY H. COLVIN COMPANY, 5 S. Broadway, Manager Loan Department. Grand Main 8441.

WANTED—$2000 ON CORNER CLARENCE, NEAR Main. Two five-room cottages, with lot 80x140. Rent $27 per month. In the industrial district, and worth $4000. ROBERT MARSH & CO., Main 5042; 10178.

WANTED—HAVE A CLIENT WHO WANTS $30,000, $20,000, $10,000, on close-in property, value $70,000. L. LINDLEY, 1015 Hollenbeck Bldg. Suite 200 to 204 Central Bldg. Sixth and Main.

WANTED—MONEY, $40,000, 7 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., payable quarterly, on handsome corner, West Adams Heights. Improvements and property worth $60,000. Address M, box 97, MARSHALL, FINNEY & MARSHALL, 1015 Hollenbeck Bldg. Main 8441. Broadway 6477.

WANTED—$15 HAVE CONTRACT FOR TEN lots, all clear, which we have cleared $1000; that's worth $15 a month interest for ten years. Will put property in clear and value at $6500. HYDE-STREET IMPROVEMENT CO., 1827 West 7th. Wilshire 1315.

WANTED—$20,000 AT 7 PER CENT.
On BUSINESS PROPERTY. Owner from the new Examiner building. Address M, box 97, Examiner Annex, or apply to agents, EARL D. GLASS, owner, 201 Security Bldg.

WANTED—$10,000 AT 7 PER CENT. ON 75x110 on Towne avenue between 7th and 8th; splendid improvements; value at $22,500. Fine and desirable business men are owners; one owner has vacated owing to the amount. Address M, box 97, MELROSE, 3123 Van Nuys Ave. Main 5877. Gilder.

WANTED—LOAN, $30,000 AT 7, ON CLOSE-IN S. Hope st. New property paying large income. Value $150,000.
CHAS. T. INMAN, 333 Union Oil Bldg. A4378. Sdwy. 555.

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A2626. 216 Wilcox Building.

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Main 1092. 216 Douglas Bldg. A2626.

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AUDIT CO., INC., 704 Auditorium bldg.—M. 6327.

BOOKKEEPING CO., 508-509 Marsh-Strong bldg. M. 5097—F1697.

ADDING MACHINES.

AMERICAN ADDING MACHINE, THE, 928-4 Story bldg. F7081.

ADVERTISING.

PERRY, PERRY, R. B., 231 S. San Pedro st. M. 4864.

ADVERTISING—OUTDOOR.

SIGN CO., 1053 S. Main st. 28858—M. 6420—F1099.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

HOLLOWAY, E. P., 125-27-29 N. Los Angeles st.

IMPLEMENT CO., 134 S. Los Angeles. M. 5422—F1099.

ANTIQUE FURNITURE AND MOVING PICTURE PROPS.

[illegible], 1159 S. Los Angeles st.

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[illegible] Apartments, 2245 Scarff st.

[illegible] Terrace Apts., 1435 Alvarado st.

[illegible] Apartments, 101 S. Bunker Hill.

[illegible] Apartments, 801 S. Union ave. M. 4—F6826.

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[illegible] Apartments, Ninth and Burlington. Wilshire 207.

[illegible] Apartments, 1217 E. 3rd st. South 1120.

[illegible] Apartments, 611 S. Union. Wilshire 2067.

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[illegible] Apartments, 210 W. Tenth st. Sunset 5940—M. 5940.

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ART GALLERIES.

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[illegible] Wm. M., 21-22-23 Washington bldg. M. 4—F6826.

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[illegible] F. P., 611 Van Nuys bldg. A3826—M. 4—F6826.

[illegible] A. P. Michael, 418-419 Higgins bldg. A3827.

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Business: Money, Stocks and Bonds—Trade—The Citrus Market.

New York Coffee Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, April 25. — Following is range of quotations:

Option—	High.	Low.	—Close— Bid.	Ask.
January	....	....	9.17	9.18
March	....	....	9.80	9.82
May	9.53	9.52	9.53	9.55
June	....	....	9.62	9.63
July	....	....	9.69	9.71
August	....	....	9.78	9.79
September	....	....	9.87	9.88
October	....	....	9.96	9.97
December	....	....	9.11	9.12

Local Stock Market Activities

BY JNO. O. KNIGHT.

Just what effect the Mexican trouble will have upon the stock market and business in general is a much-discussed question these days. Ideas upon the subject differ, but majority opinion seems to favor the view that, after the first shock is over, the effect will be practically negligible.

Business is already running at a low ebb throughout the country, with only about enough being done in most lines to meet the absolute requirements of a large population. Established concerns are not attempting to branch out, and few new enterprises are being undertaken, a condition which the stock market's lack of animation faithfully reflects.

Whatever causes may have led up to this condition, it is at least certain that the long-drawn-out attempts at political regulation of business are not proving very efficacious in restoring normal industrial and financial activity. The unfortunate complications in Mexico will undoubtedly serve as a check upon chimerical legislation that is now being pressed by calling for attention to more real problems in other directions. Liquidation was apparently completed some months ago, and as soon as the handicap of political interference is withdrawn all lines of business should start toward a much delayed recovery.

Union Oil bonds gained two points on the week's trading. Producers' Transportation 5's also showed a firmer tone. All the bond issues allied with Union will be materially strengthened by the new financing which has been accomplished.

Action of Union Oil stock, following announcement of the closing of a deal with the English syndicate, furnished the surprise of the week in local market. On the day the announcement was made trading amounted to less than 200 shares and the next day 20 shares only changed hands on the Stock Exchange. Failure of the market to respond to this news was undoubtedly due to confusion as to the actual terms of the deal. From the published statement of Treasurer Garrigues it was apparent that the English syndicate had purchased $15,-666,000 of treasury stock at par. The following day, however, President Lyman Stewart was quoted in an interview as stating that this was not a net figure. In the meantime, trading in the stock apparently awaits more definite information.

Subject to confirmation and acceptance, we offer the following:

BONDS—	To Yield	Price.
Associated Oil 5's	5.50%	$97.75
Arizona Power 6's	7.25	86.50
Cal. Portland Cement 5's	7.00	98.75
Edison Elec. rfd. 5's	5.00	99.75
Huntington 4½% Notes (old)	8.50	97.50
Imperial Val. Gas Co. 6's	7.00	90.00
L. A. Home Tel. 1st rfd. 5's	7.10	74.75
L. A. Railway Corp. 5's	5.55	92.00
L. A. Dock & Terminal 6's	7.50	86.50
Metropolitan Bldg. 6's	7.00	86.00
Nevada-Cal. Power Co. 6's	6.00	99.75
Pasadena Home Tel. 1st 5's	6.60	82.00
Pac. L. & P. Corp. 5's	6.00	85.00
Bridge Land & Nav. 5's	6.00	91.50
Riverside Light & Fuel 5's	6.40	90.00
Union Oil 5's	6.25	89.00
Union Realty 6's (S. F.)	6.00	90.00
Ventura Co. Power 6's	6.50	91.50

STOCKS.	
10 American Trona Co.	$100.00
30 American Potash Co.	35.00
10 Auditorium Co. (5th & Olive).	87.50
20 Arizona Power pfd.	87.50
10 Bank of Italy	138.00
25 Biograph Film Co.	97.00
50 Bond & Mortgage Ins. Co.	94.00
20 Borden's Cond. Milk, pfd.	102.50
50 Cal. Delta Farms, Inc.	84.00
20 Cawston Ostrich Farm	115.00
10 Central Realty	95.00
13 Continental Motor Mfg. Co. pfd	90.00
10 Craig Shipbuilding Co.	75.00
10 Far. & Mer. Nat'l Bank	340.00
10 First National Bank (L. A.)	420.00
20 First Nat'l Bank (L. B.)	167.50
20 General Film Co., pfd.	85.00
100 Great Republic Life Ins. Co.	7.25
10 Griffin Wheel Co., pfd.	106.00
10 Home Savings Bank	115.00
10 Kinemacolor	14.00
100 L. A. French Brick, com.	130.00
100 L. A. Invest. Gold Notes 12%	90.50
20 L. A. Creamery Co.	92.00
25 Long Beach Steamship Co.	105.00
20 Long Beach Con. Gas Co.	75.00
10 Los Angeles Ice & Cold Stg. Co	78.00
10 Mutual Film Corp., com.	74.00
30 New World Life Ins. Co.	15.00
50 Off & Vaughn Drug Co.	85.00
50 Riverside Portland Cement	80.00
10 R. D. Hilent & Co.	90.00
50 So. Cal. Edison Elec. pfd.	97.75
30 S. W. Port. Cmt. pfd. & 25 com	98.00
10 Title Insur. & Tr. Co.	145.00
4 Two Rep. Life of El Paso	102.00
50 United Pool, pfd.	91.00
135 Union Trust Co.	30.50
20 Western Steam Nav. Co.	12.00
25 Western Power, com.	20.50
10 Western States Life Ins. Co.	7.00
10 West Coast Oil	104.50
30 Wright & Callender Bldg.	90.00

MISCELLANEOUS	
2000 Alaska Imp. & Dev. Co.	.01
5000 Antelope Valley Mining Co.	.01½
400 Anti-Friction Journal Box	.20
2000 Big Blue	.07
1000 Calabasas Oil	.10
2000 Commonwealth, Home Bldrs.	.07
1000 Pending Co. of Cal.	.15
400 Home Builders (M. O. H.)	.50
2000 L. A. Cherokee Oil Co.	1.40
1000 Long Beach Imp. Co.	1.10
200 Macomber Motors Co.	.85
500 Mescat Copper Co.	2.10
1000 Palmer Annex	.37
500 Pacific Home Builders	.25
1000 Prov. Pledge full (bonus)	.01½
200 Rotary Air Brake	.05
1000 Rock Oil	.01½
1400 San Diego Constr. Co.	.06
100 F. B. Stetfer	1.25
500 Tom Reed Gold Mines Co.	2.02
1000 United Development Co.	2.00
100 U. S. Cashier	1.75
1000 Tellow Pine Mng. Co.	.51

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Rose Valley Mutual Water 6's.
Cal. Portland Cement 1st 5's.
Cal. Domestic Water Co. 6's.
Edison Electric 1st rfd. 5's.
Great Western Power 5's.
L. A. Railway 1st con. 5's.
Pacific Wharf & Storage 6's.
Producers' Transportation 5's.
Santa Monica Home Tel. 1st 5's.
South Yuba Water 6's.
South Pacific Coast R. R. 4's (1937.)
Union Transportation 5's.
Union Oil 6% Notes.

STOCKS WANTED.

Arizona Power, com.
Cal. Guarantee Life & Accident.
Cal. National Life Ins. Co.
Columbia Oil.
Cooper, Coats & Casey Co.
German-American Tr. & Sav. Bank.
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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, April 25, 1914.

Bank clearings yesterday were $5,422,701.02, a decrease of $83,422.58, comparing with the same day in 1913, and an increase of $162,190.26, compared with the same day in 1912.

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Monday	$5,643,977.25	$4,624,061.29	$3,449,455.34
Tuesday	4,822,853.96	3,947,851.84	3,060,927.66
Wed'day	4,668,713.18	4,509,557.42	3,652,122.38
Thursday	5,652,895.69	4,696,002.97	4,729,289.43
Friday	5,289,154.29	3,695,465.27	4,502,986.07
Saturday	5,422,701.02	3,516,222.60	3,260,600.76

Bank clearings last week aggregated $32,501,105, a decrease of $478,091, compared with the corresponding week last year, and a decrease of $2,385,-642, compared with the previous week this year.

Stocks and Bonds.

WAR PROSPECTS WEAKEN PRICES.

END OF FOREIGN SELLING RELIEVES PRESSURE.

Although Decline Is General, Net Losses Are Considerably Less Than Previous Day—Heaviness of Bond Market Reflects Disturbance Caused by Complications.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 25.—There was further unsettlement of the stock market today. The movement was irregular and at times confused. While the downward movement was extended, net losses were considerably smaller than on the preceding day. The two main factors in the week's decline were the Mexican crisis and heavy foreign selling. Today these influences pulled against each other. Foreign pressure was relieved and American stocks in London for the first time in several days held fairly steady. On the other hand, the Mexican situation was as much of a disturbing force as before. Preparations for war and the reported assassination of Americans in Mexico seemed to increase the probability of a serious and protracted struggle and there was corresponding depression of sentiment. A comparison of last prices today with the close of last week shows that Canadian Pacific, Mexican Petroleum and Smelting lost about ten points each. St. Paul and the Harriman shares are about four points lower, but Reading and Steel show declines of only about two points. Fully as significant of the depressed state of feeling as the fall in stocks was the heaviness of the bond market today. Some of the prominent bonds lost a point or more. Southern Pacific convertible 5's, when issued, were sold heavily and went as low as 99¼, compared with the subscription price of 100. Total sales of bonds, par value, $1,400,000. United States and Panama issues declined from one-half to two points on call on the week.

New York Bond List.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, April 25.—Closing quotations on the bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
Atchison Gen. 4s	95¾	95¾
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	94	94½
B. & O. Gold 4s	94	94½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s	87	88
Chesapeake & Ohio 4½s	93	94
C. M. & St. P. Gen. 4½s	102½	102¾
C. R. I. & P. Col. 4s	82½	83
California Gas 5s	93¾	93¾
C. B. Q. Joint 4s	96¾	96¾
Erie Gen. 4s	72	72½
Inter-Met. 4½s	75	75½
Louisville & Nashville Un. 4s	94	95
Missouri Pacific 4s	55	56
N. Y. C. Gen. 3½s	82¾	82¾
N. & W. 1st Con. 4s	94½	94¾
Northern Pacific 4s	93¾	94¼
Oregon Short Line Ref. 4s	90½	91½
Pacific Tel. 5s	97	97½
Pennsylvania Con. 4s	100¼	101
Reading Gen. 4s	91½	91¾
St. L. & S. F. Rfg. 4s	77¾	78
Southern Pacific Ref. 4s	92	92¼
Southern Pacific Col. 4s	89½	90¼
Southern Railway 5s	105¼	105¾
Southern Railway 4s	73¼	73¾
Un. Ry. Inv. 4s	55¼	54½
Union Pacific 1st and Ref. 4s	93	94
U. S. 3s Reg.	102¼	102¾
West Shore 4s	93¾	93½
Wabash 4s	56	56¾
Westinghouse Electric Conv. 5s	92	96
Wisconsin Central 4s	87¾	88

Sales aggregated $1,420,000. Following is partial list of transactions: Atchison Gen. 4s, 1 at 95¾; Atchison Conv. 4s, 1 at 93; Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4½s, 8 at 90¾, 27 at 90¾, 3 at 90½, 5 at 90¼, 10 at 90½; C. B. Q. Joint 4s, 7 at 96¾; C. R. Q. of Illinois 3½s, 9 at 84¾; C. M. & St. P. Conv. 4½s, 3 at 100¼, 2 at 100¼, 10 at 100; C. R. I. P. 4s, 1 at 83, 66 at 82¾, 10 at 82¼; C. R. I. P. Ref. 4s, 8 at 73¾; C. R. I. P. Deb. 5s, 4 at 69¾; Erie Conv. 4s, Series A, 12 at 72; Erie Conv. 4s, Series B, 3 at 71; Inter-Metropolitan Col. Trust 4½s, 10 at 75; Louisville & Nashville Unifying 4s, 7 at 95; L. & N. Ack. 4s, 1 at 90¼; New York Ry. Adj. 5s, 1 at 19; at 9 at 20; at 9 at 21; at 5 at 22; Northern Pacific Prior Lien 4s, 4s, at 95; Pennsylvania Conv. 3½s, 1 at 98¾, 2 at 98¾; Reading Gen. 4s, 19 at 94¾; Southern Pacific 4s, 1 at 90; Southern Pacific Conv. 4s, 24 at 11 at 84½; Southern Pacific Conv. 4s, W. 85 at 100, 87 at 99¾, 138 at 99¾, 7 at 99¾, 145 at 99¼; Southern Pacific Ref. 4s, 2 at 91½; Union Pacific Ref. 4s, 5 at 93¼; Southern Railway 5s, 9 at 105¼; Southern Railway 5s, 6 at 105; United States 5s, 1 at 102¾, 12 at 102¼; Wabash 4s, 15 at 53, 5 at 53¼, 10 at 53½, 7 at 52, 10 at 51½.

Salt Lake Stock Exchange.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SALT LAKE, April 25—Closing quotations:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Beck Tun.	3¾	4¼	Tonopa Con.	32	32
Black Jack.	8	9	U. K. Coal.	310	317½
Colorado	10	11½	Sioux Con.	3	—
Daly Judge.	480	500	Tint. Con.	1	1¾
Grand Cent.	50	55	Tonka Bell.	3	5
Iron Blos.	117½	120	Utah Con.	¾	—
Little Bell.	15	35	Vic. Con.	35	39
Lower M.	1¾	2	Yankee Con.	12	14
May Day.	6¼	6¾	G. Chain.	10	14
Nev. Hills.	25	35	S. K. Con.	197½	20...
Ohio Cop.	30	34			

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Farmers and Merchants' Nat. Bank Cor. Fourth and Main	I. W. HELLMAN, Pres. V. H. ROSSETTI, Cash'r.	Capital .....$1,500,000 Surplus and Profits $2,000,000
National Bank of California N.E. Cor. Fourth and Spring	J. E. FISHBURN, Pres. H. S. McKEE, Cashier.	Capital .....$500,000 Surplus and Profits $300,000
First National Bank S.W. Cor. Seventh and Spring	J. M. ELLIOTT, Pres. W. T. S. HAMMOND, Cashier.	Capital .....$1,500,000 Surplus and Profits $2,502,664.32
Merchants' National Bank S.E. Cor. Third and Spring	W. H. HOLLIDAY, Pres. J. H. RAMBOZ, Cashier.	Capital .....$1,000,000 Surplus and Profits $500,000

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

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NEW YORK, April 25.—Following were the closing prices, sales and high and low quotations today:

Sales—	High.	Low.	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
400 Atlantic C. L.	119	116	116	117
..... Allis Chalmers	....	....	....	35½
..... Allis Chal. pfd.	....	....	....	99¾
29,100 Amalg. Copper	70	68¼	68¾	69
100 Am. Agr. Chem.	50¼	50	49¾	50
..... Am. Agr. C. pfd.	....	....	92	95
700 Am. Car & Fdy.	46½	45	45¼	46
..... Am. C. & F. pfd.	....	....	115	117½
7,400 Am. Can Co.	25¼	23	24¾	25
200 Am. Can Co. pfd.	85	87½	87½	88
800 Am. Beet Sugar	20½	19¾	18½	19¾
..... Am. B. Sugar pfd.	....	....	....	90
500 Am. Cotton Oil	39	38¾	39	41
..... Am. Cot. Oil pfd.	....	....	95	97
..... Am. Ice Securities	....	....	29	30
..... Am. Express	....	....	98	102
100 Am. Hide & L.	4	4	4	4½
300 Am. H. & L. pfd.	19½	18¾	19¼	19½
..... Am. Linseed	....	....	25¾	27
100 Am. Locomotive	28½	28	28	30
..... Am. Loco. pfd.	....	....	95	100
..... Am. Steel Fdy.	....	....	29	32
3,700 Am. S. & R. Co.	56½	57	57½	58
300 Am. S. & R. pfd.	98	97½	96	98½
700 Am. Sugar	99¾	99¼	99¼	100
..... Am. Sugar pfd.	....	....	10	110
100 Am. Snuff	157	157	157	159½
..... Am. Snuff rfd.	....	....	103	105
1,900 Am. Tel. & Tel.	119¾	118¼	119	119¾
500 Am. Tob. Co.	217½	215	214	220
100 Am. Tob. pfd.	106	106	105¾	106
..... Am. Woolen	....	....	15	17
..... Am. Woolen pfd.	....	....	74	75¾
2,100 Anaconda	32¾	32	32¾	33
4,200 A. T. & S. F.	93¼	91¾	92	92¾
..... A. T. & S. F. pfd.	....	....	99½	100
2,000 Balt. & Ohio	88	87¼	87¾	88
200 B. & O. pfd.	80¼	80¼	80	80½
1,000 Bethlehem Steel	38¼	38¼	38½	39
100 Beth. Steel pfd.	82¾	82¾	82½	84
1,700 Brooklyn R. T.	89¼	88¾	88¾	89
1,400 Cal. Petrol. Co.	19¼	18	18	19
700 Cal. Petrol. pfd.	58	55	55	58
17,100 Canadian Pacific	190¼	188¾	188½	190
500 Chino	38½	37	37¼	37¾
1,500 C. & O.	51¼	50¾	51	51¼
2,000 Central Leather	34¼	33¾	33¾	34
400 Central L. pfd.	90¾	90¼	90	100½
..... Central of N. J.	....	....	208	230
..... Chicago & Alton.	....	....	9	9½
..... C. & A. pfd.	....	....	10	17
100 C. & G. W.	11	11	11	11¾
200 C. & G. W. pfd.	30	29½	29½	30
..... C. & N. W.	....	....	128¾	130½
..... C. & N. W. pfd.	....	....	170	180
2,400 C. M. & St. P.	96	94½	95	95¼
..... Do. pfd	....	....	131	134
..... C. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	87	92
..... Do. pfd	....	....	51	55
..... Seaboard	19	18½	18¾	19
..... Seaboard pfd	....	....	52½	58
200 Colo. Fuel & Iron	28	28	27	28
..... C. F. & I. pfd.	....	....	125	....
..... Colo. Southern	....	....	21	24
..... Colo. So. 1st pfd.	....	....	43½	44½
..... Colo. So. 2nd pfd.	....	....	32	35
600 Consol. Gas.	128½	127½	127½	128
600 Corn Products	8¾	8	8	8¾
300 Do. pfd.	63¼	63¼	62¾	63¾
..... Del. & Hudson	....	....	147	148
..... D. L. & W.	....	....	392½	400
..... D. & R. G.	....	....	11¾	12¾
..... D. & R. G. pfd.	....	....	19¾	22
100 Distilling Sec.	14	14	13¾	14
..... D. S. & A.	....	....	3	5
..... D. S. & A. pfd.	....	....	8	11
5,100 Erie	26¾	25¾	26	26¼
700 Erie 1st pfd.	40¾	40¼	40¼	40¾
..... Erie 2nd pfd.	....	....	29	30
600 Gen. Electric	142	141	141	142
1,000 Goodrich Rubber	25	23½	24	24½
100 Do. pfd.	88½	88½	86	90
3,400 Gt. Northern pfd.	119¾	118¾	119¼	119½
500 Gt. Northern Ore Ctfs.	29¾	29½	29¾	30
700 Guggenheim Ex.	49¾	48¾	49	49¾
500 Illinois Central	108	107¾	107¾	112
..... Insurance Copper	....	....	15¼	15¾
..... Int'l Harv. Co.	....	....	100	100¾
..... Int'l Harv. pfd.	....	....	115	116
..... Int'l Paper	....	....	7½	8¼
..... Int'l Paper pfd.	....	....	84	85½
..... Int'l Pump	....	....	6¼	9
..... Int'l Pump pfd.	....	....	19	25
..... Inter-Met. Marine	....	....	2¾	3
..... Do. pfd	....	....	8¾	9¾
..... Iowa Central	....	....	7	8
..... Iowa Central pfd.	....	....	13	19
500 K. C. Southern	23	22	22	23¾
..... Do. pfd.	....	....	57	57½
400 L. & N.	133	131¼	131¼	132½
..... Laclede Gas com.	....	....	93	97
..... Laclede Gas pfd.	....	....	93	98
8,600 Lehigh Valley	134¾	132½	134¾	135
..... Lehigh & Meyers.	....	....	200	220
..... L. & M. rfd.	....	....	114¼	116
..... Lorillard Tob. Co.	....	....	167½	175
..... Do. pfd.	....	....	108½	113
..... Louisville & Nash.	....	....	136	140
..... Loose Wiles Bis.	....	....	....	90
..... Loose Wiles pfd.	....	....	100	102
..... Manhattan	....	....	130½	131½
500 Inter-Met.	13¾	13¼	13¼	13¾
1,800 Inter-Met. pfd.	58¾	58	58¾	58½
1,200 Miami Copper Co.	22¼	21¾	21¾	22¾
700 Mex. Central Ctfs.	9¾	9	8¾	9¼
..... Mex. C. 1st pfd.	....	....	20	25
7,200 Mex. Petrol. Co.	55	51	52¾	52¾
..... Mex. Petrol. pfd.	....	....	73	....
..... Mackay	....	....	76	78
100 Mackay pfd.	67¼	67¼	67¼	67¾
500 Studebaker com.	27¾	26¼	26¾	28
100 Studebaker pfd.	82	82	81	83
..... Miss. & M. L.	....	....	10	12
..... Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	50	60
..... M. St. P. & S.S.M.	....	....	119¾	117¾
..... Do. pfd	....	....	132	145
..... M. K. & Texas.	....	....	14¾	15¼
800 M. K. & T. rfd.	35	35	34	35
2,100 Missouri Pacific	19¼	18¾	18¾	19¼
..... National Lead	....	....	43¼	46½
..... Nat'l Lead pfd.	....	....	108	109
100 Nat'l Biscuit	126	125	121	124½
..... Nat'l Biscuit pfd.	....	....	121	124½
..... Nat'l Enamel	....	....	10	10½
..... Nat'l Enamel pfd.	....	....	27	28
400 Nevada Con.	14¼	14	14	14½
..... N. Y. Air Brake	....	....	59	60
6,800 N. Y. Central	88¼	86¾	87	88
..... N. Y., O. & W.	....	....	39	45
..... Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	92	100
..... Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	68	75
400 N. Y. Ont. & W.	26¼	24¾	24¾	25¼
1,000 Norfolk & W.	101¾	101¾	101¼	101¾
..... N. & W. pfd.	....	....	87	90
200 North American	73	72½	73	73½
2,600 Northern Pacific	107¼	106¼	106¾	107
..... Omaha	....	....	130	135
..... Omaha pfd.	....	....	132	145
..... Pacific Mail	....	....	22½	23½
..... Pac. Tel. & Tel.	....	....	25¼	26
..... Pac. T. & T. pfd.	....	....	87	90
4,800 Penn. R. R. Co.	108¾	108¼	108¾	109
200 People's Gas	119½	118¾	118¾	119½
500 Pitts. Coal	19¾	19	19	20
300 Pitts. Coal pfd.	85	84	84½	85
900 Pressed Steel Car.	40¾	39¾	40	40¾
..... P. Steel Car pfd.	....	....	102	104
..... Pacific Coast	....	....	82	90
..... P. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	73¾	83½
..... Do. pfd	....	....	95	100
100 Pullman	155	155	155	156
1,200 Ray Cons.	20	19¾	19¾	20
500 Ry. Steel Springs.	25¼	25	25	26
..... Ry. Steel S. pfd.	....	....	90	98½
42,500 Reading	160¾	158¾	159¾	160
..... Reading 1st pfd.	....	....	88	88½
100 Reading 2nd pfd.	87½	87½	86	87½
700 Republic I. & S.	20¾	20¼	20¼	20½
..... R. I. & S. pfd.	....	....	82	82½
500 Rock Island	3¼	3¼	3¼	3½
200 Rock Island pfd.	8¼	4¾	7	8
..... Sears Roebuck Co.	....	....	178	179½
..... Do. pfd	....	....	123¾	124½
..... Sloss S. S. & I.	....	....	24	25
..... S. S. S. & I. pfd.	....	....	83	....
300 So. S. F. Ry. com.	2	2	2	2¼
..... Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	8	12
100 Do. 2nd pfd.	3¼	3½	3½	4
..... St. L. & S. W.	....	....	20¾	22
..... Do. pfd.	....	....	50	60
11,800 Southern Pacific	88	86¾	87¾	87¾
1,800 Southern Railway	23	22¾	22¾	23
400 Southern Ry. pfd.	77¼	77	77	78
1,500 Tenn. Copper	73¾	71¾	72¾	73
..... Gen. Motors pfd.	....	....	88¾	90
1,500 Third Ave. Ry.	34½	34¼	34¼	34¾
200 Tex. Pac. Coal	32	31¾	31¾	32
1,900 Texas Oil	138¾	137¾	138	138¼
200 Texas Pacific	14¾	14¼	14	14¾
..... T. St. L. & W.	....	....	8	10
..... Do. pfd.	....	....	15	18½
100 Twin City R. T.	109	108	102½	105
..... U. B. & P. Co.	....	....	2¾	4
500 U. S. & P. pfd.	22¾	21¾	22	22¾
27,500 Union Pacific	150¾	148¾	149¾	149¾
100 U. P. pfd.	82	82	81¾	82
8,600 Utah Copper	52¼	50	50¾	51
200 U. S. R. of S. F.	15¾	15¼	15	15
..... Do. pfd.	....	....	41¼	43½
..... U. S. Irrn Pipe	....	....	10¾	11¼
..... U. S. C. I. P. pfd.	....	....	38	40
..... U. S. Express	....	....	70	75
200 U. S. Rubber Co.	59	58	57	59
..... Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	1	1¼
500 U. S. Rubber	54	53¼	53¼	54
100 U. S. S. 1st pfd.	100	100	99¾	99¾
..... U. S. S. 2nd pfd.	....	....	70	87
61,400 U. S. Steel Cor.	61¾	56	56¾	58¼
400 U. S. Steel pfd.	107¾	107¼	107¼	107½

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FLOODS MADE BENEFICIAL.

Engineer Urges Underground Storage of Water.

Will Raise Water Table and Extend Cultivation.

Cut Small; Need Dams With Gravel Washes.

W. E. Pedley's proposal that Southern California solve its winter flood problem by putting the excess waters to beneficial use has struck a responsive chord in the breasts of all who realize a constitutional antipathy to the waste of even one drop of the fluid on which so largely depends future extension of tillable acreage.

Pedley, who is a Riverside engineer of note, first broached his plan two weeks ago, before a noonday meeting of the Realty Board. Since then he has prepared figures to show that the flood water of the Los Angeles, Rio Hondo and San Gabriel rivers may be practically controlled for something under $1,000,000. This estimate is of course tentative, but is offered by Pedley to show that flood control need not be a money-eating enterprise calculated to strike terror into taxpayers' hearts.

Particular issue is taken by Pedley with the proponents of the outfall-sewer plan. Three indictments are registered against them. One is that they propose an economic waste of water-needed water; another that it will take millions—the lowest estimate is $5,000,000—to carry their plan into effect, and third, that the outlay they propose will not solve.

SAVE, NOT SPEND, MILLIONS.

"The how to spend $5,000,000 to rid us of floods, but how to save $5,000,000 and make as much again," is Pedley's slogan.

Pedley's plan, in brief, is to retard the flow of storm waters to the ocean by spreading them over a great gravel washes, which will absorb and hold the waters by the trillions of gallons for transmission into the underground reservoirs.

Into these the life-giving fluid will flow, a mere medium of capillary attraction, or the various cunning devices by which man successfully unites the water-impregnated bowels of the earth.

The raising of the water table throughout the Southland is one of the desirable things which Pedley's plan assures. It is pointed out that not only will this assure water to South years, but that it is quite possible that acres can be profitably put under cultivation which are not available because of the great depth at which water must be sought. Interesting dams, constructed of rock incased in wire bags, will be thrown across streams, according to the Pedley scheme. These dams will range from 1000 to 1500 feet in length, dependent on the stream and the width of crossing. These will be joined by rubble and gravel dikes, which was to provide a percolating surface the size of which will be dependent on the amount of water it is most desirable to handle. The greater the number of dams, the greater will be the mean storage capacity of each wash.

SOAK UP ENTIRE FLOW.

The San Gabriel River, for instance, which contains a mean flow of 625,000 acre inches. Pedley points out that 50 inches of water can be run per acre into a good gravel wash for a long interval. He prefers to cut the figures in two, however, which means that the entire flow of the San Gabriel River might be neatly tucked away in 1500 acres of good wash. This is, of course, mere theory; but, as Pedley points out, a diminution of the flow, a skimming of the destructive, would be assured.

Using the San Gabriel as an instance of the general tendencies of Southern streams, Pedley states that it issues from the mountains under a fall of 200 feet to the mile and at times hurls down 40,000 wagonloads of dirt an hour, interspersed with boulders and gravel. When the bed is full of the river dwindles to one foot to the mile, as it does shortly after leaving its canyon, the boulders and finer stuff immediately sink to rest. The gravel goes on further and is then precipitated, while the dirt, being the lightest of the deposit, naturally is carried farthest, but only a small percentage of it reaches the ocean.

As Pedley points out, this fine silt is the very article which we want to keep. It is the material of which the delta of the Nile and other fertile areas were built. The rocks and gravel are the least desirable and will be lost in the ocean. But Pedley will not worry that far and for that reason Pedley foresees the failure of the open ditch plans.

FAILURE FORESEEN.

In fact, Pedley asserts, and is sustained in the belief by other engineers, that unless the fall of these washes is consistently fifty feet to the mile they will be inevitably filled by the first storm flow. The sand and gravel will drop to the bottom and before long a drift or bar will form which will operate to check the velocity of the stream and when this is cut disaster to the levees will follow. High tides will operate to back up the flow while there will always be danger that shoals will form at the mouths and ere long the river will find itself drifting seaward through a delta. Naturally if the silt is carried to outlet at once in proximity to the harbor, the government will look askance at the move, may even interpose a restraining hand before the ditch plans are gotten under way.

The Board of Supervisors now has a commission of engineers studying the flood control problem and the government is interested because of the amount of silt which is dumped into the harbor by the Los Angeles River during floods. Pedley's plan, particularly as he has already been studying conditions on the San Gabriel River. Incidentally, Pedley's plan has many points of similarity to one proposed to the supervisors last year by Frank H.

HARRISON SQUARE SALE.

Sale for Charles S. Hall to [illegible] of a twelve-room brick [illegible] Harrison square is reported [illegible] Newman & Co. The residence [illegible] a lot 100x180 feet in size on [illegible] boulevard. The considera[illegible] announced at $40,000.

[illegible] will elect two Congressmen [illegible] fall, because the Legis[illegible] has not passed a new appor[illegible] law since the State became [illegible] two additional Congress[illegible] the last apportionment [illegible] Congress.

POLITICAL TIPS.

"What is the secret of President Wilson's influence with Congress," was recently asked by the Washington correspondent of Harper's Weekly. Among the replies was one by a Senator, who said: "The fact is that Woodrow Wilson is stronger with the people of any Congressional district and of any State than the Representative from that district or the Senators from that State, and we all know it." This answer does not answer since the Congressional election in New Jersey, when a Democratic majority was changed to an overwhelming one for the Republican candidate. Harper's Weekly will have to ask again.

The election officials of Arlington, Wis., settled the election for a "wet" or "dry" town in the most economical manner. A recount of the votes cast showed two more in the box than there were voters, so, by agreement, as the count showed 71 "dry," 70 "wet," with three blanks, it was decided to leave the issue to chance and to allow a blindfolded man to draw out two votes. When this was done the two ballots drawn from the box were both "drys," leaving Arlington "wet" by a vote of 70 to 69.

E. D. Bush of Salem, Ind., was one of the original members of the Progressive party of his State, but was one of the first to return to the Republican fold, when he believed the Progressive party had served its purpose. Last week Mr. Bush was first chosen to preside over the Washington County Republican Convention and later on was indorsed for the Third District Congressional nomination by the convention. The district is now represented in Congress by a Democrat.

The action of the Elections Committee of the House of Representatives, which has reported to the House a resolution declaring that it is not a violation of the Federal criminal code for a Senator or Representative to solicit or receive contributions for political purposes from other Senators and Representatives or to solicit such contributions by letters written in the Senate or House office buildings has opened the way for political solicitations of a radical nature. All the Democratic members want a re-election.

Mr. Bryan has adopted a black silk skull cap to protect his bare head from ordinary winged insects. The Memphis Commercial Appeal asks whether a black silk skull cap is also a specific against the sting of the Presidential bee.

Gov. Hooper of Tennessee, one of the few Republican Governors below the Mason and Dixon line, has just been nominated for a third term. The chief argument the Memphis Commercial Appeal can make against his re-election is that he "should be beaten because he is a Republican and Tennessee should be Democratic."

Cone Johnson, the new solicitor of the State Department, is said to be one of the great lawyers of the State of Texas. Nevertheless he is willing to work for the government for $5000 a year. He may have brought with him to Washington a few Chautauqua lectures for which, like his superior, he expects to get $250 per.

The government's war upon the New Haven and other railroad combinations has put a crimp in the finances of the missionary societies. The Congregational Home Missionary Society, which handles $600,000 yearly, pulled through with a surplus of only $500, which is far below normal, and the Baptist Home Missionary Organization ran a deficit of $31,000 up to $72,000.

Referring to the loss of a Democratic Congressman in New Jersey, the New York World says: "The Democrats will lose a great many Congress districts next fall if the Democratic leaders in both houses of Congress do not soon have some sense knocked into their heads. This country cannot live by politics alone. It is still necessary for several million people to earn their daily bread, and they want a chance to earn it."

The Progressive State convention of Indiana adopted a dry plank, and announced that Albert J. Beveridge, former United States Senator, was the unanimous choice of the convention as the party's candidate for United States Senator. As Mr. Beveridge did not voluntarily retire from the Senate, to which he had been twice elected as a Republican, he readily accepted this indorsement of the Progressive convention.

Kansas voters will have two chances to elect women to Congress at the next election. Mrs. Eva Morley Murphy of Goodland, has announced herself a Progressive candidate in the Sixth District, and now Mrs. Emma W. Grover of Winfield, says she will seek election to Congress in the Third District as a Prohibition candidate. Mrs. Grover's announcement means a five-cornered fight in the district now represented by Phil P. Campbell, a Republican.

Representative J. Hampton Moore says Mr. Bryan has given to his paper, The Commoner, for publication, information that he has not sent to the House of Representatives for consideration with the tolls repeal legislation. He has, therefore, in a resolution presented to Congress, asked Mr. Bryan to send The Commoner article to Congress, that the members may have the benefit of the information it contains, which they now do not possess. The Secretary of State is evidently a better editor than diplomat, and knows an "exclusive" when he sees it.

A cure for political indifference is announced by J. D. E. Morton, chairman of the Democratic State Committee of Tennessee. Speaking recently about the coming State convention, he said that if the bosses, great and small, will take back seats and let the Democratic voters run the State convention to suit themselves, the indifference in the party ranks will disappear and a victory can be won next November. He thinks this will put enough enthusiasm into the Democratic voters to change the State from the Republican to the Democratic column.

Race-track gambling is contrary to law in Oklahoma, and the law will be respected while Gov. Cruce remains in office. Having learned that "bookmaking" was being indulged in he placed the Tulsa fair grounds under martial law, ordered two companies of the National Guard to the locality, with orders to shoot the horses if any further "bookmaking" occurred. The orders of Adjt.-Gen. Canton being ignored by the fair managers, a volley was fired by the militiamen as proof that the men had guns that would shoot. There were no more races on the Tulsa track, and the race meet came to an end. Now the Governor is overwhelmed with letters from the opponents of horse racing commending him for his course.

The Mexican Border

is clearly outlined on The Times war map, printed on map paper, and for sale at The Times Building, First and Broadway, The Times Branch Office, 619 South Spring street, and 118 South Broadway. Price, postpaid, 10 cents.

"MEX" AGAIN SLUMPS.

Break of Four Points in Stock of Doheny Company Once More Occurs—Small Rally Follows.

Common stock of the Mexican Petroleum Company, Ltd., again developed decided weakness during the early part of the session yesterday on the New York Stock Exchange. The opening price, ¾ point under the previous day's close, was $55, and following this there was a decline to $51. Toward the close a small reaction, due principally to covering by shorts, occurred. Closing quotations were $52.12½ bid at $52.25, as compared with $55 bid at $55.50 the previous day.

The only tangible cause for the decline, aside from the critical situation in Mexico, was a vague rumor that some of the company's oil tanks near Tampico had been blown up. Officials of the Doheny company in this city state that they have received no advices from the property concerning such a happening.

A telegram received by them from Galveston stated that some of the American employees had arrived at that city with their families, they having deemed it safer to take the women and children away from the properties, under the present circumstances. A few Americans and a number of well-trained Mexicans are still at the property, it is stated.

The common stock of the company is now about 11 points lower than it was a week ago. April 12, the day before President Wilson ordered the Atlantic fleet to leave for Mexico, the highest price at which the stock sold was $55.25. A week ago Saturday the stock closed $53.50 bid at $54. The preferred stock closed yesterday with the bid $73, as compared with $75 bid April 14.

Traffic Record.

BOUNTIFUL CROPS IN THE WEST.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS STEADILY IMPROVING.

Southern Pacific Issues Monthly "Business Report," Compiled from Many Sources—Mining Taking on New Life—Lumber Men Decidedly Optimistic.

Comforting assurances of increases in the cultivated area, bountiful crops, and improving business conditions on the Pacific Coast are contained in the April "business report" of the Southern Pacific, issued yesterday. This "report" is compiled from tabulations by the company's many agents on business conditions in their various territories and is accepted as authoritative the country over.

"Very large crops are assured in Southern California," says the report. "Grain and hay crops will probably be sufficient for local consumption. Estimate of 35,000 cars of oranges still stands. Celery crop over 2000 cars. Cotton acreage now estimated at 60,000, against 35,000 acres last year. The cantaloupe crop will run over 5000 cars, the production of beans, judging from the acreage, should be 2700 cars, as against 2200 cars last year; while the sugar beet acreage is about the same, and all seven sugar mills will run."

Conditions in the San Joaquin Valley are denominated as "more favorable than they have been for years, due to heavy rainfall and the assurance of ample water for irrigation from the snows in the mountains. An unusual amount of land is planted to grain, due to abundant rains, and the orchards in fine condition. Large yields along the Coast are assured, while stock ranges are in fine condition. Much planting of prunes and apricots in the Santa Clara Valley is reported."

Good crops and increased acreage are reported from Nevada and Utah, while Arizona and New Mexico crops are reported as unusually flourishing. In all four States, merchants are stated to be looking forward to an unusually good year, because of activity in mining and agriculture.

"Mining operations in California are going on steadily and increased output is expected this year," says the report. Activity in both old and new fields is reported from Nevada and Arizona.

Lumber shipments from the Sierra and Shasta regions of California are reported as quiet at present, but extensive shipments are expected soon. In Oregon the mills report better conditions and unusually bright prospects.

Death Halts Plans.

The death of Frederick W. Weyerhaeuser, the lumber king, is understood here to have put a check on plans to build a railroad into the Kaibab and Grand Canyon National forests for the purpose of bringing out lumber, which the Department of the Interior has offered for sale. According to reports, the Weyerhaeuser interests were to be the only bidders for this timber. As the nearest railroad stations are Modena, on the Salt Lake, and Marysville, on the Denver and Rio Grande, both more than 100 miles away, the lumber king, it is understood, contemplated the construction of a railroad from either one or the other of these stations.

MARVELS OF MEXICO.

Snapshots at Romantic Places in Troublous Country.

"The shape of Mexico is that of a cornucopia turned the wrong way, and the relatively slow development of the extraordinarily rich region embraced within its borders emphasizes the simile."

Thomas A. Janvier said that more than twenty years ago, and it is just as true today as it was then. Speaking generally, Mexico, except for a narrow rim of land upon its coasts, is an enormous ridge, raised by volcanic force between two oceans, the Atlantic and the Pacific. The great traveler Humboldt, who could draw a long bow with facility equal to that of a modern muckraker, ventured on a flight of fancy by saying that a wagon could be driven all the way along the elevated plateau from the City of Mexico to Santa Fe. So it could but, as Janvier says, the driver would have a desperately up and down time of it. Mexico City, for example, is 7300 feet above sea level. The National Railroad of Mexico, while running from there to Queretaro, where the Emperor Maximilian was executed, ascends to 8100 feet at Marquez and descends to 5804 feet at Queretaro. It crosses the Tropic of Cancer at an altitude of 6132 feet and is still at an elevation of 5900 feet when it enters Catorce, the city of the fourteen robbers. It takes a jump to 6860 feet before it reaches the battlefield of Buena Vista where Gen. Taylor's troops defeated the force of Santa Ana in the previous war between the United States and Mexico. At Saltillo, the home of one of Mexico's most famous heroines, the road runs at an elevation of 5240 feet but by the time Monterey, seventy miles distant, is reached, the altitude is only 1770 feet and from there it is down hill all the way to Laredo, Tex., which is 492 feet above the sea.

American troops may be obliged to make the journey from Laredo to Mexico City. If they do they will pass through a country which was full of marvels even before the Pilgrim Fathers landed in America. Leaving Texas by way of the bridge across the Rio Grande the railroad runs along the old San Antonio trail, the king's highway which was infested with bandits in the early days and later was the line of march for United States armies in the war of 1846.

Monterey, 172 miles south of Laredo, dates from 1596, and although the home of a considerable American colony, is still essentially Mexican. It was captured by Gen. Taylor in the forties. As the capital of the State of Nuevo Leon it is considered the second city of commercial importance in the southern republic. Near here are the famous Garcia Caves with the "Room of Light," the "Chamber of the Lake," a "Girl's Room", the "Room of the Broken Heart" and the "Chamber of the Bells." It has been asserted that the Mammoth Cave of Kentucky is no more to be compared with these wondrous caverns than a peon's hut with the Castle of Chapultepec.

Continuing southward from Monterey the troops will be carried up a steep climb to romantic Saltillo, the capital of the State of Coahuila, which once included Texas. This, too, dates back to the sixteenth century and is famous for its manufacture of serapes, which the Mexicans use as a cloak by day and a blanket by night. Here lived the beautiful Dona Leona Vicaio, inheritor of a vast fortune, who fell in love with her guardian's clerk and with him went over to the cause of Hidalgo, the father of Mexican independence. She was captured by the loyalists, sentenced to death, and rescued by her lover the night before she was to have been executed. Instead of going to the gallows she was led to the altar.

Still going upward the troop train will ascend from Saltillo and advance into the great plateau of Central America, coming to Catorce, a city with streets so steep and winding that for 100 years neither wagon nor cart, nor stake nor bus, nor other wheeled vehicle was known to traverse them. Here the fourteen bandits had their stronghold and discovered rich deposits of silver which they made slaves work.

Polo Aids a King.

[Indianapolis News:] The King of Spain engages with great enthusiasm in all out-door sports, but he is especially devoted to polo. Following the latest attempt on his life the young King said to some of his companions: "When I saw that fellow coming toward me I threw my horse upon him as quickly as possible. If I had not been a good polo player I should never have been able to do that trick. All at once I saw before me three dark holes—the two eyes of the man and the muzzle of his pistol But when I fixed my eyes on his I felt that he was more afraid of me than I was of him. He had not yet, as have I, familiarized himself with attacks." The people of Spain are beginning to see in their King that quality of bravery out of which national heroes are made.

New York Curb Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, April 25.—A cut of 10 cents in Central West crude oil prices was announced today. Stocks were weak during most of the session, but rallied slightly at the close. Standard of New York, California and Indiana were active at times. Continental broke at the close. In the mining list Braden and Greene Cananea were features, the latter declined to 21¾ as a result of the situation in Mexico. Boston coppers opened fractionally lower and active. Prices softened somewhat during the early part of the session. Greene Cananea broke 5¾ points, transactions were of the distributive kind. Alaska sold off 1¾ points, the volume of business was good. The market continued active and weak until the last half hour when there was small covering movement in the list. Utilities were strong. While trading in the others fell off the market was fairly active at the close.

Following are closing bid and asked quotations:

	Close— Bid.	Asked.
Belmont	6¾	7
Braden Cop.	7¾	7¾
Braden Co.	156	157
British Col.	1½	1¾
B. & H. T.	¾	1
Chi. Sub.	2	4
Colorado	13	15
Con. Ariz.	7-16	9-16
Davis Daly	¾	⅞
Dolores	2	4
El Paso	1	2
Ely Con.	3	6
Ely Cent.	2½	3
El Paso	20	30
Do. pfd.	65	75
First Nat.	1¾	2
Fraction	1	2
Florence	50	60
Giroux	¾	1
Gild. Daisy	4	6
Gild. Bel.	2	3
Greene Can.	23	24
Hallinger	16	17
Hanaus	¾	1
Iron Blos.	115	120
I. C. Sub.	4	6¾
J. Butler	90	98
Jumbo Ex.	34	35
Kerr Lake	4	4¾
Keystone	1¾	1¾
La Rose	1 5-16	1 7-16
L. V. Coal	160	175
Man. Shirt	40	55
Do. pfd.	98	102
Man. Tran.	1	1¼
Marcus	2¾	3
Mason Val.	2¼	2¾
Maya Oil	16	19
Mck. Dar.	90	95
Mines of A.	2	2¼
Mont. Ton.	6¾	6¾
Mtn. Ex.	35	40
Mont. Shos.	2	4
Nev. Hills.	23	25
Nipissing	6¼	6¾
Ohio Cop.	¾	⅞
Pac. Coast	4.00	4.50
E. con.	37½	38
Do. pfd.	82½	83½
Portland	15	20
Rex Con.	2	3
Rochester	15	20
Stewart	1¾	1¾
Tob. Prod.	1	1¼
Do. pfd.	81¼	82½
Tonopah	6	6¾
Tono. Ex.	1¾	2
Tono. Mar.	64	65
Tribullion	1-16	⅛
Tuolumne	¾	⅞
Un. Cop.	2¾	3
Do. pfd.	5	6
U. S. Light	6¼	7
W. Pac.	5¾	6¼
W. Pac. pfd.	61¼	62
W. Power	—	17
Do. pfd.	—	57
W. A. Elec.	11	70
Wettlaufer	4	6
Wolverine	30¾	40
Wyandotte	80	90
Yukon	2½	2¾
Pond Creek	15¾	16¼
Oilway	75	101¼
Osceo	75	85
Verde	50	56

SALES AND RANGE—1000 Butte & S. at 22¾@23; 2½% Cal. & A. at 63¾@64; 100 Chief Con. at 55; 180 Copper R. at 25¾@26; 500 Davis Daly at 3; 145 N. Butte at 100@19¾; 200 Granby Con. at 76@75¾; 1500 Greene Can. at 27¾@23½; 200 Lake Cop. at 5¾@5¾; 700 N. Butte at 24¾@25; 2½% Sup. & B. at 1¾@1¾; 1000 U. S. Steel com. at 31@30¾; 900 Do. pfd. at 82¾@82; 250 Utah Con. at 9¾.

Boston Copper Stocks.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, April 25.—Stocks continued weak today. Fear caused considerable liquidation. Stocks of companies that have properties within Mexico showed the largest decline. In the local list Greene Cananea was the weakest feature, selling down to 21½, due to the execution of a few marked orders and the catching of stop orders.

Close:

	Close— Bid.	Asked.
Adventure	1	1¼
Ahmeek	250	255
Alaska	24¾	25
Allouez	37	38
Algomah	95	100
Am. Pneu.	2¾	3
Do. pfd.	18	18¾
Am. Zinc.	5¾	6
Arcadian	6¾	8
Ariz. Com.	4 3-16	4¾
Baltic	11	13
Bos. & L.	25	27
Bingole	60	75
Bonanza	1¾	1¾
Butte & S.	2	2¼
Butte & L.	24	25
Butte & A.	21½	21¾
Cactus	1	2
Calaveras	1¾	2
Cal. & A.	61¾	63
Cal. & H.	415	420
Centennial	14	15
Chief Cons.	50	70
Chino	17¾	18
Cons. Ariz.	45	50
Daly West	18	20
Davis Daly	3	5
E. Butte	9¾	10
First Nat.	1¾	2
C. & C.	25	30
Certain	2	3
Cowen	1¾	1¾
Granby	75¾	76
Greene Can.	24	25
Gild. Con.	13¾	15
Hancock	13¾	15
Helvetia	25	27
Houghton	1¾	2
Is. Creek	40	45
Do. pfd.	85	90
Indiana	¾	⅞
Inspiration	15¾	16
Isle Royale	16¾	17
Kerr Lake	4	4¼
Kewenah	3	5
Lake Cop.	5¾	6
La Salle	4¾	5
Mason Val.	2¾	3
Mass. Cop.	5¾	5¾
Mass. Con.	86	87
Majestic	20	22

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Grain.

CORN MARKET BOOMS AGAIN.

PRICES CLOSE BUOYANT AFTER BIG ADVANCE.

Shorts Badly Scared by News that Torrential Rains in Argentina Affect the Crop—Wheat Shows Good Gains Due to Firmness in Liverpool.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, April 25.—Sudden restriction of supplies from Argentina brought about great activity and strength today in the corn market here. Prices closed buoyant at ½ to 1⅝@1⅞ net advance. Wheat and oats gained ⅝ to ⅞@1c. In provisions the outcome varied from 2½ decline to an advance of 15c. Renewal of torrential rains, adversely affecting the quality of 70 per cent. of the Argentine crop, seemed to put an entirely different face on the corn market. Shorts were given a decided scare. Wheat rose with corn and as a result of firmness at Liverpool due largely to arrivals being scanty at Russian ports. Oats sympathized with the rally in other grain. Buying of an investment character was noticeable in the deferred futures. Most of the rise in provisions was laid to the influence of war contracts.

Chicago Grain Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, April 25.—Following is range of quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	.93	.93¾	.92⅝	*.93¼
July	.87⅛	.87⅞	.87½	*.87⅝
September	.87	.87¼	.87	**.87⅛ *.87⅝
Corn—				
May	.64¼	.66	.64¾	.65¾ *.65⅝
July	.64¾	.65¼	.64½	.65 *.65
September	.64½	.65	.64½	*.64⅝
December	.64⅝	.65	.64¾	.65 *.65¼
Oats—				
May	.37¼	.37¾	.37½	*.37⅝
July	.37½	.38	.37¾	**.37⅞ *.38
September	.36¾	.36¾	.36¼	*.36¾
Pork—				
May	19.85	20.05	19.85	20.00
July	20.00	20.22	20.00	**20.15
September	20.02	20.22	20.02	20.15
Lard—				
May	10.02	10.10	10.02	**10.07
July	10.25	10.27	10.17	**10.22 @10.25
September		10.45	10.35	*10.40
Ribs—				
May	10.87	10.97	10.87	*10.97
July	11.07	11.15	11.07	*11.12 @11.15
September	11.26	11.27	11.20	*11.25 @11.27

*Bid. **Asked.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

Union Oil Drops a Point—Union Transportation Bonds Traded in With Market Firm.

Union Oil again revealed a falling off yesterday on the Stock Exchange, all sales were at 97⅞, a loss of 1 point from Friday. The bonds were not quite so firm. Union Transportation dress sold at 92¼, however. Associated continues soft in tone. Among the low-priced oil issues Maricopa Northern was the principal attraction. It closed at 8 cents. United sold at 22 cents. It is reported that the Miocene Oil Company on a tract leased from the National Pacific on the well-known Section Thirty-two, has brought in well No. 2 flowing well. The production was estimated at 10,000 barrels or more Friday. Consolidated Mines will make its monthly clean-up today. Los Angeles Investment stock opened at 70 cents, but firmed at the close, when 71 was bid for the stock.

Local Money Market.

Following are ruling average rates: Loans on real estate, 6@7 per cent.; commercial loans, 5½@6% per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent.; New York sight drafts, 1.00 per 1000; telegraph drafts, 1.25 per 1000; London cable transfers, 4.88; London sight drafts, 4.87⅞; London drafts, 60 days, 4.82; London drafts, ninety days, 4.81¾; drafts on Paris, 19.40; sight drafts on German, 23.85; sight drafts on Hong Kong, 47.00.

LOCAL CLOSING.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, 1 W. Hellman building.]

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated	$ 97.00	$ 98.00
Associated	97.87½	98.12½
Brookshire	.35	.40
Central	.10	.15
Continental	.05	.08
Euclid	.15	.20
Fullerton	4.00	4.50
Globe	.02	.03
Jade	.03	.07
Maricopa Northern	.08	.09¼
Midway Northern	.15	.20
National Pacific	.03¼	.03¾
New Penn	.15	.20
Olinda	.25	.31
Traders	24.00	28.00
Union	97.87½	98.62½
United	21¾	
West Coast	101.00	106.00
Western Union	90.00	101.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Savings Bank	$145.00	$155.00
Citizens' National	350.00	367.50
Commercial Nath pal	200.00	
Formerly Merchants' Nat.	200.00	300.00
First National	630.00	655.00
German-American Savings	180.00	190.00
Home Savings	140.00	160.00
Los Angeles Nat'l	120.00	
Merchants' National	260.00	285.00
Security Bank of Cal.	350.00	
Security Trust & Savings	385.00	392.50
Traders		112.00
U. S. National	165.00	

INDUSTRIAL AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Con. Realty		$ 98.00
Emergency Hospital	24.25	
Home Tel. pfd.	24.00	
Home Tel. com.	6.10	10.00
L. A. Investment	.72	
Pac. Light & Power	125.00	
Pacific Mut. Life Ins. Co.	525.00	
Prod. Trans.		82.00
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.		5.00
S. Monica Bay H. T. Co.	5.00	7.00
So. Sierras Power Co.		98.00
Sun Drug	.91	
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co. pfd.	11.00	

BONDS.

(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Pet.	93	95
Associated Oil Co. 5s	95¼	98
Cal. Pac. Ry. 5s	95	
Corona City Water Co. 6s	95	100
Corona Power & W. Co. 6s	95	100
Home Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	97	
Edison Elec. Co., old issue, 5s		102
Home Telephone Co. 5s	89½	
Home Tel. Co. 1st Ref. 5s	73	74
L. A. Gas & Elec.		99½
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtge. 5s	100	102
L. A. Railway 5s	100	
L. A. Traction Co. 6s	99	101
L. A. Traction Co. 5s	96	
Los Angeles Gas & E. Co. 6s	93	97
Mt. Lowe Ry. 6s	95	
Nat. Elec. Ry. 6s	100	
Pacific Light & Power Co. 5s	90	91
Pac. L. & P. Gen. 5s		96
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co. 5s	97	
Pomona Con. Water Co. 6s	97	
Prod. Transportation 5s	93¼	94
S. Monica Bay H. T. & T. 5s	50	60
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co. 5s		62
Tennessee Water Co. 6s	98	
Union Oil Co. 5s	98	99
Union Transportation Co. 5s	92	93
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co. 5s		60
Whittier Home T. & T. Co. 5s	75	

MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bounds Brae		.04
Cal. Hills		.03
Cons. Mines	.04¼	
*Searchlight Parallel	3.00	

*—Per 1000 shares.

OIL LIST.

SALES—Morning session: 1000 Maricopa Northern at 7¾; 1000 do. at 7¾; 1000 do. at 8; 1000 do. at 8; 10 Union at 73.00; 10 do. at 73.00; 10 do. at 73.00; 10 do. at 72.00; 1000 do. at 72.50; 1000 United at 22; 1000 do. at 22.

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

SALES—Morning session: 120 L. A. Inv. at 70; 400 do. at 70; 100 do. at 70¼.

OFF-BOARD.

REPORTED SALES—Morning session: 20 Union at 74.00; 100 L. A. Inv. at 70.

BOND LIST.

SALES—Morning session: 5 $1000 Union Trans. 5s at 92½.

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To Voters.

MORE MILLIONS MUST FOLLOW.

Power Bond Issue Inadequate, Say Taxpayers.

People Will Vote It Down, Declares Mesmer.

Time to Call a Halt on Foolish Extravagance.

That the proposed power-bond issue of $6,500,000 is not only a foolish and reckless extravagance at the expense of taxpayers already burdened, but will be inadequate to accomplish the purpose for which it is intended is the belief of Joseph Mesmer. Mesmer said yesterday that more millions will have to be voted before the city can reap any benefit and expressed himself as strongly opposed to adding additional burdens to those already being carried by the people when the results to be secured are so doubtful. In this connection Mesmer said:

"It is generally agreed by all who have the welfare of this city at heart, that the $1,250,000 worth of bonds should be voted for the completion of the electric power plant and transmission line into Los Angeles city, but there is a question which concerns us all: whether we should mortgage our property and homes (for every bond issued for the benefit of the nation, State, county or city is a mortgage guaranteed and secured by every piece of property lying within the territory especially affected) to voting an additional $5,250,000 without first having some knowledge of how much this amount will pay for in the way of a distribution system and for us to know what particular section or territory of this city is to be covered, for I am reliably informed that it will take much more than double the above sum to provide an adequate electric distribution system to cover this entire city.

"Before casting ballots on the question of the $6,500,000 bond issue voters should be reliably assured in advance that they reside in the district that will be incorporated in the proposed distribution system.

WORDING OBJECTIONABLE.

"The other objections which I have is the wording of the ordinance provided for in this bond issue, which says 'including the acquisition of lands, water rights, rights of way,' which we all thought had already been provided for out of the $2,500,000 bonds previously issued and sold and money, plus premiums, realized. If the acquisition of the necessary land, water rights and rights of way, have not already been fully provided, then we, the people have been most grievously deceived, for these acquisitions were the very first essentials necessary before any additional work on the power plant and transmission line could have safely been proceeded with.

"What territory would be considered first for the distribution system? Surely not the less profitable like the residence districts and particularly where the poorer classes reside, where it will require a distribution system covering ten blocks besides the extra cost of collection to equal the returns or income from one single office building in the business section. Then why should the small taxpayer and householder shoulder a burden upon himself or herself unless he or she can be assured that he or she will be a direct beneficiary?

"At a meeting held last Wednesday at Fifty-second and Hoover streets, the engineer in charge of the construction of the municipal electric power plant is reported to have said that the power would be worth $5,000,000 a year under municipal distribution.

"Easily said but not so easily done for we must not forget that the three existing electric power companies are not going to stand idly by and allow the municipal electric power plant to take away their patrons without a contest, and unless the municipal plant will offer electric power and light at less than prevailing prices, which reductions will be promptly met by the three electric power companies, and should the municipal electric power plant offer electric power or lighting for a rate less than earning power of 6 per cent. on plant investment and one-cent allowance for deterioration on the value of the existing three electric power companies, upon complaint with a proper showing to the State Railroad Commissioners, the State Railroad Commissioners would be in duty bound to fix a rate for the municipal electric power plant that would allow the three existing electric power companies a legal earning investment on plant, plus deterioration.

"In view of this fact, are we not justified in challenging the accuracy and reliability of Scattergood's statements when he says that the earnings of the municipal electric power plant will produce a revenue of $5,000,000 annually or any other fixed sum earning?"

WHY FOOL THE PEOPLE?

"I personally urged several members of the City Council to separate the $1,250,000 bond issue for the completion of the electric power plant and transmission line from the $5,250,000 bond issue for a distribution system and their arguments were that the people would vote to complete the power plant, but might not cast sufficient votes to commence the distribution system, depending upon the imperative necessity of the former to force through the questionable requirement of the latter.

"Cannot we trust to the exercise of the intelligence of our people or must we calmly submit to be placed like cows in stanchions to be milked or, more correctly stated, to be deprived of our right of using our common sense and judgment?

"That the people will rebuke the insinuations against the exercise of their ability to think and act for themselves will be demonstrated at the close of the polls election day, May 8, at which time their verdict will be echoed in no unmistakable tones."

W. G. Thorpe, former campaign manager of the Real and Personal Property Owners' League, said last night that the plan to spend $6,500,000 under the proposed issue is bad business and further that it is unfair and unjust to men whose property rights should be respected. He predicts that the people will defeat the bonds by a bigger majority than they did before. Protesting against adding needlessly to the city's already heavy indebtedness, Thorpe said:

CONDITIONS TO BE MET.

"It seems to me as a taxpayer that our bonds, assessments and taxes will eventually ruin our beautiful city if a halt is not called. I notice in the official records of 1901 our bond indebtedness was $2,000,000; 1904, $4,717,000; 1908, $9,578,000; 1912, $36,000,000.

"You will notice that his record shows an appalling increase and that the interest on this sum is in the neighborhood of $10,000 a day.

"We are now told to vote another $6,5000,000, namely, $1,250,000 for the generating plant, also $5,250,000 for power bonds. In this connection, let me say that all thinking men must realize that this amount would only be a drop in the bucket, that woud have to be followed by millions and millions or else forfeit the above amount on the purchase of the power bonds.

"Do you realize that our taxes now are $3 on every $100 worth of real estate or personal property. The people of this city voted down the power bonds less than a year ago, and I cannot understand why the taxpayers are forced at this time at a heavy expense to again vote them down for that is surely what they will do for self preservation.

"It seems to me a ridiculous and absurd proposition when we realize that the Railroad Commission is given absolute power to make the rates whether the city owns the power and distributing plant, or whether a private corporation owns it. I, therefore, cannot see where we would be benefited by owning the same at this time, particularly as times are hard and money hard to get.

"We should also try to be fair and just to the men and women who have invested their earnings honestly. In our public corporations there are hundreds and thousands of poor men and women who invest their entire savings in stocks and bonds, instead of in real estate, or keeping the same in the savings banks. The records prove this absolutely to be true. We need only to call your attention to the Los Angeles Investment Company to prove that this is true.

"We also know the hardship and suffering that is caused among the small stockholders of any corporation that fails, or that is being persecuted by politicians, and who by this reason are unable to sell their stock except at a loss. Some people seem to think that all stockholders in corporations are rich people and that there is no harm done whatever their losses may be. As a party said to me, 'they are all millionaires any way.' This is a mistake, and if they were they should receive fair treatment at the hands of the people.

"There are without doubt a number of bonds that will have to be voted, that are an absolute necessity, before long, such as the $1,500,000 for the completion of the aqueduct. Bonds of this nature are absolutely necessary, but I sincerely hope that the voters will vote down the $6,500,000 bonds by an overwhelming majority and later we can vote the $1,500,000 bonds for the generating plant at a future election when they do not try to force the other bonds down our throats."

UNFAIR ADVANTAGE.

J. M. Elliott, president First National Bank: I believe the Council took an unfair advantage in combining two propositions under one bond issue and that many persons, who would gladly have voted for the $1,250,000 bonds to conserve the electric power, are opposed to voting the larger issue for a competing electric system within the city limits.

When the electric public service corporations were spending large sums of money here, and bringing in millions of dollars from the East, they were highly commended by press and public. To compete with them now would not only be unfair, but would publish to the world the fact that all other public service corporations contemplating systems in this city could look forward to like treatment in the future.

These two reasons among others compel me to vote against the bonds.

NOT FAIR TO ANYONE.

Mrs. Morris A. Knabel, Friday Morning Club: I shall vote against the bond issue in its present form because I do not think it fair to anyone, citizen, investor or the corporations. I believe the bonds should have been segregated; then the voters would have an opportunity to express their honest opinion at the polls. I further believe that the power companies' proposition for the purchase of the current generated at the city's plant should have been accepted as offering the quickest and best return upon the city's investment in the aqueduct.

NECESSITIES FIRST.

Mrs. Roderick W. Richardson, president Woman's Republican Club: The present power-bond issue before the public should receive the careful consideration of every voter, that all may realize the grave responsibility of assuming at the present time such a debt. We all know that Los Angeles stands in pressing need of actual necessities which, if they could be secured, would outstrip our bonding limit.

The importance of school bonds to provide for more school buildings, insuring our children every safety and educational advantage befitting the rapid growth of our city, is one of serious consideration. Then, too, the storm drains which the recent floods of February proved to us a serious need, lack of which caused the city expense for damage done to streets and roadbed, imperiled life and destruction of property of thousands of thrifty citizens. Sewers adequate to guarantee the city against the festering pestilence, which is breeding in many places, the extension of water mains so that taxpayers, who have been paying for our $24,000,000 aqueduct, may receive its waters and escape from the domination of private water companies on which they are now dependent. These, with many other needs, are first to be considered and when we get these important necessities it will be time enough to talk about experiments in city distribution of electricity. I have no quarrel with this as a theory, but feel there is time enough to try it out after we have secured the necessities. In the meantime, the power companies can give us as low a light rate as could possibly be secured by city distribution. There is another reason why I am unalterably against the bonds—they are submitted to us in a form that absolutely stifles free expression and prevents us from voting to complete the power plant without voting $5,250,000 for the unnecessary distributing system. The annals of Tammany Hall cannot disclose a more cunning device for subordinating voters and depriving them of their constitutional right of free suffrage.

DEBT ENOUGH.

Heinrich Von Stein, president of the Von Stein Academy of Music: My personal opinion is that the city now has on its hands many projects which it would be wise to finish before attempting a new enterprise. The tax rate is about high enough now and, as far as I can see, from a business viewpoint, it would be unwise for the city to plunge into more indebtedness so long as any alternative is offered. More urgent needs for money will present themselves very shortly, needs that can only be met by bond issues, and, since there is a limit to which we can go in our bonded debt, I think we should save ourselves a liberal margin. If this were a political matter I would hesitate to express myself, but it is purely a business matter and I am viewing it in that way. I am against the bonds.

UNNECESSARY.

George K. Maxwell, ranch operator: My home and many of my interests are in the city and I am concerned over any bond issue proposed. This one I think ill-advised and unnecessary. Some proposition from the power companies can be accepted that will enable the city to wholesale power for the present and use its profits for purchase and its credit for things such as water-main extensions and so on, that we must have and that we can secure only through bond issues. I am, therefore, opposed to the bond issue as it is proposed now.

VOTERS HINDERED.

J. F. Sartori, president of the Security Savings Bank: I am opposed to the power bonds because the two questions were not segregated and the people were therefore prohibited from expressing their free opinions on the subject. I think a very serious mistake was made there, and that many thousands of voters will do as I shall do if I am in the city—vote against the bonds.

WON'T DECREASE TAXES.

Phillip S. Wilson, president of the Traders' Bank: I am opposed to the power bonds and shall vote against them. The silly claim that voting these bonds will decrease our taxes does not fool me. The interest on these bonds must be paid. The question is whether the profits will be sufficient to justify the investment and that I refuse to believe. Whatever profits there are will go into extensions and betterments of the system and the tax rate will stay where it is. Let us wholesale the power for the present until we are in shape to do this thing in a businesslike fashion.

LETTERS TO "THE TIMES."

[The Times invites strong, clear, bright expression of opinion on current subjects, timely, pertinent and popular. Brevity should be kept in sight. Essays eschewed. Religious and personal controversies are taboo. Value is added to such letters by the signing of the writer's true name, which will be either published or withheld at the owner's request. Letters offered for publication should be in "parliamentary" language, and are subject to editorial supervision.]

A Strong Statement.

LOS ANGELES, April 24.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Bread 15 cents a loaf—why not? Just how it will come about:

One of the amazing fads of American life is the prodigious wastefulness of political cliques that usually pose as "friends of the people." For some years past Los Angeles has been singularly a prey to these wolves in sheep's clothing—sanctimonious, eye-rolling, psalm-singing Pharisees, whose slogan is "Holier Than Thou." These long-haired reformers have always been "long" on promises and "short" on performances, and if they had their sweet way would add at least $20,000,000 more to our debt by Christmas. Is it not time to call a halt?

They have, in short, piled up the debts of Los Angeles for various pet schemes and enterprises. In seven years the city debts have gone skyhigh, that is to say from $7,000,000 to about $35,000,000, and, like the horse leech, still the cry is "more."

The latest "more" is a mere bag of shells to the extent of $6,500,000 for the electric distributing system; in the face of the fact that a perfectly reliable electric light corporation already offered $1,000,000 a year dividend to the city for the sale of the power.

But no! the long-hairs prefer to run in debt millions more to "save the people" the money that the "bloodsucking" corporations would put in their "already overflowing coffers" (quotation from a leading long-hair orator.)

It costs five times what it did seven years ago to live in Los Angeles. On top of whatever may have been added by the general rise in the cost of living, we owe five times as much, we must pay five times as much to live here, just to keep even with the debts. Put that in your pipe and smoke it, Mr. Booster! If the long-hairs are to be kept in power, what will be the cost of living in Los Angeles seven years hence? or will Los Angeles be on the map at all. Will any human being care to live here and pay the cost?

The long-hairs are industriously trying to prove that you can tax a man rich and you can tax a city rich.

The common sense of the situation is, do you wish to pay 15 cents a loaf for bread?

Every man, woman and child must pay individually a proportion of the terrific cost imposed on this city by long-haired reformers in the past seven years; and has the time not come, right now, to call a halt before Los Angeles hangs out the red flag and goes into bankruptcy?

Make no mistake, voters, in thinking that only the taxpayers will be obliged to pay the freight. It should read: Not only the taxpayers, but any man, woman and child that eats a mouthful of bread in this city—all must pay the price of this stupendous folly.

Are you a laborer? You are on the list. Up goes the cost of your living.

Are you an invalid? You must pay.

Are you a widow? You must pay?

Are you a car driver? We want your money.

Are you a student, a woman clerk, an orphan, a fireman, a policeman, a soldier, a sailor, a tourist within our gates?

None may escape. Each must help pay the score in a higher local cost of living.

The cost can no more be placed, individually, on taxpayers than it can on the South Sea Islanders, but must be met by every person in this community, whether or not he owns a foot of real estate.

The immediate effects are already seen in the increased cost of living, higher prices for shoes, stockings, silks, meats, bread, beer, washboards, soap, towels, needles, pins, hats, drugs.

The bed you sleep on, the chair you sit in, the very shoes on your feet, all these have gone up already because of the wild schemes of the long-hairs in this city, and will continue to go up as long as the long-hairs are in power.

The only thing that has escaped is the air we breathe, and that may come up next, if we don't watch out.

The great patriotic enterprise of "saving the people millions" simply means that from the newsboy on the street to the half-starved invalid—in short, every man, woman and child that eats bread in this city—is slated to have the cost of living increased.

Do not vote for the bonds at this price.

JOHN HUBERT GREUSEL.
6059 Hollywood Boulevard.

SECURE PARK LOTS.

The firm of Simoneau & Co., of this city makes the announcement that it has secured from Frank M. Barr and the Foresta Land Company, through Robert M. Shaw, 800 lots in the townsite of Foresta in the Yosemite National Park. The price is reported by the buyers at $160,000. The sites are to be put on the market.

Signs of the Times.

AUDITORIUM BECOMES PALACE FOR PICTURES.

"AUDITORIUM, Clune's Theater Beautiful," will be emblazoned against the skies by thousands of incandescent lamps on the night of the opening of the magnificent new home of film drama. The switching on of the tremendous electric sign will be the first step in the formal introduction to Los Angeles theatergoers of a permanent addition to picturedom. W. H. Clune's new policy of showing only the world's greatest filmizations of famous plays and novels will please the lovers of high-class dramatic art in this city.



Moving picture palace now.

The Temple Auditorium, which, under the Clune management, turns from grand opera to pictures.

No city in the world will boast of so large a theater devoted to the presentation of film dramas as the Auditorium of Los Angeles. New York was proud of the fact that their "Old Broadway" theater was taken by a motion-picture company. At that time New York led the world. San Francisco turned the Tivoli into a playhouse for the presentation of the silent drama. Staid Boston finds that the progress in picturedom during the past six months has been so great that the famous Boston Theater must be given over to the new work of presenting tremendous film dramatizations. Philadelphia is building a new theater with a seating capacity rivaling that of Clune's Auditorium for the express purpose of featuring many-reel pictures at higher prices.

"My new policy is the result of this same progress," said W. H. Clune yesterday. "I desire to hold the best trade in the city and for that reason must keep abreast of the times. The Auditorium Theater is the only one in the city capable of handling the monster films we intend to project. Los Angeles will have the finest house in the world as well as in the United States and we intend to give productions which will compare favorably with the building. We will play exclusively the world's greatest filmizations of famous plays and novels."

As an initial production from which the character of the plays which will make their home at the Fifth and Olive-street playhouse, may be derived, the life story of John Howard Payne, the author of the immortal song, "Home, Sweet Home," will be given together with a story far-reaching in its effect and woven around this song which reaches all hearts.

An orchestra of twenty pieces under the capable leadership of Carli Elinor will be a permanent feature of the new home of film drama. These musicians proved a delightful surprise to the Native Sons of the Golden West when they were treated to a session of music during their convention meetings.

D. A. Beats Midwick.

SWELLS AND BELLES ARE NOW BASEBALL MANIACS.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

THE Los Angeles Country Club team won the first game in the Country Club Baseball League at the Midwick Club yesterday by 13 to 9.

Each team had a home run to its credit, Arthur McFarland for Los Angeles, H. Ayer for Midwick. Los Angeles had nine base hits and Midwick five. Three Midwick men made two-base hits—R. Topp, H. Ayer and Forsman. Arthur McFarland scored a two-base hit for Los Angeles.

Errors were conspicuous by their absence.

Altogether this inauguration baseball game was voted a bouyant success and the gay company of aristocratic fans who filled the grand stand and the long line of motors declared it to be far and away more interesting than the first professional game of the season between Los Angeles and Oakland.

The Midwick team was composed of R. Topp, second base; T. Wigton, center field; Don McGilvary, third base; Hal Braly, shortatop; H. Ayer, first base; Leo Chandler, left field; Harold Cook, right field; Forsman, catcher, and H. Guthrie, N. M. Murray, H. Avery and Page Warden, pitchers.

The Los Angeles team enjoyed the distinction of Artie Shafer's company and he was naturally the sensation of the day. Wild yells greeted him whenever he appeared. He seemed to be thoroughly enjoying himself and could not be drawn into any controversy. There was a fearful moment when John S. Cravens of the Midwick disputed umpire's decision. "Let Shafer decide," he cried with youthful indignation. But Shafer tactfully stopped up his ears and showed his lovely teeth in a smile a yard wide. That broke the tension and parliamentary order was restored. He caused many a laugh by the facility with which he stole bases.

The winning men included Ed Seaver, catcher; Avery McCartney, left field; A. V. Duncan, shortstop; Artie Shafer, third base; Charlie Hopper, second base; Claude Wayne, first base; Harry Borden, right field; Thomas and H. McFarland, center fields, and Artie McFarland, pitcher.

The umpire was so professionally perfect that the feminine fans made urgent inquiries. Forrest Stanton by name, former catcher for Stanford University. Page Warden of the Midwick, besides receiving eulogies as a pitcher, won considerable admiration for his golf legs—all the other players being be-flanneled.

Norman Murray of the Midwick also received an ovation and he gained a good deal of credit for some doubtful subtlety. When Shafer was batting he received all balls and walked to base, which was carefully explained as being superb generalship, since Shafer is such a hitter that with two men on bases, Midwick would certainly have come off worst the other way. M'yes.

Next to Shafer, who is above criticism, Arthur McFarland won most of the applause for Los Angeles, and E. H. Seaver most of the personal admiration. Nice looking boy, Seaver. Hal Braly, playing for Midwick, did not quite come up to expectations—the fact of the matter is this Adonis is getting a wee bit too plump to run.

There were many wildly exciting moments and the golf women—and particularly Mrs. Williams, the champion—rooted fiercely and forcefully. Cries of "catch it, oh catch it, man," or "please, please miss it," rang across the polo field and echoed round the golf course, repeating somewhere out at Pomona. Society turned up in encouraging force and it's most stylish clothes and there is little doubt that as a social rendezvous Country Club baseball will easily supplant all other forms of sport. The next match is at the Los Angeles Country Club, May 9, and everyone is going.

The other teams are forming rapidly—San Gabriel will be the next ready, and Earl Boothe of the Athletic Club will soon have one lined up for that. He was out at the Midwick keeping scores.

It will certainly remove one of the most severe slurs on the honorable game of baseball if it once more becomes popular as an amateur sport. The country clubs have some of the finest material, nearly all ex-college stars, and although this first game was not as swift as a Giant-Sox contest, it lacked nothing in zeal and knowledge and gave promise of great possibilities for the future. We seem to possess a whole bevy of amateur Cobbs and Shafers.

DISCUSS EDUCATION.

Instructors Talk Before Social Science Association on Problems of Higher Institutions.

At a meeting of the Southern California Social Science Association yesterday at the Polytechnic High School, Dr. Walter E. Edwards of Los Angeles High School and Dr. Weatherby of the University of Southern California discussed the problems of joining closely the work of the junior college and the university. Their talks dealt practically with conditions met in the maintenance here of a junior college that covers the first two years of university work, and helps relieve congestion in the sub-junior departments of the higher institutions.

In addition to the main addresses there were talks by Miss Anna Steward and Mr. Arthur Merrill of Los Angeles High School; Miss Edith Jordan, Dr. Klingberg of U.S.C.; A. L. Brundidge of Fullerton, Miss Grace Harnett of Long Beach and Dr. Saunders of Hollywood High.

The retiring officers were: President, Dr. Rockwell D. Hunt of U.S.C.; secretary, H. N. Greenwood of Polytechnic; treasurer, M. M. Fishback of Orange. The newly elected officers are: President, Miss Edith Jordan of Polytechnic; vice-president, Paul Gross, Alhambra; secretary, Dr. Emory S. Bogardus, U.S.C.; treasurer, M. M. Fishback, Orange.

EFFICIENCY FOR EMPLOYEES.

Business Men's Club to Hold Series of Meetings in Large Business Establishments.

Inaugurating a series of meetings in various large establishments of this city, the Business Men's Efficiency Club will meet next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the new store of the Lyon-McKinney-Smith Company at No. 737-741 South Hill street.

The topic of the evening will be "Efficiency." There will be talks by prominent business men, discussion by members and initiation of new members.

The entire personnel of the establishments where these meetings are held will be invited to attend and it is hoped by mutual discussion and cooperation of ideas to raise the standard of personal efficiency and make Los Angeles the leading city in this work.

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Train Young America to Shoot.
Editorial.
By Hon. Lindley M. Garrison, Secretary of War.

Secretary Garrison wants a systematic national schooling in marksmanship. His belief is that this will not only strengthen the manhood of our country in time of peace, but the loss of life in time of war would be vastly decreased by shortening the period of war. His views and reasons are vital and convincing.

The Power of the President.
Article.
By Ex-Senator Albert J. Beveridge.

Just what is the power of the President? What does his veto power amount to? Is there a menace in his power to appoint Supreme Court judges? What about his power to declare war, to make treaties with foreign countries, to make appointments, etc., etc.? Thousands of people believe him to be too nearly absolute—Czar-like in his control. Many say that his power is gauged by the strength of his personality—others declare the extent of his power depends on his political cleverness in dealing with vital problems. Senator Beveridge's article is in no sense a criticism of the Chief Executive. His statements are unbiased, but illuminative.

The Prince of Graustark
Serial Story.
By George Barr McCutcheon.

The part of Cupid isn't exactly fitting for the portly Blithers, but Blithers is convinced that he can get away with it. If there is anything a man of his wealth and perseverance can't do, Blithers has yet to learn it. In this instalment the doting Croesus appears to be floundering. Maud, his daughter, persists in her refusal to meet Prince Robin and secures passage under an assumed name on a steamer bound for Europe. This punctures Blithers's hopes until he learns that the Prince has been advised by cable to leave immediately for the other side—and then the fertile mind of the millionaire gets busy.

Our Street.
Poem.
By Walter A. Roberts.

Verses that were inspired by the beautiful painting of a rain-swept street, which is reproduced as the illustration of the poem.

Chips.
Story.
By Elizabeth Myers.

Some people will see a moral in CHIPS—all will enjoy it for its originality and unexpected surprise. An amusing study of eugenics and evolution.

Tabs on the Famous.
By Fred C. Kelly.

Breezy side-lights on men who are known from Coast to Coast.

As Leans the Twig.
Cartoon.
By Anthony Euwer.

An amusing cartoon with rhyming words on the exaggerated modesty of Anthony Comstock, the famous censor of American morals. The joke's on him, but he will laugh at it.

New Wrinkles.

Some labor-saving devices that will be welcome in every home.

Big Gun Flashes.
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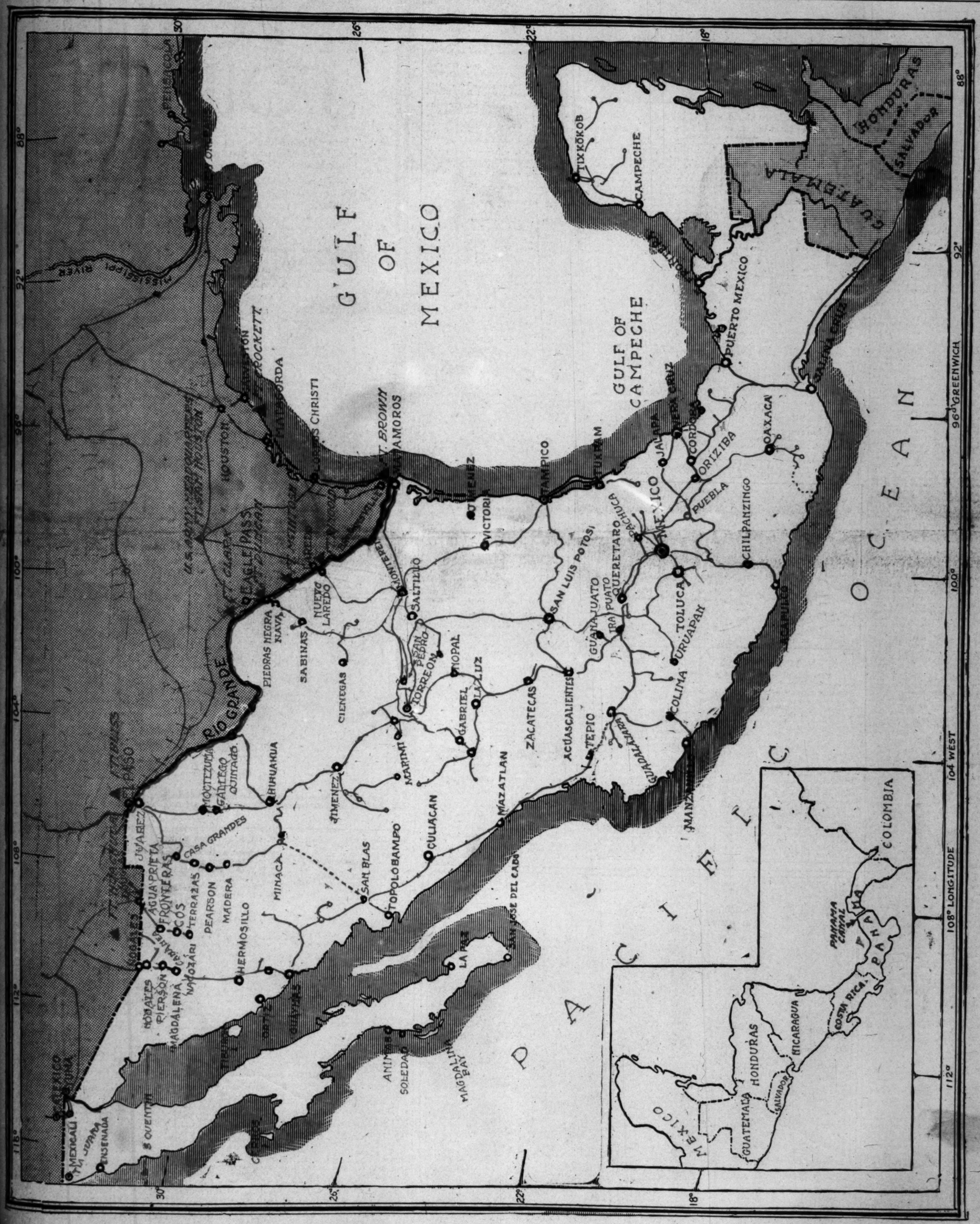
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XXXIIIRD YEAR. SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 26, 1914. THE LAND: For Free Soil and Free Men. For Free Ships and Free Workers.

THE PENDING WAR OF THE UNITED STATES AGAINST MEXICO.



War map,
Showing the exterior boundaries of the Mexican republic and the Rio Grande border, with United States forts, seacoasts and railway lines, the capital and other cities and towns. Also the relation of the Panama Canal to the theater of war.

Convalescent.

END OF CRAZES IN WASHINGTON.

State Wearied to Death of So-Called Reformers.

Next U.S. Senator Sure to Be Republican.

Commonwealth to Line Up With "Safe and Sane."

BY J. T. BELCHER.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SEATTLE (Wash) April 23.—The political vagaries of the State of Washington resemble nothing so much as a crazy-quilt. If there is any freak or fad in the line of real or spurious statecraft that the people of the Evergreen State have not tasted of, the record doesn't show it. This political Washington may be noted for its numerous political branches, for there is an offshoot or upshoot of about everything political that ever came into existence, including about every known species of socialism, which is certainly going some.

It isn't apparent, at this writing at any rate, which is the craziest branch of the lot, but the so-called "reform" element and the promising "Progressives" are giving the "Reds" a close call for first place. They even have "Red" Socialists and "Yellow" Socialists here.

Washington ought to be a safe and sane commonwealth. It has most magnificent opportunities. Here is the birthplace of those favorite expressions of the pamphlet-writer and town-booster: "A place of inexhaustible resources; magnificent natural advantages; splendid climate and hospitable people."

This is really a grand country, destined as surely as the sun rises and sets to be the seat of a mighty empire in itself, and that in the not far distant future. The government's promise, thanks to Secretary of Interior Lane, to render material and deserved assistance in the development of Alaska, will unquestionably be of inestimable value to the whole Puget Sound country in particular and the entire Pacific Coast in general. And for every step in progress and development, enjoyed by Alaska, the people of the State of Washington should be benefited two-fold. And they will be if they are not everlastingly handicapped by the political parasites, sanctimonious scarecrows, peripatetic preachers and pumpkin-headed "Progressives."

Washington today has about as many nincompoops in public office as it is possible to accumulate outside of a local Brazil, the same being a place where mental nuts are cracked. It would seem to be no ordinary task for even so good a State as this is, to gather together so many varieties of infantile political paralysis. Time was when the yeomanry of this still young State would have put aside with intellectual vigor, the platitudes and promises and dreams of the idlers and theorists, and could not have been tempted from the path of upbuilding.

But another time came and with it came the discontented and, worst of all, the class of males and females who imagine notoriety to be fame, and who are happiest when they are engaged in making others unhappy and miserable. When it wasn't the Socialists, it was the Populists; when it wasn't the Pops, it was the "anti-corporation" fanatics; when it wasn't the demagogue, it was the bean-brained, numbskull, who blew himself into a daily State of intoxication listening to himself rent; and incidentally paralyzing the thinking capacities of those who were either foolish enough, or reckless enough, to listen to him. Seattle has the largest proportion of this element to deal with today, not even excepting Los Angeles. Yes, we must in all fairness award the honors, such as they are, to this "Queen City" of Puget Sound, at least in this one respect.

About the time the business men began to congratulate themselves upon their deliverance from the nuisances attending the municipal election in March last, wherein Hi Gill was recalled to the Mayoralty chair from which he had been recalled only a few short years before, along comes Meddle McCormick with his political false alarms and whinings. He spent two or three days in Seattle disturbing anybody he could reach, and indulging in predictions that would have warmed the cockles of the most asinine Socialist. Meddle was not overly-pleased with the remnants of the "Progressive" windjammers that he met. The committee meeting whereat he pretended to outline the "Progressive" battle for supremacy in 1914, was funnier than some Orpheum jokes. The enthusiasm was as inspiring as the average inscription on the average headstone in the average graveyard. The attendance was not nearly as large, and otherwise the meeting was an impressive success.

It would appear that Seattle is sick and tired of the fads and faddists who have so long interfered with the truly progressive spirit of the people here. What with the opportunities ahead in all lines of business that will, without doubt, come with the government's extensive operations in Alaska this summer, no sane citizen here feels disposed to longer listen to the harpings and warpings of the blatherskite politicians. Most of them have seen enough within the past year or so to satisfy them that whatever the failings of the Democratic party may be, they had better suffer under the emblem of the donkey rather than that of the bull moose or the fireworks of the various varieties of anarchists, who have so long howled on Seattle streets. And they have also been impressed with the fact that the protective tariff policy of the Republican party was after all is said and done, their one best political bet.

There can be no reasonable question of the statement that the people of this metropolis of the State of Washington, will be mighty glad when the day comes around, when they can once more get into line with the principles and policies of the party of Lincoln, McKinley and Taft. They have learned their lesson, unless the signs of the times here are misleading. They are proving their return to the Republican party by registering in that political faith just as their wandering brethren in California are doing. There need be no fear of the political color of the next United States Senator from Washington, who is to be chosen this fall. He will be a straight-out Republican, without strings of any sort upon him. And every man and woman on the Republican ticket is assured of election as certainly as Drew H. Drukker was recently elected to Congress in the New Jersey district, despite the previous Democratic success.

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Sightly home transferred through Giles & Kells, with Wright-Callender-Andrews Company.

ADAMS AND ELLENDALE.

Fine Home at That Corner Brings Large Consideration in Cash and Trade—Other Transfers.

Giles & Kells, managers of the house and lot department of the Wright-Callender-Andrews Company report the following recent sales of residence property totaling over $100,000: Title Insurance and Trust Company to Jacob and Anna Gold, ten-room residence, northeast corner of Adams street and Ellendale place, lot 104x140 feet, consideration, $35,000. (In the deal Gold deeds to the Title Insurance and Trust Company one acre on Washington boulevard at the Palms, at a value of $6500, and a lot on Forty-first place, valued at $2000.)

Citizens Trust and Savings Bank to R. H. Wilkinson, 220 feet, vacant, in Wilshire Square, $12,500 cash; (Wilkinson will improve with a fine residence.) Ramey Investment Company to Mrs. J. D. Reardon, six-room bungalow, No. 4505 First avenue, $2000; Ella Seligman to Mary B. Regan, ten-room residence, No. 845 South Burlington avenue, $12,750; Mrs. M. M. Gray to Genevieve McLaughlin, ten-room chalet, No. 640 S. Oxford boulevard, $16,500; John H. Lane to local investor, nine-room residence, lot 75x160 feet, No. 1932 Hobart boulevard, $12,500; C. R. Harris to Mary F. Drown, 160 acres of land in Alberta, Can., for $2800, and Mary F. Drown to C. R. Harris, seven-room bungalow, No. 200 North Dillon street, $6800.

HOLLYWOOD PARK.

The Patton & Longley Company, agents for Hollywood Park, report the sale to F. H. Shewell, of Denver, Colo., of four building sites on Sycamore Point in that tract. It is said to be the intention of the buyer to build a $3500 chalet. Other buildings reported now under construction or about to be built in Hollywood Park are as follows: For John H. Rollo, bungalow, $1200; H. W. Parsons, chalet, $3250; Mrs. A. H. Nightingale, bungalow, $750; B. E. Moulton, bungalow, $1500; Charles Amrhein, bungalow, $1250; T. O. McCutcheon, chalet, $3500; W. J. Gibson, bungalow, $2000; E. E. Gifford, bungalow, $1600, and M. B. Fisher, bungalow, $1200. The agents state that the machinery is now on the ground for a new pumping plant which is about to be installed in the tract and that the contract has been let for a new 100,000-gallon reservoir. The main boulevard leading into the property will, it is announced, have the grade reduced so that it will not exceed 4 per cent. to the highest elevation.

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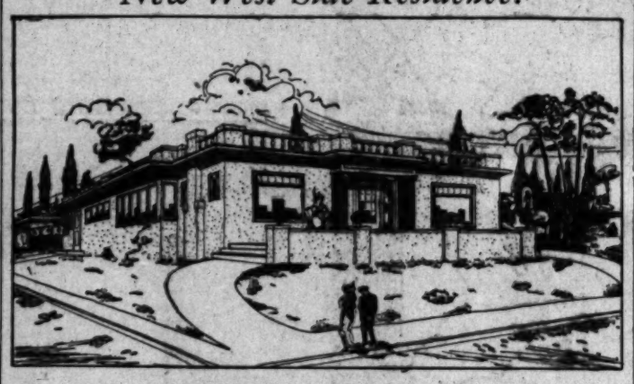
Excursionists Throng to San Fernando Valley City to Participate in Celebration of Sales Opening.

VAN NUYS, April 25.—The Western Improvement Company, which recently took over the sales agency for the undeveloped holdings in the townsite of Van Nuys, inaugurated the season with an excursion last Saturday afternoon, which was attended by nearly 1500 people. Eleven Pacific Electric cars were taken out loaded to capacity, and in addition, there were five auto truckloads of visitors, with about 100 private automobiles.

The exercises of the day began with an address by Frank D. Haddock, president and general manager of the Western Improvement Company, who outlined the wonderful story of the establishment of Van Nuys three years ago, its growth and progress up to the present time and its future prospects. The visitors were then taken in autos to all parts of the townsite, and to adjoining acreage and chicken ranches. The organ factory was then visited.

A barbecue supper was served at 6 o'clock, followed at dusk by the lighting of Sherman Way. The town was handsomely decorated, and the people turned out in force to welcome and entertain the guests of the day. The Van Nuys band of twenty-four pieces provided the day's music.

New West Side Residence.



House for Tenth and St. Andrews.

Villa-style place just started by Ramey Investment Company.

TENTH AND ST. ANDREWS.

Construction has just been begun upon a one-story residence of a modified villa type at the southeast corner of Tenth street and St. Andrews place, the Ramey Investment Company being the builder. The place, which will represent a reported investment of close to $9000, will occupy a lot 60x150 feet in size. The main rooms will be finished in mahogany.

WALNUT PARK.

Kleinberger-Edwards, subdividers, report the following sales in Walnut Park: August J. Kelting, two lots on Walnut street, $1850; William R. Harper, lot on Hope street, $650; Henry Elden, lot on Hope street, $800; Richard Butler, lot on Santa Ana street, $750; Lester N. Johnson, two lots on California street, $2000; Thomas J. Moore, lot on Santa Ana street, $900 and H. W. Swartz, lot on Hope street, $850.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Following are building permits for structures costing $1500 and over issued from April 16 to April 23, inclusively:

Double bungalow, eight rooms, No. 5017 Cimarron street; Sadie Dahlheim, $2000.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 1339 Martel avenue; Mrs Emma Logan, $1795.

Bungalow, five rooms, No. 1425 North Coronado street; Theresa F. Jordan, $1700.

Double bungalow, eight rooms, No. 1136 Tamarind avenue; B. F. Hill, $1500.

Double bungalow, six rooms, No. 406 Cottage Home street; Mrs. Emma Devereux, $1600.

Bunaglow, five rooms, No. 1026 I street, Wilmington; Bozo Augelich, $1650.

Residence, nine rooms, No. 4418 North Griffin avenue; Thomas A. Cole, $5300.

Alter apartments, No. 683 Carondolet street; Carolyn H. Hemick, $4050.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 1137 North Kenmore avenue; J. R. Bloser, $1800.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 422 South avenue 20; G. W. Ballinger, $1500.

Residence, nine rooms, No. 5608 Carlton way; H. C. Broderson, $3575.

Scenic Railway, No. 3501-39 Mission Road; Eastlake Amusement Company, $5000.

Brick store building, No. 5801-07 South Main street; Burke Bros., $2500.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 1855 Echo Park avenue; Lucy R. Divine, $3000.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 1751 Middleton place; E. Rogers, $1500.

Double bungalows, six rooms and three rooms, N. 1330 Wright street; Mary E. Dennis, $1600.

Bungalow, seven rooms, No. 1533 West Twentieth street; A. L. Gening, $1500.

Bungalow, seven rooms, No. 3646 Sixth avenue; W. A. Higgs, $1500.

Bungalow, seven rooms, No. 1268 Royal Court; Los Angeles Finance Company, $2500.

Flats, sixteen rooms, No. 2141 Valejo street; Clarence Taber, $5043.

Residence, seven rooms, No. 1556 Curson avenue; Miss A. H. Park, $2500.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 2806 North Avenue Thirty-three; Pelagio Schurman, $2200.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 1615 West Thirty-ninth street; C. C. Johns, $1600.

Double dwelling, eight rooms, No. 522 South Soto street; A. T. Perry, $2185.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 5225 Virginia avenue; Jack Berlin, $1900.

Church, No. 1146 South Boyle avenue; Rev. Thomas J. Conaty, $1500.

Store building, Nos. 2627-37 South Vermont avenue; L. A. Development Company, $5000.

Double bungalow, ten rooms, No. 638 West Fifty-fourth street; George Anderson, $3000.

Brick garage, No. 855 South Crocker street; Charles W. Chase, $6600.

Apartment-house, three stories, No. 124 West Eleventh street, San Pedro; L. Spinner, $7000.

Flats, sixteen rooms, No. 123 West Thirty-sixth place; Mrs. A. E. Shaw, $4000.

Bungalow, seven rooms, No. 1731 West Forty-third street; Birch O'Neal, $2000.

Brick hotel, four stories, No. 735 South Olive street; J. B. Soloman, $40,000.

Bungalow, seven rooms, No. 1711 Talmadge street; W. W. Clark, $1500.

Underpin brick walls, No. 652 South Broadway; J. E. Carr, $3000.

Add mezzanine floor, No. 824 South Spring street; Mortgage Guarantee Company, $2000.

Raise cottage and add flats beneath, No. 954 East Forty-second street; M. L. Hann, $2000.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 601 West Fifty-first street; D. J. Dehongue, $2000.

Two brick fire engine houses, Nos. 3834 South Western avenue and 1314 North Vermont avenue; city of Los Angeles fire department; $10,000 each, $20,000.

Flats, sixteen rooms, No. 6328 Sunset boulevard; W. F. Quayle, $7200.

Alterations for dancing hall, No. 755 South Spring street; Blackwood Amusement Company, $5000.

Apartments, No. 1733 Brooklyn avenue, Mrs. J. G. Hodges, $3500.

Brick garage, No. 1528 East Seventh street; Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation, $5500.

Two flats, sixteen rooms each, No. 1154 Temple street and No. 424 North Boylston street; Mrs. S. Shields, $4500 each, $9000.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 1374 East Fifty-fifth street; C. O. Day, $1500.

Bungalow, five rooms, No. 1254 West Fifty-fifth street; Los Angeles Realty Securities Company, $1900.

Brick showroom and flat building, Nos. 1914-18 West Washington street; Gideon La Sage, $3500.

Brick garage, Nos. 1914-18 West Washington street; Gideon La Sage, $7000.

Double bungalow, eight rooms, No. 4521 Fountain avenue; G. L. MacClement, $1925.

Double dwelling, eight rooms, No. 1818 North Virgil avenue; C. G. Morcher, $2100.

Residence, five rooms, Nos. 531 North Ardmore avenue; Lucy C. Spencer, $2600.

Brick building, No. 715 Center street; Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation, $3500.

Addition to apartments, No. 1234 South Ardmore avenue; Mrs. W. A. Davis-Morgan, $1850.

Bungalow, five rooms, No. 6720 Lemoyne street; Julia M. Brower, $1800.

Three bungalows, six rooms each; Nos. 1407, 1403 and 1415 Townsend street; W. F. Markham, $1500 each, $4500.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 436 West Seventy-sixth street; A. D. Porter, $1500.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 5663 La Mirada avenue; Rudolph Schering, $2400.

Double bungalow, ten rooms, No. 1538 El Centro avenue; J. G. Miller, $2500.

Double residence, eight rooms, No. 507 South Sichel street; William D. O'Hara, $2540.

Bungalow, six rooms, Palos Verdes and Dreyfus streets, San Pedro; A. F. E. Erwin, $1500.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 479 East Forty-eighth street; Mathew Walle, $1800.

Bungalow, six rooms, No. 1126 West Seventy-third street; E. M. Delamore, $1800.

Residence, nine rooms, No. 229 South Normandie avenue; John W. Stringfield, $4000.

Bungalow, seven rooms, No. 474 East Forty-ninth street; Frank Johnson, $2000.

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Excursionists at Van Nuys.

Part of crowd that thronged to San Fernando Valley metropolis a week ago when Western Improvement Company celebrated its taking over of sales agency for undeveloped holdings in that city.

BUYS WALNUT GROVE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, April 25. — Another ten-acre walnut grove in the La Habra district changed hands this week, the purchaser being George N. Weisel of Cincinnati, O. The grove was the property of Robert J. Hiatt of this city, who also made the sale. The price is given out at $11,500. The new owner will build on his newly-acquired ranch and make his home there.

PARK SETTLED FACT.

Local Assessment District to Provide Funds for New South Pasadena Improvement.

SOUTH PASADENA, April 25.—There is every indication that the new city park at Milan avenue and Leman street will soon be a reality, much to the satisfaction of the residents of the southern part of the city. All preliminaries were concluded a few days ago, when the matter of price for the ground was settled at $3750. The park includes a triangular piece of land at these corners, which will be paid for by assessment of the residents in the neighborhood. It then will be turned over to the city, which will plant it to flowers, trees and shrubbery and take care of it.

Gilbert & Co. report the sale for C. E. Rall of Detroit, Mich., to F. M. Simpson of this city of 55x140 feet on El Centro street, between Cawston and Indiana, the consideration being given at $1050.

The Hibbard Realty Company reports the sale of 55x80 feet in Ozmun court to Allison O. Blake of Pasadena. A bungalow is being erected on the property by the new owner. The seller was Mrs. Gertrude Ozmun of this city.

The City Trustees have introduced an ordinance ordering the Pacific Electric to move the curve tracks at the northwest corner of Mission street and Fair Oaks avenue, so that the Ozmun lot may be squared and the property restored to its owner. This will make the corner uniform with the others at the intersection of those streets and allow Mrs. Ozmun to go forward with her announced plans for a two-story store and office building. Mrs. Ozmun claims five feet of her property was taken off by the rounded corner.

TO BUILD FINE "WALK."

SEAL BEACH, April 25.—Contracts were let this week for the building of a twenty-foot cement way the length of the Ocean Front between Anaheim and Alamitos bays. Actual work on this seaside promenade will be commenced at once. The "walk" will be known as Seal Way when it is completed. The new electric self-propelled car recently put into operation in the harbor of the Atlantic Coast resort, it is announced, to be named Seal Way when it is completed. It is the plan of the company to put in from 100 to 150 electroliers along the way.

IN FAR SOUTHWEST.

The sale of twenty-eight one-half acres in half-acre and one-acre tracts marked the opening last Saturday of an eighty-acre addition to the Inglewood Acres suburban district in the far southwest, according to report of the James R. Page Land Company, which is handling the property. The purchasers of the tracts are announced as follows: [illegible] H. C. Terrell, C. S. Coates, M. [illegible] thorne, J. S. Allen, J. D. [illegible] R. Blockard, L. B. Ketcher, [illegible] Gould, C. A. Kane, L. B. [illegible] Davidson, Charles D. Brown, [illegible] Conley, L. L. Petne, M. J. [illegible] Benjamin L. Benson, William [illegible] rick, Thomas R. Hanks, [illegible] Morton, P. W. Strovin and [illegible] Black. The grading and [illegible] in the tract is now being done.

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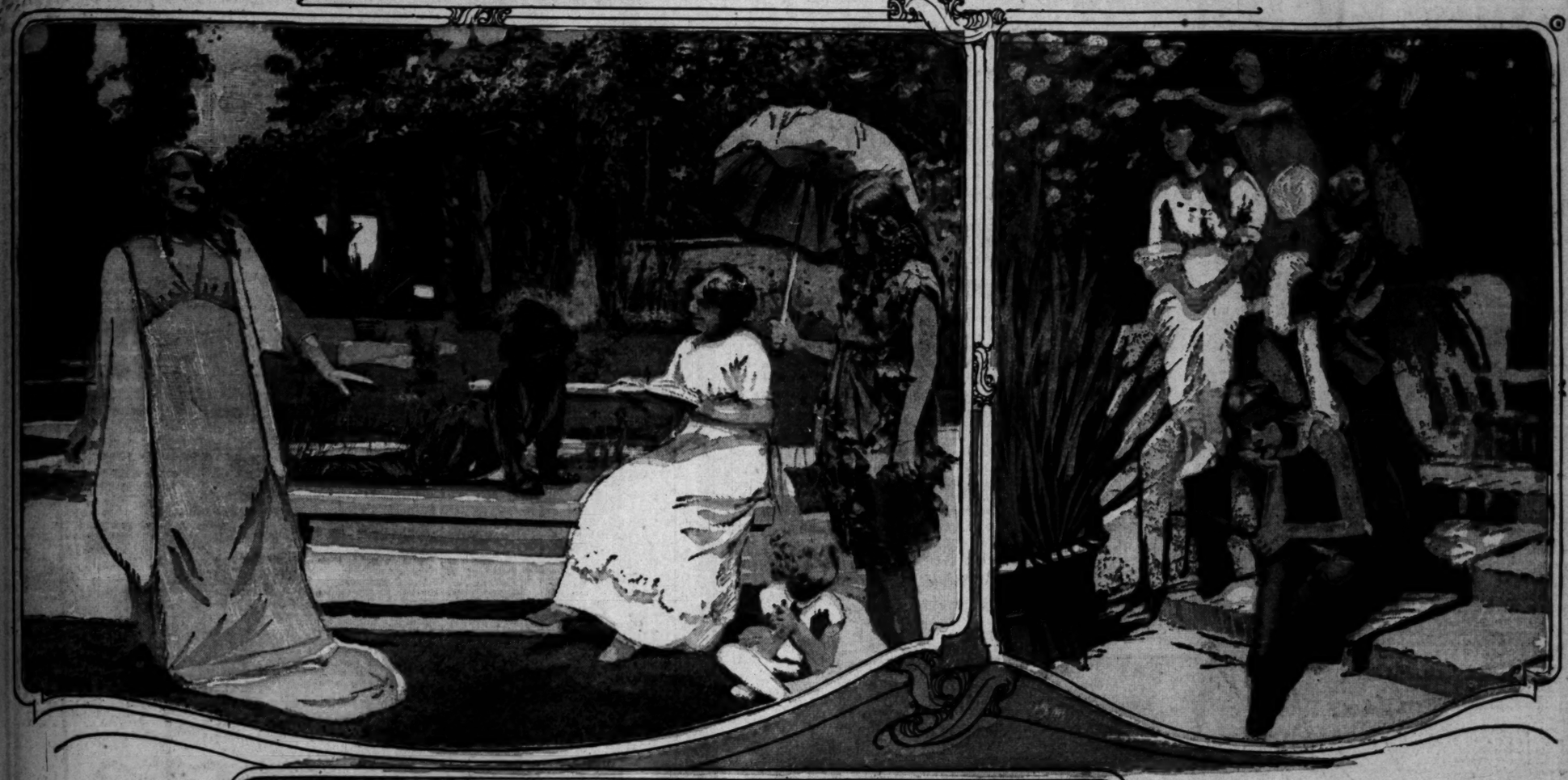
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Fiesta of Flowers, with Public Maypole Dance, to be Monster Pageant Given by Children.





For the great May Day festival,

To be given by the Los Angeles Humane Society for Children and the Federated Women's Clubs at the Hooker Gardens. Upper left, Mrs. Fred Hooker Jones, chairman of the May festival, reading the story of "Wan o' the Woods" to Leola Sun, a fairy queen; Una Fleming, a forest nymph, and little Selma Blumkin, a butterfly, while Frank Goldenson, disguised as a bear, looks on; upper right, Miss Fleming being crowned Queen of the May; at her feet is Curtyne Englar as "Wan," while the Queen is attended by Rosemary Herasta. Below, Miss Fleming in the center of a Maypole dance; others in this group, from left to right, are Ursula Cheshire as "Will o' Wind," Yvette Mitchell, as "Dan o' Dreams," Dorothy Baas as "Bluebird" and Beatrice Brooks as a fairy.

IN ROMANCELAND.

Los Angeles will slip off its garb of true metropolitanism and become the romantic capital of the Never-Never-Never Land next Friday and Saturday, when two days of May Festival will be filled with the riotous, rollicking play of children, the celebration of myth and legend in settings of forests and flowers, and a great public demonstration with the traditional May pole as the center of it all.

This two-day celebration is to be a very unusual affair—unique among all the glorious public fetes for which Southland has long been famous. And it is to be distinctly a children's affair, in which children portray the mythical characters of the legends and enact the fabled stories of the land.

At all the parks there will be May poles, at all the playgrounds there will be programmes given by children for children, and finally, the denouement will be the setting of a wonderful Italian garden where the old folks may be permitted to come in close contact with the spirit of youth and the romance of all youthful things.

BABY BLUE AND PINK.

The popular colors of childhood—baby blue and pink—will be the holiday colors, and everywhere the city will be decorated with ribbons and sash and bunting of these two colors, while the Cecil Brunner (baby rose) will be profusely accepted as the May festival flower.

Then, too, the homes and shop windows of Los Angeles will contain wreaths of flowers with the Cecil Brunner predominating, while pedestrians will be decorated with the special badge of the festival and its bouquets of flowers.

All these tokens will conspire to deck Los Angeles in a gala attire. It will be the first festival of its kind ever undertaken, and the various organizations that have been arranging for it for weeks are assured that this convention will be a triumph in which the precious youth and floral glories of the Southland will be displayed to best advantage.

FOR ALL HUMANITY.

Primarily, the May Festival is for the edification of all humanity; it is for the direct benefit of children—the children who are now under the protection, or who may later come under the protection, of the Los Angeles Humane Society for Children.

In linking the service for children with a general tribute to Flora, the Goddess of Flowers, grown-ups will also go and drift back once more into the wonderful realm of the Long Ago. May, the month when nature's prettiest clothes adorn the earth, is one of the most attractive legendary periods in the calendar. It is especially appealing to grown-ups and has been for centuries, although the festivities are indulged in more generously by children in this modern age, than in the past.

The Romans made sacrifice to Maia, the mother of Mercury, on May Day, and on that day, too, the ancient Romans went in procession to the Grotto of Egeria. In Tudor England the men and women, accompanied by laughing troops of boys and girls, went a-Maying to the great woods and bore back to the towns and villager the branches and flowers of the season, adorned with ribbons and wreaths. Then the May pole was inevitable.

PARADE AND CROWNING.

The revival this year of the lore and legend of the festival day will find many thousands of Los Angeles children participating in the ceremonies. The two-day celebration will open at 9 o'clock next Friday morning with a floral parade that will pass in review of Mayor Rose and the Executive Committee, who will be on a stand at the Manual Arts High School. In this parade will be all the characters that later will take part in the pageant.

The parade will lead to Washington baseball park, where it is expected thousands will congregate to witness the crowning of the Queen of the May—Miss Una Fleming, a pretty girl with peachbloom cheeks and a mass of golden hair.

The May pole, an institution honored by a million celebrations stretching over more than 1000 years, will be circled and braided with vari-colored ribbons by the dancing nymphs and fairies and elfs, the mythical wonders of the woods who attend in courtly grandeur the Queen of the May.

This May pole will then be set upon an expansive float, gorgeously decorated with flowers and baby-blue and pink ribbons, and will be taken from park to park, where the Queen of the May and her retinue of fairies, in diaphanous garb, will dance over and over again, to the delight of thousands of assembled tots and grown-ups. Her Majesty's entourage will include an orchestra.

This spectacular parade through the string of Los Angeles parks will in no way interfere with the celebrations that are to be conducted at all the playgrounds of the city. Each playground will have its May pole and each pole will be surrounded by an excited throng of lusty-lunged children, chanting the festival song, "My Cecil Brunner Rose."

Children will be conspicuously absent on the night of May 1, when the old—or older—folks engage in a charity promenade and ball at the Little Theater ballroom. This will be one of the alluring society events of spring, an occasion for the unusual in costume and effect.

IN THE GARDENS.

The second day of the May Festival will be quite as charming and entertaining as the first. The beautiful Hooker gardens at Grand and West Adams, with its wonderland of roses and famous peristyle of climbing flowers, will be the scene of a pretty outdoor play enacted by the Egan group of child artists. The Woman's Federation benefit will be held at this time, and three performances will be given during the day and evening.

At 10 o'clock "Wan of the Woods" will be given for the first time of the festival. Here is a pretty child story that brings together the fairy queen, the elfs, the wood-nymphs, the Indian boys and girls, the butterflies and bluebirds, Dan o' Dreams and Will o' Wind, not to mention a cinnamon bear. The story told in pantomime and in dialogue is the narrative of all that is wonderful and mysterious about the deepest, most impenetrable part of the forest.

The Egan players have been skilled and schooled in the presentation of the playlet, and the stage setting for such a spectacle in the center of the Italian garden is at once harmonious and effective.

This performance will be repeated afternoon and evening at the Hooker gardens, but the night performance will be singularly attractive in that the gardens will be beautifully illuminated.

FOR THE CHILDREN.

The proceeds of the two-day celebration will go to the pleasure and benefit of Los Angeles children. The enormous task of planning and executing a celebration of such magnitude has been left to scores of women who are taking active part in the work and to a group of public-spirited men whose aid seemed necessary to insure success.

Mrs. Fred Hooker-Jones, vice-president of the society, for whose direct benefit the affair is given, is chairman of the Executive Committee. Associated with her on the committee are J. C. Austin, Mrs. H. H. Rose, Frank Egan, Mrs. E. F. Kubel and M. C. Adler.

IN GENERAL CHARGE.

The General Committee is subdivided among a great many persons who have supervision over the various departments. The work is being handled as follows: E. J. Lickley, assistant chairman; General Safety, Chief Sebastian; Programme, Frank Egan; Million Club Benefit, Mrs. Clara Shortridge Foltz; Million Club, Mrs. Wharton; Executive Manager of Events, Harold Ryerson; Federated Clubs, Mrs. A. W. Francisco; May Morning Ride, Mr. Adler; Playgrounds, Mrs. Willoughby Rodman; Park Reception Committee, Mrs. E. K. Sibley (chairman,) Mrs. B. Murphy, Miss Dopkins, Mrs. Westphalen, Mrs. Carpenter; Ball, Frank Egan; Badges, Mrs. H. P. Barton; Refreshments, Mrs. J. W. Summerfield, Mrs. Robert Marsh; Men's Clubs, Bernal Dyas, Judge Warren Williams; Tickets, L. E. Behymer, Mrs. E. F. Kubel; Transportation and Donation of Funds for Institutional Children, Mrs. Harry Vorhees, R. E. Wells, Elks Club; Press Committee, B. O. Bliven of Harris & Frank, Mrs. Fred Hooker-Jones and Mrs. E. F. Kubel of Executive Committee; Parent-Teacher Association, Mrs. J. D. Taylor; Sunshine Society, Mrs. Perry and Mrs. West; Private Schools, Mrs. Eugene Overton; Subscription and Membership, Mrs. H. R. Boynton and Mrs. J. H. Dopkins; Publicity, Elmer R. McDowell, R. A. Davis, D. F. McLaughlin; Orphanages, Mrs. J. H. Francis; Humane Society Wards, Miss N. E. Winch, Miss N. B. Warner; Child Safety, Mrs. F. E. Pay.

OF THE CLUBS.

Co-operating with Mrs. Hooker-Jones in the benefit to be given the second day of the festival at the Hooker gardens, the Federated Women's Clubs has named the following women: Mrs. Jack Thomas, treasurer; Mrs. E. J. Brent, chairman Charity Committee. Mrs. Luther G. Brown, chairman Flowers Committee; assistant, Mrs. Y. C. N. Nobles. Mrs. Harry Voorhees, chairman Transportation Committee; assistants, Miss

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ALL INVITED TO COME IN.

To All Children of Los Angeles, City and County.

Dear Little People: The Los Angeles Humane Society for Children takes great pleasure in inviting you all to our May Day Festival on Friday and Saturday, May 1 and 2.

May Day seems to us the real children's day, so our society is planning on that day and the following one many things for your pleasure and a few benefits for other little children perhaps not so fortunate as you are. Mayor Rose, your parents and older friends have all accepted our invitation to be present and assist, but we are sending you a special invitation to come to the parks, playgrounds and the benefit entertainments and the benefit entertainments if you can, and so help to make our first May Day Children's Festival a happy one.

Very truly yours,
[Signed]

J. C. AUSTIN,
President.

MRS. F. HOOKER-JONES,
Vice-President and Chairman
May Day Festival."

MAY FESTIVAL PROGRAMME.

This is the programme far the greatest of children's festivals:

FRIDAY—ALL DAY.

9 to 10 a.m.—Informal May morning ride. Review by Mayor and Executive Committee.

10:30 a.m.—Washington Park benefit. Crowning of May Queen, Miss Una Fleming, Queen of the May. Admission, 10 cents.

2 p.m.—Queen visits her subjects in the following city parks: Hollenbeck, Eastlake, Westlake, Sunset, St. James and South Park.

9 p.m.—Grand promenade, festival and ball, Little Theater building. Admission, 50 cents.

SATURDAY—ALL DAY.

10 a.m.—"Wan o' the Woods." Invitational. Given by the pupils of the Egan Dramatic School for institutional children, at Mrs. Katherine Hooker's Gardens.

2 p.m.—"Wan o' the Woods" with different cast. Children under 14 years, 25 cents; adults, 50 cents.

8:15 p.m.—"Wan o' the Woods" with different cast. General admission, 25 cents.

Cosy Bungalow—
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A Home of your own
$75 cash and
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Why do you continue to support the landlord when you can own this beautiful little home on these easy terms. Start paying rent to yourself.

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Come to office and we will take you out to see it. If you cannot call, 'phone and get full particulars.

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Seal Beach has absolutely no undertow. Any child able to walk or run can be turned loose in its gentle surf with safety.

Does that mean anything to you, Mother?

Does it mean anything to you, Father?

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Start your youngster right. Give him a lot at Seal Beach.

$550—3 blocks from the spray.

Let him get a dividend every year by living on the lot. The profits will be worth a lot when he grows up.

Round-Trip All Day Sunday 25 Cents

Special train leaves Gate No. 10, P. E. Station, 6th and Main, at 10:00 (Note the change in time) o'clock Sunday morning. If you miss this train take any Newport car. Pay full fare. Present return ticket at tract office in the tent on the ocean shore and receive rebate of 25 cents on every ticket presented.

Guy M. Rush Company
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Have you visited this wonder spot in the heart of Newport Bay?

Nothing else like it on this whole Western Coast. Absolutely the most unique beach resort there is. Miles and miles of still water for boating, fishing, hunting and bathing.

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The Beach Retreat of your dreams.

Fine Surf Bathing on ocean front for those who want it.

The One Safe Beach for Children

For years the mecca for camping and outing parties this island is now subdivided and lots placed on sale. The demand is bound to be large and the number is limited. Nothing else like it when this is gone. All lots are level and desirable.

Buy Now and Build. Have the Beach Home Ready This Summer.

Improvements are all in, sidewalks, electricity, water and many homes are already built and occupied. A year-round home for some.

Prices are very low for this kind of property—$600 and up.

Fast electric car service and good auto road to Los Angeles.

You'll want a home here some day. Why not go and see it now? At the same time suggest a name for the Island without a name, which adjoins Balboa and perhaps win $100.

EXCURSIONS
Tuesday, Thursday & Sunday

We take you on one of the finest trips out of Los Angeles. The trip runs for miles along the ocean front, includes a boat ride of several miles around the Bay, with luncheon served.

The day's outing costs you only 50 cents.

Make arrangements ahead. Trip leaves from our office at 9:30.

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CITY RESPONDS.

Mrs. Hooker-Jones said yesterday: "The entire city has responded most enthusiastically to our invitation to cooperate in the May festival for the pleasure and benefit of Los Angeles children. Every organization without exception has expressed a desire to assist. That the entire affair may be carried on in as voluntary a manner as possible we are naming some things which will be for sale and other things needed for use: Ice cream, cakes, candy, peanuts, oranges and lemons, ticket printing, ribbons for badges (pink and white,) rental of chairs, autos, Cecile Brunner roses.

"If individuals, clubs or societies wish to contribute any of those or make suggestions as to how these can be obtained in the best manner possible, we would urge that the General Committee or the headquarters of the Humane Society, Nos. 629-30 California building, be notified as soon as possible."

THEY CONTRIBUTE.

Among those who already have contributed to the success of the affair are: Frank Egan, children's entertainments for benefit; Henry Berry, use of baseball park May Day morning; Katherine Hooker, Italian garden for May 2; Frank Egan, ballroom, Little Theater, for May 1, and $25 for entertaining children; Los Angeles Times, entertaining 100 children on May Day morning; Harris & Frank, $25, and Million Club, $25, for entertaining children; Baumgardt Publishing Company, furnishing ten thousand printed tickets; R. E. Wells and Elks' Club, automobiles for institutional children; Union League Club, mock trial benefit at time considered best by Committee on Arrangements; Fitzgerald Music Company, pianos for benefits; Clara Barton Hospital, $25; Cooper, Coate & Casey, ten bolts of ribbon; L. E. Behymer, 5000 ball tickets.

AT HOLLENBECK.

Arrangements have been made to have 2000 children take part in the May-Day festival at Hollenbeck Park.

The old ladies who are living at the Hollenbeck Home felt that they were being left out of the plans for the May Day festival for the benefit of the Humane Society for Children, so one of them telephoned the committee having the affair in charge asking that part of the festival be given in Hollenbeck Park in order that they might see the children at play. Most of those living at the home are so enfeebled by old age that they are unable to leave it.

The committee immediately rearranged its plans so that the old ladies of the home might again feel the rejuvenation of youth in watching the joys of the kiddies at play.

FIVE THOUSAND BADGES.

Prominent society and club women of the city gathered at the home of Mrs. Dr. H. P. Barton, No. 715 South Ardmore avenue, to put the finishing touches on 5000 of the May Day badges, which are to be used in conjunction with the festival. These are dainty affairs of baby blue and baby pink ribbon, woven around a flower to match, and will be sold to be worn on May Day at 10 cents each. A large fund will be raised by this method.

Judge Warren L. Williams announced yesterday that following the regular session of the Union League Club on the evening of May 1, a mock trial will be held, with the fines to go to the fund. This will last but a short time, and then court is to adjourn so that all may attend the grand festival promenade and ball at the Little Theater building that night.

BUYS ON ELDEN.

Investor Purchases Residence at Corner of That Avenue and Tenth Street—San Joaquin Valley Sale.

The Neiswender-La Claire Company reports having sold a fourteen-room residence at No. 1004 Elden avenue for U. S. House to C. Perrin Hewitt for a consideration of $18,000. The place is at the corner of Tenth street and occupies a lot 65x142 feet in size. It was purchased as an investment.

Through the same agency, J. F. Kent and U. S. House have just purchased from C. Perrin Hewitt a tract of 500 acres lying southwest of Firebaugh in Fresno county. The consideration is reported at $40,000.

NEWPORT ACTIVITIES.

WEST NEWPORT, April 25.—West Newport and Newport Heights are experiencing considerable real estate activity at the present time. Since the word of the 500-acre Episcopalian grounds improvement was given out and the building of the Orange County Golf Club begun, a great deal of interest has been created in local property. The first work on the property of the church people, was started a short time ago by the building of a foot bridge from the car line at Melrose, across the upper Newport Bay, and to the crest of the bluffs. A. B. Rousselle, agent for the properties in West Newport and on the Newport Mesa reports sales as follows: To Nels Swansen, two lots, $4000; L. Jones, lot, $2000; R. Wallace, lot, $2000; Dr. T. Williams, lot, $2000; Isaac Goldman, two lots, $4000; Frank Gregg, two lots, $4000, and M. Bethel, three lots, $5400.

NEW VERMONT SQUARE.

Announcement is made of the starting of six new bungalows in the Southwest Land Company's New Vermont Square during the past week. Following are the builders and the locations: Frank Bosserman of Muskogee, Oklahoma, eight-room chalet, No. 1800 West Forty-first drive, cost $3000; L. H. Sandoz, seven-room bungalow, No. 1507 West Forty-fifth street, $2000; R. E. Hatfield, six-room chalet, No. 1327 West Forty-sixth street, $2400; Paul H. Juskat, six-room bungalow, No. 1834 West Forty-third place, $1800; Birch O'Neal, seven-room bungalow, No. 1731 West Forty-third street, $2000, and the F. H. Redpath Company, six-room chalet, No. 1730 West Forty-first place, $2000.

Sold During Past Week.



House at No. 1004 Elden avenue.

Attractive place transferred through agency of Neiswender-La Claire Company.

PLAN AMPHITHEATER.

Great Open-Air Auditorium to Be Feature of New San Bernardino High School Group.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 25.—A great open-air amphitheater, with a capacity of 16,000 people, will be a feature in connection with the group of Polytechnic High School buildings now being planned for this city by Architect Norman F. Marsh of Los Angeles. It is to be located in a large quadrangle in the midst of the principal structures which will make up the school.

The classic type of school architecture has been adopted, and eight structures are to be placed in the initial group, which is to include an administration building, science hall, classic building, commercial building, home economics building, manual arts building, cafeteria and gymnasium. In the administration building there will be an auditorium seating 1500 people, a library, offices, several recitation and study rooms, music and oral expression rooms.

Architect Marsh has been here the entire week going over the preliminaries with the faculty and Board of Education. Three separate types of fireproof construction will be asked for in the bids.

An agreement has been reached with Gali Fish of San Diego, owner of a tract to the south of the school site, by which the city and Fish are to donate a strip of land for a public driveway, and Fish is to give an additional strip of twenty feet beyond for parking purposes, thus greatly beautifying the setting for the school buildings.

TO SEEK INDUSTRIES.

With the view of inaugurating a campaign of industrial development at Niland, the California Land and Water Company, which is building the new Imperial Valley town, has established a new department, devoted exclusively to the securing and fostering of business enterprises in that place. At the head of the new department will be a man acting under the direct order of President Arthur E. Hull of the company, and who will devote his entire time and attention to supplying data to merchants, fruitgrowers, shippers, agriculturists, and all others who might be interested in the valley developments.

Up and Doing!

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The work of putting in new piles has started and all is ready for the construction of the big Ben Hur racing roller coaster, which will be ready for the summer pleasure hunters by the first of July. A large carousselle will be run in connection with the ride. The entrances will be at the north of the pier, Pier avenue, the plaza and Kinney street. The whole lot once occupied by the Casino, Hippodrome and Dragon Gorge will once more be a mecca for merry-making crowds.

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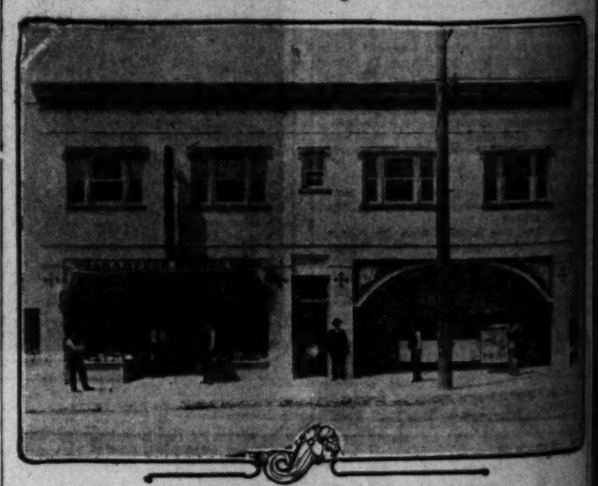
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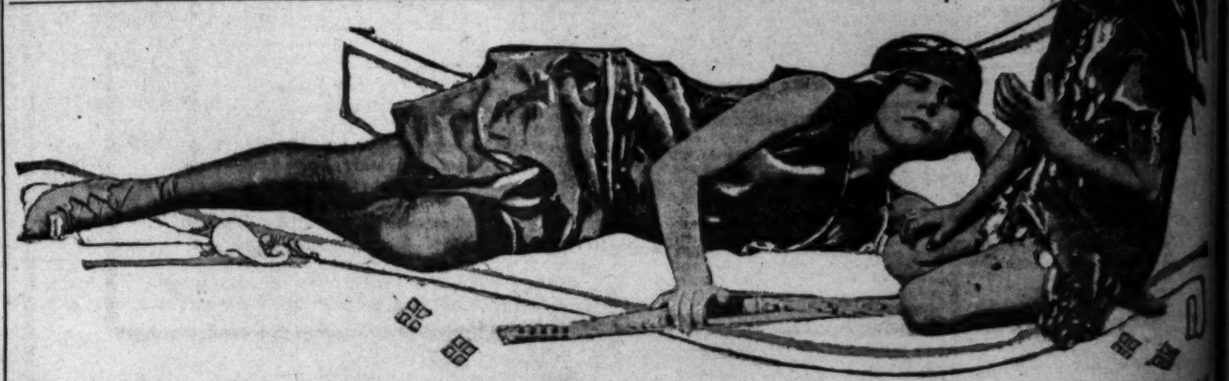
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EXTENSIVE PLANTING.

More than 8000 new trees were added during the week to the planted area of Nuevo Rancho, in the Lakeview-Hemet-Perris district by the owners of small fruit farms and the James R. H. Wagner Company, which is developing large tracts within the rancho. This according to Wagner, makes more than 34,000 trees that have been set out during the present planting season, olives and apricots prevailing. Martin L. Abbey of Glendale purchased twenty acres, within the week, in Nuevo Rancho and moved there at once to build his home. It is said that he will plant trees as quickly as possible. H. Vanden Voush, a farmer of the Antelope Valley, purchased ten acres and will put in beans and potatoes for a summer crop, setting out fruit or olive trees next winter.

NEW NORTHWEST STORES.

One of a number of business improvements recently completed in the northwestern part of Los Angeles is a two-story brick store and apartment structure built by S. G. Gaughman on Western avenue, between First and Second streets. The building occupies a ground area of 50x120 feet. The lower story is occupied by the Westlake Pharmacy and the Wilshire Picture Theater, while the second floor is divided into up-to-date apartment suites.



In children's portrayal of "Wan o' the Woods."

Mona Mullen, kneeling, as Tioma, the Indian girl, relating the legend to Curtyne Englar, as Wan, in the outdoor spectacle Saturday at the Hooker grounds.

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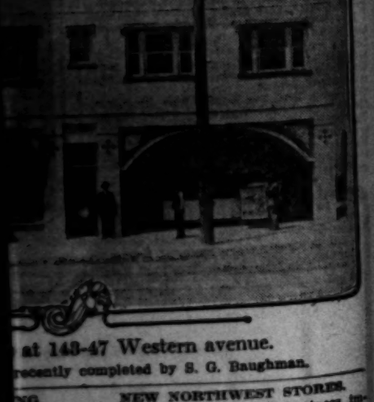
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Jacob H. Gallinger.

SENATE LEADER PICKS HUGHES FOR PRESIDENT.

Veteran Republican Says Country Will Be Tired of the Present Administration by 1916—Tells for the First Time of His Break With Benjamin Harrison—Got Into Politics Through Reciting Original Poem.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—While practicing his profession, Jacob H. Gallinger, M.D., had patients in Concord and in twelve up and down hill townships in New Hampshire and also over the State line in Maine, to the east, and across the south boundary in Massachusetts. It was a hard-driving city and country doctor.

Rural physicians in those days had to know everything from croup to confinements. Persons still living, having tasted his medicines, say that Jacob H. Gallinger was a great natural doctor. Likewise, they add, he was a friendly doctor without cultivated mannerisms by which he planned to maintain curiosity and obtain publicity.

All men passing him in the road got a greeting. Every inhabitant of Concord knew him personally. Then one day the boys in the Fourth Ward elected him to the office of moderator. The word sounds ecclesiastical. It happens, however, to be political in New Hampshire.

"A moderator in our part of the country," Dr. Gallinger said to me, "is sort of a chief justice of elections. He serves for one day and receives $4. It is customary for him to give a dinner for the clerks and other faculty functionaries. The office, therefore, cannot be called remunerative. I paid for the dinner, refused the $4, and the next year courteously declined a repetition of the honor."

In Dr. Gallinger found himself in politics. Presently he was a member of the Legislature. On the heels of that service, he helped make over the Constitution of the Commonwealth. His colleagues, talking among themselves, said that he was a natural lawyer. By and by he was in the State Senate, of which body he became president.

The Governor of New Hampshire, about that time, made him a brigadier-general of the militia, in charge of the medical branch of the service. His comrades soon declared that he was a natural soldier. Meanwhile, the electorate of Concord were proclaiming their conviction that he was a natural politician. As far back as 1877 Gen. Gallinger was elected chairman of the New Hampshire Republican Committee.

SENATOR, DRUDGE AND MIXER.

Two years thereafter he was sent to the House of Representatives in Washington. In 1891 he became a United States Senator. Since then he has been re-elected three times without opposition. Men at the national capital say that he is a natural lawmaker. Eugene Hale of Maine once asserted that he is a natural debater. Others who have campaigned with him will tell you that he is a natural stumper. Notorious drudges admit that he is a natural worker. Every one agrees that he is a natural mixer.

A lady at a dinner party in Paris asked to be seated next to Senator Gallinger and said: "I have one peculiar accomplishment."

"I am sure," he answered, "you have a great many accomplishments."

"I have never as yet," the lady continued, smiling at the compliment, "found correctly to guess the age of any man or woman. You are 55 years old."

"I'll be 73, madam," Senator Gallinger replied, "on the 28th of next March."

And he was 77 on the 28th of last March, though the best guesser living would swear that he is no older than he said would then feel that he had reached the mark. Thus, here are persons who believe that he is a nonagenarian. Indeed, his maternal grandfather and grandmother each lived to be 100 years old.

It will be seen, therefore, that Senator Gallinger is uncommon in a number of ways. Moreover, in length of service, he is the oldest member of the Senate and likewise is the leader of the Republicans on the floor of the chamber. Not one man remains of those who, from their seats on the floor of the Upper House of Congress, saw him take the oath of office on March 4, 1891. Nearly all of them are dead.

"What has happened to the Senate?" Charles Francis Adams of Boston asked not a great while ago as he looked down from one of the galleries.

"It has been popularized," answered the man to whom the inquiry was addressed.

ALSO A NATURAL STANDFASTER.

There are those who say that Senator Gallinger is a lingering, though vigorous, standpatter, the last rose of a protracted protection summer. Coming to the House of Representatives in 1885, a physician, it should be remembered, he made a really brilliant speech on the tariff. The Republican National Committee circulated 2,000,000 copies of it through the country, East and West. Senator James McMillan, the Michigan car builder, paid for 100,000 extra copies and spread them among his own constituents. The speech made the New Hampshire doctor famous. Since then he has been looked upon as a tariff specialist—a natural standfaster.

"You ask me for a diagnosis," he said. "My answer is that the Republican party will come back. We may lose two or three Senators at the elections this year. The Senate, as I believe, will remain Democratic.

"The Democratic majority in the House of Representatives will be reduced, however. Fortunately, the Republicans will remain in the minority. President Wilson will have a free hand to carry out his policies. By 1916 the country will have had all it wants of the present administration. The new tariff law is helping no one but the foreign manufacturer. He is filling his pockets.

"If the Republicans nominate the right man for President they will win. As for myself, I cannot see the man at this time. The Progressive party is rapidly disintegrating in all directions. Only a handful of leaders will remain eventually. Mr. Justice Hughes of the United States Supreme Court could easily be elected, but I have supposed he would refuse to re-enter politics. The campaign year after next will center on the tariff question. Watchful, waiting and Panama Canal tolls will be interesting side issues. But the Republicans must find a candidate. The Democrats are now busily employed in writing the Republican platform. That job is off our hands. But where is our man? I do not know."

LOOKS LIKE CLEVELAND.

"Roosevelt?" I suggested.

"He has come to my mind, of course," Senator Gallinger answered, "but he broke up the Republican party in 1912, after it had nurtured him and honored him ever since his boyhood and to me, though there is no personal feeling in my judgment, he seems impossible. Whitman, the New York graft hunter, may grow nationally. So far his fame is only local."

"You have lived and worked in Washington," I said, "ever since Mr. Cleveland's first term as President?"

In repose, Senator Gallinger's face is strikingly like Mr. Cleveland's, though even then there is a liveliness in its expression which Mr. Cleveland's face never had. The noses of the two men are of the same size and structure. Their mustaches, in shape and color, minutely resemble each other.

"I had great respect for President Cleveland and much affection for President McKinley," Senator Gallinger replied. "My relations with all the Presidents but Gen. Harrison were particularly pleasant."

"And yet," I said, "you seconded the nomination of Harrison at the Chicago convention?"

"Yes, unhappily. It is one of the acts I regret. Gen. Harrison had a suspicious nature and was an icehouse in the bargain. Suspicious persons are always disagreeable. They read motives into language and conduct when no motives exist. My adventures with President Harrison are only interesting because they reveal an infirmity in his character and give a little light on the way politics are sometimes operated.

"I was a Harrison man so early as 1887. His name, I said, was of considerable political and sentimental value. He was an old soldier. He was competent. Indiana was a pivotal State. Thus I argued in Washington. I went to Vermont and debated Harrison's case with Redfield Proctor, who had been Governor of the State.

"My attitude became known in Indiana, and Dudley, Michener, George W. Steele, and others asked me to make a speech seconding Harrison's nomination at the national convention. I was averse to the suggestion, on the ground that the speech ought to come from a larger and more uncertain State, but yielded when the whole party called the second time and brought Gen. Lew Wallace, author of 'Ben-Hur,' along.

PAID HIS FARE TO INDIANA.

"I made the speech, praising Harrison sincerely and then mentioning the names of Republican heroes, from Lincoln and Chase to James G. Blaine. The friends of Blaine, although he was out of the fight and I knew it, began a demonstration. After the convention I was invited to visit the candidate for a conference. I paid my railway fare from Concord to Indianapolis and was cordially received by Harrison, who hinted broadly that he would give me a good appointment in the event of his election.

"But I was out of politcs and said so, adding that I had declined again to run for Congress and meant to practice medicine and enjoy my cats, dogs and horses and my rocky farm at Salsbury. Asked about the New England member of the Cabinet, I spoke of Gov. Proctor, who, as you remember was appointed Secretary of War. Harrison acted throughout our meeting exactly like a human being, and I began to challenge the stories about his being an iceberg.

"Later two politcians told him that the reference to Blaine in my convention speech was planned to create a stampede to the Maine candidate. In short, I was accused of premeditated treachery. And Harrison believed the story. So far as I heard, he never made an attempt to learn the truth. He just supposed I was a political double-dealer and let it go at that. In the meantime I had not been informed of his change in feeling toward me.

"I called on him in company with the Governor of New Hampshire the day before his inauguration. He stood in the center of the room and bowed coldly. I was greatly embarrassed because the Governor knew my speech in Chicago and my journey to Indianapolis. I was also bewildered. Well, to shorten the story, I will say that the two men I later recommended for office were turned down. In 1890 minor Federal officers in New Hampshire tried to beat me for Senator. I was elected, however, and then Harrison, which showed the cold-blooded and calculating disposition of the man, asked me to call at the White House. I ignored the message. When he repeated the invitation, I went to see him simply out of curiosity.

"There was more than a frigid bow when he saw me this time. I was now a Senator. After a word or two of introductory conversation, he said: 'Is there anything I can do for you?'

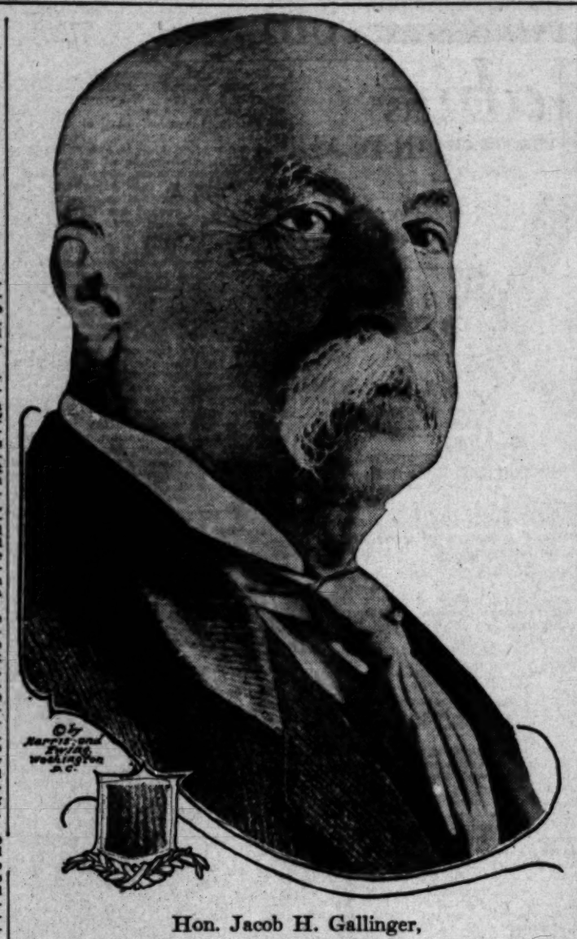
"'There is not,' I replied.

"'I have some positions in the consular service,' he went on to say, opening a drawer of his desk and pointing to a bundle of documents.

"'At this late day in your administration,' I told him, 'I have no friends or constituents who care for government jobs in cholera-ridden and yellow fever-stricken localities. I bid you good morning, Mr. President.' And that is the last time I ever spoke to him. I tell you this story, although I refused to give it to Senator Tom Platt, who wanted it for his book."

"There were many remarkable men in the Forty-ninth Congress," Senator Gallinger said, while talking about his first term as a Representative, which began in December, 1885. "John G. Carlisle was Speaker, Samuel J. Randall was chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, and Thomas B. Reed was on the Ways and Means Committee. William McKinley, William L. Wilson, Nelson Dingley, Jr., and Sereno E. Payne

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TRINIDAD OIL INDUSTRY.

Island Is Assuming Importance as Fuel Station for Ships Coming from South America.

The island of Trinidad, the southernmost of the West Indies, which has for a number of years been famous for its asphalt product, is now gaining some attention as an oil-producing section, especially in view of its growing importance as a fuel station, since the advent of oil-burning ships. The island is in the path of northbound vessels from South America.

"The exploitation of oil in Trinidad has been of comparatively recent occurrence," says Frederick W. Foote in the Fuel Oil Journal in part:

"A survey made by the government disclosed a series of anticlines of tertiary strata running across the southern part of the island in an approximately east and west direction. At first the prospectors found great difficulty in getting their drill holes down, on account of a thick layer of clay from which gas issued. The gas puddled the clay and tended to fill up the holes when the drill was removed. By careful geological work with a drill the anticlines were located and the wells driven along their axes. In some cases the wells were driven on the sides, but the best results were obtained by driving them along the axes of the ridge.

"Oil has been developed in varying quantities and at various depths, depending on the thickness of the overburden. The oil is heavy and dark and is of an asphaltic base.

"An evolution of gas is present, sufficient to run a large percentage of the pumping engines required by the wells. Oil also oozes out of the sands on the beach, and there is also an oil spring about 200 yards out in the sea.

"At the present time there are thirty-one wells in operation and more are being drilled, as occasion demands. These wells represent all types. Some were gushers and produced good values of oil. Others only gave a moderate flow, but sufficient gas was present to bring the oil up to the surface. Others are relieved of their oil by bailing it out with long cylinders.

"The oil field is situated partly in an old cocoa plantation, from which the mineral right (if it could be called such) has been leased, and partly in the jungle. The land is rather low and swampy.

"Ships coming to Point Fortin for oil cannot come within two miles of the shore, but the company operating the wells has two oil barges of about 400 tons capacity to bring the oil out to the ships. These barges are operated by Diesel engines using the natural oil."

The Seaward Trend.

CLOSE-IN TRACT CHANGES HANDS.

INVESTORS BUY WASHINGTON BOULEVARD ACREAGE.

Property Near Short-Line Town Will Be Subdivided for Market. Doctor Acquires Fifteen Culver City Lots—Expects to Improve Them at Once.

An important close-in acreage transaction was negotiated during the past week through the Harry H. Culver Company when three Los Angeles business men bought fifty-six acres fronting on Washington boulevard near Culver City. The consideration was given at $154,000, or at the rate of $2750 an acre. The names of the buyers are not announced. The land purchased, it is said, will be subdivided for residence purposes and placed on the market.

Another noted realty transaction, involving a block of fifteen lots in the residence section of Culver City, is also reported by the Culver company. Dr. J. M. Ash of Los Angeles, the purchaser, paid a given consideration of $34,850 for the sites. Dr. Ash has been instrumental in the building of many fine residences in the Crenshaw-boulevard district, and according to representatives of the company, it is his intention to erect a series of attractive homes on his newly-acquired Culver City property.

WILL AID DEVELOPMENT.

Building of Alaska Railroad Will Stimulate Exploitation of Oil Resources of Territory.

[Oil Age:] The building of a railroad by the government in Alaska will do much toward facilitating the development of the oil prospects of that vast territory, as well as of coal and copper. California drillers, who have worked on wells there, report that a great number of oil seepages are in evidence, from the mouth of the Copper River easterly through Katalla to Cape Yaktag, a distance of about seventy miles. Holes were dug in some of the seepages from ten to twenty feet deep, and the oil that seeped into these holes when tested showed from forty to forty-seven gravity, paraffine base, light amber in color.

There has been some drilling near Katalla and also near Behring Lake and to the north of Controller Bay, not far from Seward. At one point, one of the drillers found a large seepage that was oozing out of sandstone; a hole was opened up in the rock from which oil of forty-seven gravity was bailed with a hand bucket.

Geologists in the employment of the government report that a number of oil seepages are in evidence on or near the north coast of the Territory, near the Kuguru River. All oil in the Territory of Alaska, so far reported by the government geologists and others who have prospected in that field, is of a paraffine base and high in gases.

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News From the Great California Oil Fields.

California Oils.

BIG PLACERS ARE IN DEAL.

Guggenheims Reported to Be Behind Purchase.

Other Large Holdings Also Change Hands.

Record of Activities in the Mining Districts.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WEAVERVILLE, April 24.—One of the most important mining deals in the history of Trinity county was virtually consummated last week when eastern engineers, said to represent the Guggenheim interests, tentatively closed negotiations for a large area of placer holdings in the vicinity of Trinity Centre. The property includes some proven dredging ground, and extends for more than four miles along the Trinity River and tributary streams. In the early days of the county considerable placer mining was done in this region, but only the surface deposits were worked.

Before acquiring the property the new owners comprehensively explored the deposits, and large bodies of profitable gravel have been intersected near bedrock.

Another important placer deal of recent date was the acquisition of 1400 acres of gravel deposits near Igo, Shasta county, by eastern people. The property includes the Russell placer mine, where considerable rich gravel has been demonstrated, and plans are being formulated to install a dredge on the ground. It is reported one of the dredges at Oroville, which has practically worked out its ground there, will be moved to Igo.

Under the management of John Nefroney of Los Angeles, the Hardscrabble mine on South Russian Creek is developing into an excellent property. The working force was recently increased and much new ground is undergoing development. It is planned to install a mill and additional mine equipment at an early date, if development continues as satisfactory as in the past few months.

The company has taken particular pains to assemble an efficient working force, and its camp is said to be the best maintained by any company in the county. Every comfort possible is provided. As a result the company has succeeded in attracting the best miners and experiences no trouble in holding its men.

The Doyle district, a new mining section in Lassen county, is winning appreciation from California and Nevada mining men, following several rich discoveries. Fifteen miles northwest of Doyle a vein of gold quarts has been developed by Orlando McNab and J. S. Trumscott, the ore running $150 to $200 per ton in gold.

Ludwig and associates of Yerrington and Rochester, Nev., have acquired the Daly & Bruce copper mine, eight miles from Doyle, for a reputed consideration of $140,000. It is understood the first payment has been made, and development work has commenced. Considerable prospecting has been done on the group and large bodies of copper ore are indicated. Several other properties are receiving attention. Silver and lead ores have been found, but copper and gold predominates.

JADE MINE.

The Californite Company of San Diego has purchased the Onyx jade mine, located near Happy Camp. The property is said to contain the only deposit of commercial jade in the country, and numerous samples of the material have found a ready market. The jade is of dark-green color, and it is stated the new owners will operate the mine on a large scale and send the product to distant markets.

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The Trinity Consolidated, La Grange and other hydraulic mining companies operating in the Weaverville basin and adjacent country, are recording an excellent season, with chances excellent for an unusually long run. Late snow piled high in the mountains assured an abundance of water.

The Rainbow mine, one of the earliest locations in the Alleghany district, is again coming into prominence as a result of recent developments. A strong shoot of high-grade milling ore has been intersected by the drift from the upper east level of the mine, with occasional bunches of specimen quartz in evidence. A peculiar circumstance is that the arsenical sulphurets show a silvery-white color, and practically all the arsenical sulphurets hitherto found in the camp have been black. This distinction leads many mining men to believe the company has discovered an ore-body apart from the main lode of the camp.

So satisfactory have recent developments been that the company is planning the building of a ten-stamp amalgamating and concentrating plant, also a roaster for reduction of sulphurets. The Rainbow was originally worked for its placer deposits and was one of the first mines to demonstrate the value of the quartz veins of Alleghany.

MYSTERY SHROUDS TESTS.

Mystery, deep and dark, shrouds the future activities of the Balaklala Copper Company. Tests of the Hall desulphurizing process at the Balaklala smelter have ceased and shipments of ore to the Mason Valley smelter are no longer made. It is officially stated that tests of the process were suspended pending a conference of the directors regarding the advisability of erecting a crushing plant to replace the one destroyed last February by fire.

No word has been received from headquarters, however, since Manager Leland went East to consult with Thomas W. Lawson. A new superintendent, S. A. Holman, Jr., is in charge of the mine, where some development work continues and small shipments are going forward to the Mammoth smelter.

Installation of cyanide equipment at the Bishop Creek mine, near Bishop, will soon be under way. Heavy snow in the hills near the mine has prevented the shipment of the machinery from Denver, but as soon as the road is clear the plant will be rushed to completion. The mine is provided with a ten-stamp mill and considerable ore of milling grade is said to be developed. The property is owned by Gaylord Wilshire and associates, but thus far has failed to live up to the glowing predictions of its leading owners.

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EARNINGS OF TWO SHOW DECLINE.

REPORTS OF MINOR ASSOCIATED SUBSIDIARIES.

Slight Increase in Profits of Sterling, Although Income Account of that Concern, as Well as Pioneer Midway and "Coast," Reveal Deficit for Year.

Net earnings of the minor subsidiaries of the Associated Oil Company for last year (before depreciation charges and after deducting operating expenses,) with their respective increases or decreases, as compared with the previous year, are shown to be as follows in the annual report of the corporation for 1913: California Coast, $90,269, a decrease of $43,110; Sterling Oil and Development, $53,841, an increase of $1925;. Pioneer Midway, $43,459, a decrease of $13,-296. In the case of each company a deficit for the year, after depreciation and dividend charges, is shown as follows: Pioneer Midway, $75,966; Sterling Oil and Development, $59,-287; California Coast, $10,906.

In the income account of the California Coast Oil Company a balance for the year, applicable to dividends, of $60,194 is shown. The company paid dividends aggregating $71,100 on a capitalization of $200,000 during the year. Current assets as of December 31, 1913, are shown to be $37,391, or $20,158 less than at the end of 1912. There was a nominal increase in the small current liabilities.

The balance of the Sterling Oil and Development Company, applicable to dividends, as revealed in the income account was $15,713. The company disbursed $75,000 in dividends, or 30 per cent. on a capitalization of $250,-000. Current assets as of December 31, 1913, were $59,761, or a few thousand dollars less than at the end of the previous year; liabilities were cut down to a slightly greater extent, however. The cash on hand, as of December 31 last, is shown to have been nearly $40,000.

The Pioneer Midway Oil Company paid no dividends. A considerable sum was written off for depreciation in this company.

In the case of each company gross receipts were less in 1913 than in 1912, but operating expenses were reduced during last year. The Sterling Oil and Development and the California Coast are paying dividends on their earnings for previous years, to a greater or less extent.

The two most important subsidiaries of the Associated, as far as furnishing a revenue for that company from dividends is concerned, are the Amalgamated and the West Coast. The statements of these concerns were published in The Times during the past week.

NEARLY HALF-MILLION.

Profits for Eagle Oil Transport Company, Cowdray Concern, Furnish 6 Per Cent. Dividend.

The Eagle Oil Transport Company, Limited, for the twelve months ending December 31, last, made a profit on trading of 92,864 pounds (about $450,000) sterling, according to recent reports in English publications. After providing for contingent expenses the directors recommended transfer of 25,644 pounds to depreciation and the payment of a dividend of 6 per cent. on preferred shares. The directors state that during the year eight vessels were delivered by the builders, making a total of eleven vessels in commission on December 31, last. It is expected to add six more new vessels before the end of June.

Lord Cowdray, who presided at the annual meeting, said that it had been contended that the company was building larger tank ships than it was economical to build. His reply to that criticism was that their experience had confirmed their expectations, namely, that for vessels intended for the fuel oil trade, those carrying from 15,000 to 16,000 tons of oil were neither unmanageable nor too big, while their advantage was that they could carry freight some 10 per cent. cheaper on an average voyage than could a 9000-ton ship.

He stated that the recent very high oil freight rates showed that the demand for tank vessels was largely in excess of the supply, and notwithstanding the great amount of new tonnage for transportation of petroleum freights still remained above the normal. He was of the opinion that to keep pace with the increase in the yearly output of oil a great tonnage of tankers would have to be built.

The 15,000-tonners of this company, to which English shipping publications refer, are: The San Fraterna, 6053 net tons; the San Gregorio, 6069 net tons; the San Hilario, 6454 net tons; San Lorenzo, 6050 net tons. These tankers are able to lift from 90,000 to 100,000 barrels of petroleum according to its gravity and ranging from heavy crude to refined.

Municipal Foresight.

UNION TERMINAL PLAN SHAPING.

TORRANCE TO SOLVE TRAFFIC PROBLEMS NOW.

Southland's Model Industrial City Providing for Sane Future Growth by Separating Freight from Passenger Service—Large Bridge Part of Scheme.

Work will be started this week on the union terminal at Torrance, one of the most important phases of the elaborate plan of the development of this Southern California industrial city. The first step in the improvement will be the construction of a concrete bridge over El Prado, the main artery of travel into Torrance.

The new bridge will be constructed from plans prepared by Ralph Bennett, chief engineer of the Dominguez Land Corporation. It will be hurried to completion in order to accommodate the Llewellyn Iron Works in facilitating the handling of the structural steel for its new $750,000 plant at Torrance. This steel was ordered some time ago, and its arrival at the Los Angeles harbor is expected shortly. The presence of the new bridge will enable the Southern Pacific to deliver steel directly on the site of the Llewellyn plant without the necessity of hauling it to Torrance by way of the Pacific Electric passenger tracks. Its completion also will mean the permanent separation of freight from passenger service in Torrance.

Designed to take care of main-line loading, the bridge will be 150 feet long by about sixty feet high, and will be wide enough to accommodate double tracks. Architecturally, it will be an attractive structure.

The larger union terminal improvement, which will follow, will work a great convenience to the manufacturers, the general public and the railroads concerned. The terminal yards and freighthouses will be constructed at the north end of Torrance. The main yard will be 4000 feet long by eighty feet wide, and accommodations will be made for as many tracks as needed. The Southern Pacific Railroad has already made plans to enter this terminal on the east end by way of Compton and the other transcontinental roads in all probability will enter from the north and west.

The operation of the terminal will be under the direction of the State Railway Commission. To provide for the future growth of Torrance the terminal plan was laid out on an adequate scale. It provides not only for ample trackage to all the factories in the industrial district, but that the railroads must do their shipping inside the town by electric power. This was insisted upon as a measure to preserve the city's beauty and cleanliness.

ENTERS FULLERTON FIELD.

Great West Company Backed by San Diego Capitalists, Begins Work on Well Near Placentia.

FULLERTON, April 24.—The Fullerton Great West Oil Company, a new concern, this week started its first well this morning on the Fred Tuffree forty-acre tract, north of Placentia. The company gave Tuffree a good bonus, and besides agreed to turn over a reasonable percentage of all the oil that may be developed.

The new company is backed largely by the San Diego capitalists who are behind the South Fullerton Oil Company which drilled a well to a depth of about 4000 feet, near El Toro, and failed to strike oil down there, after expending over $80,000. The South Fullerton is now trying to shut the salt water out of its well.

On the Fullerton Great West property, Drillers Henry West and E. C. Hammill commenced work this morning with a force of ten men. Russell Annin, who drilled the well at El Toro, is in charge of the new venture. The company which is said to be well financed, is starting out with a pay roll of about $50 a day.

NOT BEHINDHAND.

Australian Government Offers a Bonus for Petroleum Discovery in Southern Section.

Not to be behindhand in joining in that world-wide search for petroleum which is now in progress, the Australian government has offered a bonus of 5000 pounds to the person or corporation who shall first discover a well in South Australia which will produce 100,000 gallons of oil.

Certain restrictions are set forth in the offer, one being that the Minister of Mines must also be furnished with samples of the formations passed through, as well as a certificate for the government analyst concerning the quality of the oil.

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State Well Yields.

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A receiver has been appointed to take charge of the property of the Panama Oil Company on section 12-23. Two Sheriff's sales that were to have been held were called off last week. Three months ago all the workmen on the lease departed after having asked for their money on several occasions. Not long afterward creditors filed suits, which tied up the holding.

Workmen started laying the main pipe line of the Producers' Transportation Company from Olig, near Kittrick, to Junction, Monday. The distance is some twenty-nine miles.

The Madera Bank has taken a default judgment against the Two Oil Company for $13,000, as result of an action brought by Judge Church this week. The bank brought suit to foreclose the mortgage which had been given on July 1, 1911. It was brought out at the trial in the proof that $5096.94 had been paid as interest, covering the period from January, 1910, to July, 1913. The judgment also requires $900 attorney fees.

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The figures which follow represent bulk shipments only. Large quantities of cased oil are also sent abroad every month as part of the general merchandise cargoes. The shipments last month were distributed as follows:

Fuel to—	Gallons
Chile	31,000,000
British Columbia	1,000,000
Aden	1,000,000
Alaska	1,000,000
Central America	1,000,000
Honolulu	1,000,000
Japan	1,000,000
Total fuel	36,000,000
Refined to—	
Japan	1,000,000
China	1,000,000
British Colonies	1,000,000
Total refined	3,000,000
Total exports, shipments cased or in bulk, March, 1914:	39,000,000
Fuel, gallons	39,000,000
Refined	3,000,000
Totals	42,000,000

In March, 1914, the total value of exports was $1,313,000, against $1,000,000 in March, 1913, and $3,000,000 in 1912.

F. A. Heman, president of the August Oil Company, and John A. Hill, a director of the company, made a tour of the Maricopa field last week, accompanied by Fred W. Montgomery, manager of the August Oil Company's Maricopa properties. As a result of the trip to the field, extensive improvements have been made for the company's drilling operations on section 32.

Work on the company's property has not made much progress because of the pressure of the water business handled by the concern. The company's development includes about 30 miles of high-pressure lines to serve a number of the oil producing concerns in the district.

The company's new development work will be in charge of Superintendent E. Diggins of Bakersfield, a practical oil man, with much valuable experience in the Maricopa and Kern River fields.

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Workmen started laying the second pipe line of the Producers' Transportation Company from Dig, near Kentrick, to Junction, Monday. The distance is some twenty-nine miles.

The Madera Bank has taken a default judgment against the Twenty-Two Oil Company for $18,000, a result of an action brought before Judge Church this week. The bank brought suit to foreclose the note which had been given on July 15, 1911. It was brought out at the trial on the proof that $5096.94 had been paid as interest, covering the period from January, 1910, to July, 1911. The judgment also requires $900 attorneys' fees.

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The figures which follow represent bulk shipments only. Enormous quantities of cased oil are shipped abroad every month as part of general merchandise cargoes. The shipments last month were distributed as follows:

	Gallons.	Value.
Chile	21,896,126	$1,095,806
British Columbia	6,462,000	323,100
Japan	2,100,000	105,000
Mexico	1,260,000	63,000
Central America	1,260,000	63,000
Hawaii	1,260,000	63,000
Total foreign	34,238,126	$1,712,906
Japan	23,814,000	$1,190,700
Hawaii	4,452,000	222,600
China	4,452,000	222,600
British Columbia	1,260,000	63,000
Total coastwise	34,178,000	$1,708,900
Total exports	68,416,126	$3,421,806
Total exports, March, 1913	23,814,000	$1,190,700
Total exports, March, 1912	4,452,000	222,600

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FREE WORKERS' PAGE---Our Unceasing Fight for Industrial Liberty.

Civil War.

UNION MENACE IN COLORADO.

Fierce and Bloody Struggle Seven Months Old.

Strike Marked by Violence from the Beginning.

Mother Jones Poverty the Cause of Militia's Withdrawal.

[BY A. P. MORRY WIRE.]

DENVER (Colo.) April 23.—Colorado's present labor trouble began seven months ago. On September 23, 1913, the strike called by the United Mine Workers of America became effective. Of approximately 12,000 men employed in the mines the number who answered the strike call was estimated variously at from 6000 to 10,000, the operators claiming a considerable number had left the camps previously rather than be come involved in the controversy.

Briefly, the demands of the miners were:

Recognition of the union.

A 10 per cent. wage advance on a run-of-mine basis.

Eight-hour day for all classes of labor. Check weighmen.

The right to trade and board where they pleased.

Enforcement of the Colorado mining laws and abolition of the "guard system."

The miners contended that the first, second, fifth, sixth and seventh demands were State laws, but not enforced. The operators maintained that wages in Colorado were higher than in other mining districts, except possibly Wyoming; that an eight-hour day had been provided; check weighmen were permitted and urged; that the men had the right to trade and board where they pleased, and that it was the duty of the State officials to enforce the mining laws.

Repeated efforts were made by John Mitchell and Ammons to arrange a basis for settlement of differences, each failing because of the persistence of the refusal of the strikers to waive the demand of the operators to grant recognition of the union. Early in the controversy, Ethelbert Stewart and Secretary W. B. Wilson of the Federal Department of Labor visited Colorado, but their efforts at conciliation likewise failed.

Almost from the first the strike was marked by violence, Marshal Lukert Lee of Segundo being killed, presumably by Thomas Larius, a guard, and three companions. Clashes between guards and strikers continued until, on October 18, Gov. Ammons called out the National Guard to strike duty. This followed a series of battles at Ludlow, Forbes and other camps. Attempts to disarm strikers resulted in fruitless gatherings a small quantity of arms, mostly of antiquated pattern, and of ammunition. The ban on the importation of strike breakers was raised after a few weeks and the companies resumed to bring men from outside points to work the mines.

Intermittent clashes continued and on February 6, 1914, a House subcommittee headed by M. D. Foster began an inquiry which continued to March 7. Hearings were held in Denver, Trinidad and Walsenburg, during the stay of the committee diplomatic relations were established between operators and union leaders.

Following a meeting the expense of maintaining the militia in the field assumed the State officials from the start. The $250,000 guaranteed by Denver clearinghouse banks soon was exhausted and certificates of indebtedness were issued for supplies and pay of the troops for twice that amount. The financial situation and industrial unrest that had prevailed for several weeks caused Gov. Ammons to withdraw practically all the militia on April 17, only small detachments remaining at strategic points.

Throughout the strike miners and their families have been cared for in tent colonies established and maintained by the United Mine Workers of America.

DEBT FOR LOW WAGES.

Minimum Wages Do Not Make for Industrial Efficiency, but Put Premium on Poor Workmen.

[American Industries:] The removal of low wages is not a minimum wage law, but increased industrial efficiency, so that there will be more business and at lower prices because of the full utilisation of capital and all productive forces of society. Industrial efficiency can be increased by means of industrial education—education which not only trains the worker, but prepares him or her for the work he or she is best fitted for by reason of natural talents and inclinations. The minimum wage would be of no one, but be a detriment to increased industrial efficiency to all. After all, the question in this case, as in all cases, is one of earning power and what the work is worth. It may be good policy to employ unskilled common labor, if the wages paid for sufficiently low; and it may not be good business policy to employ skilled labor if the wages for it are too high. For instance, unskilled laborers employed to deliver circulars, receipts, etc., which can as well be mailed. The employer simply compares the cost. If it is cheaper to use the mail, he is a poor business man if he does not so; and if it is cheaper to pay labor to do the same work, he is also so. The point is that there is a class of work of such character that can be performed by young, inexperienced, unskilled or common labor, which is unfitted for anything else. If the minimum wage of such labor is arbitrarily fixed at the figure the employer will find it profitable to employ them and cannot be kept out of employment they might have but for the uneconomic and high minimum wage. If a minimum wage is fixed as a "living wage," and wages are to be determined by the skill, experience, industry and other qualifications of the worker, and the cost of his living, how is the cost of living to be determined? It is not just as individuals vary. Ability, education, skill, experience and many other things affect the status of the individual, both in the business world, his relation to society, and the cost of living. No way has yet been found to determine the cost of living of each individual, or family, and none can be.

The Menace to the Republic.



[New York World.]

Labor's Unrest.

STRIKES AND STRIKERS OF THIS UNEASY WORLD.

THE futile Michigan copper strike of almost nine months' duration cost the unions over a million dollars, to say nothing of the enormous loss of wages. Did it pay? It was ended by an overwhelming vote that way of the strikers who had not previously gone back to work. The vote was 1867 for calling off the strike to 507 against. The strikers originally numbered some 13,000. The real object of the strike was for recognition of the union (Western Federation of Miners,) which was not granted, and never will be granted, by the mining companies. The W. F. of M. is an organization whose tendencies are toward lawlessness. Haywood of the I.W.W. graduated from that school.

About the conditions in the Michigan copper mines, there was much misrepresentation in the early days of the strike. Secretary of Labor Wilson made the blunder of upholding the strikers in an address which he made at the Seattle convention of the A. F. of L. But gradually the truth became known, and it was seen that the contest was not because wages were insufficient, or working conditions oppressive, or the mine owners were not willing to grant reasonable demands; but for the purpose of extending the dangerous power of the Western Federation of Miners, the same organization that has been for a long time, and still is, interrupting mining operations in Colorado.

Troops are in readiness to crush the daily-expected big general strike of Italian railway men—workers on the government-owned railways of that country. Evidently public ownership (as also municipal ownership) is no guarantee against strikes, even though both are a form of Socialism. Foreigners, including 500 Americans, have left Italy in anticipation of the strike, which is expected to become a revolution. This will be a syndicalists' strike, with violence, rioting and bloodshed as its chief features. Cases of sabotage (destruction of railway locomotives, etc.,) have already occurred. Military engineers and naval stokers will run the trains, if necessary. Many of the strikers will be compelled to work trains, being called to the colors as army reservists, as did the French reservists during the great railway strike in that country.

In May, 1912, the I.W.W. boasted that they would have 100,000 members by June of that year. In less than eight months after all this bragging they were in convention with a total membership, reported by themselves, of only 14,300 in the whole country, of whom one-fifth were in the city of Paterson, N. J., the scene of the badly-busted I.W.W. strike of silk workers. Truly, the I.W.W. drags out its existence by bragging and blustering and fooling the few men and women into paying dues so that Haywood, Flynn, Ettor & Co., may live on the fat of the land and enjoy trips to Europe. Will the day ever come when labor will use its wages for its own benefit instead of giving large sums of it to worthless labor agitators?

The Yorkshire, Eng., strike of 170,000 coal miners is over. The vote to end the strike was nearly 3 to 1. This was not a strike against owners, but really against labor leaders, so as to show defiance to their orders.

Members of the London Electrical Trades Union are on strike after only one hour's notice to employers. They demand less work and more wages.

Ten thousand more workers from forty firms have joined the London building trades strike. These men were engaged in constructional maintenance and repair work.

The striking grain elevator handlers of Buffalo have returned to work on an increase of 10 per cent. in wages.

The strike of 1500 men of the coupler works at Depew (Buffalo) New York is still on with no signs of settlement.

The shoe strike at Portsmouth, O., is still on with violence and thirty-five strikers are in jail for ignoring the Mayor's order against congregating in the shoe factory district. The police are guarding the factories.

In the Pittsburgh district, 15,000 mine workers have withdrawn from the United Mine Workers of America and have formed the Industrial Mine Workers' Union. The trouble grows out of the wage scale situation.

Brewery workers at Albany, N. Y., plan a peaceful settlement of the dispute with their employers about a new wage scale.

The first trolley car on the streets of Hasleton, Pa., since January 1, when the trolleymen's strike started, was operated on April 9.

Members of the I.W.W. are still at work on the boycott against Marysville, Cal., and that region. A general tie-up is threatened unless two men held for the Wheatland hop riots are released.

Battles are still raging between the Colorado coal strikers and the National Guard. Sixteen strikers killed and several injured this last week.

Railway strikes are still pending on the Illinois Central lines, the Pere Marquette Railroad and the Missouri, Oklahoma and Gulf Railway.

Twenty-one thousand German country doctors are on strike against sickness and accident insurance associations established under the imperial insurance laws. It's a case of single doctors having more than their share of patients.

NEAR ANARCHISTS.

Street Railroad Unionites Prove Their Disloyalty and Opposition to National Guard.

[American Industries:] The generally antagonistic attitude of organized labor to the National Guard was emphasized in the recent strike at Depew, near Buffalo. The professions of labor leaders, that they have no objection to their members affiliating with the guard, have little weight in the face of such dispatches as the following:

ATTITUDE OF UNION OFFICERS.

BUFFALO, March 24.—The refusal of International Railway Company employees to move street cars on which National Guardsmen were taken to the Lackawanna Station today en route to Depew created a sharp issued between the company and the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway employees to which the men belong. E. C. Connette, president of the International, confirmed the action of the Supervisors in suspending the motormen and conductors comprising the crew of the six cars. When this word was carried to the headquarters of the street car men a call was at once issued for a meeting of the Grievance Committee, and it was announced by C. F. Conroy, president of the local union, that a demand would be made upon President Connette this afternoon for the reinstatement of the men.

THE DYNAMITERS.

Final Chapter Written by the United States Supreme Court and Men Must Pay the Penalty.

[American Industries:] The final chapter in the Structural ironworkers' campaign to destroy "open shops" with dynamite and nitroglycerin was written on March 9 by the Supreme Court in refusing to review the penitentiary sentences imposed upon Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers and twenty-three of the association's members. The men were convicted of conspiracy to carry dynamite and nitroglycerin on interstate passenger trains. In all fifty-two persons were indicted, but only twenty-four appealed to the Supreme Court. The conviction of Ryan and his associates followed the murderous dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times Building and the blowing up of other structures throughout the country. Of the men who appealed to the Supreme Court Ryan was given the longest sentence, seven years.

The National Glass Budget thus comments on the action of the Supreme Court:

"When the United States Supreme Court last Monday refused to review the conviction in the 'dynamiting cases' of Frank M. Ryan and twenty-three other members of the Structural Ironworkers' Union it nullified the activity of politicians who have been lending their support to these criminals in their effort to escape punishment for the crimes with which they were charged and found guilty in a fair trial at court, and again held up to public view a United States Senator, who, as chief counsel for the defendants, brought reproach upon his constituency and outrageously insulted all decent people who place law and order above personal interests and political ambition. The charges against these peddlers of dynamite and destroyers of human lives were so convincing that but few outside the pale of labor unionism ever questioned their guilt, and Senator Kern must have felt in his heart, when attempting to obstruct justice, that he was lending his influence to a procedure which struck at the very foundation of civilized society. Although having been found guilty, technically, of conspiracy to carry dynamite and nitroglycerin on interstate passenger trains, the liberation of Ryan and his associates from Leavenworth Penitentiary was accomplished by political means, the enormous sum of $70,000 having been pledged in order to gain freedom for Ryan, lesser sums, but in the aggregate amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars, having been represented in the bail bonds of the twenty-three others who gained temporary freedom. As a result of the decision of the Supreme Court these men must be returned to Leavenworth and pay the penalty meted out by the trial judge at Indianapolis. In the long run the limited few who were unable to secure bail are best off since more than fourteen months of their sentences have been served and their absolute liberation is just that much closer at hand than is that of such as gained a temporary respite and must now satisfy the demands of justice. The securing of bondsmen cost those affected by last Monday's decision, or those who put up for them, considerable money, which has proven a wasteful expenditure. The investment no doubt was encouraged by the belief that inasmuch as Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison have been playing fast and loose with the courts for several years that they, too, would be able to keep out of Leavenworth until public sentiment against them would wane to such an extent as to pave the way for a nullification of their sentences. Now that this case has been passed upon by the Supreme Court to the satisfaction of the public generally, let us hope that the Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison matter will be brought to a speedy conclusion and in accordance with their just deserts."

Honey From a Pesthouse.

[St. Louis Globe Democrat:] Mrs. S. Demuth, Health Officer at Alton, Mo., recently discovered that someone in search of wild honey had torn the side off the Alton pesthouse and left one bedroom exposed to the weather. The sides of the building were full of openings into which the bees went and they had made honey between the walls of the building. The pesthouse had not been occupied for several weeks and in that time the outside boards on the building were torn off and carried away and a large amount of honey, which had lined the walls of the building, was removed. Yesterday there were twelve smallpox patients in the pesthouse and they complained of the cold. They had not been outside to investigate the cause and when Mrs. Demuth went to make her inspection she found that ten planks, one foot wide and ten feet long, had been torn off. She ordered a supply of lumber sent out to repair the damage done.

REPORTS ON WAGES AND CONDITIONS.

Timely Bulletins from All Parts of the World.

Fred J. Miller, until a few days ago one of the I.W.W. Executive Committee—the committee that has charge of the funds gathered from labor's wages money—broke away from the organization because, he says, it is resorting to graft.

"I warn the public," he cried in a public address in New York, "not to donate to collections that are taken up at the meetings. The collections are supposed to go to aid the 'army.' But it is not so. They never reach them. The men who speak, the leaders, take up the collections, making the audience believe that all will be divided, or at least will be spent for the unemployed. Then these leaders go and get good meals—and what do the unemployed get? Nothing." The same complaint was heard in the I.W.W. Lawrence and Paterson strikes.

"The members of the committee live high. They pay from 75 cents to $1 for their meals. They have beds to sleep in (not river beds as the I.W.W. men slept in in Los Angeles—the writer.) Every night they go uptown and spend on themselves much of the money that has been collected for the unemployed." And deluded union labor's wages money pays for it all.

Labor Wages and Conditions in Wales.

For three years in Wales there has been continuous employment in all industries at wages which have been materially advanced. The percentage of employment—in some industries, at certain periods, not exceeding 1 per cent.—has not been so low in twelve years. Cost of living in that period has increased about 15 per cent., but the percentage of increase in wages in the coal mines of Wales has been greater than that.

The minimum wage act has now been in practical operation for one and one-half years. This law provided for the fixing of minimum wages for the different classes of employees in and about coal mines in the different coal fields of the United Kingdom. A leading trades-unionist says that in 1912, before the passage of the act, a small percentage of skilled miners in the South Wales field earned less than $1 per day, that 5 per cent. earned less than $1.20 per day, 15 per cent. less than $1.45 per day, and 34 per cent. less than $1.70 per day. After the act was in full working order, he states that every skilled miner received a minimum wage of $1.78 per day.

The act, of course, applies to such skilled miner only when working in an abnormal place, where, owing to geological conditions, he could not extract the normal daily quantity of coal. Such skilled miner, working under favorable conditions, has been able to earn throughout the whole of the year from $20 to $30 per week, but miners claim that such earnings are exceptional. Owners say that in good times the miners prefer greater leisure rather than more wages.

The minimum-wage act, however, was drafted and passed for the advantage of the lower-paid worker, for whom an average weekly wage before the passage of the act was $6.19, raised by the act to $6.91, and is now over $7.

Anticipated British Industrial Upheaval.

It is admitted by British labor leaders that the existing and anticipated quiet in labor circles is largely preparation for a coming great struggle. Labor energies are concentrated on strengthening its numerical and financial forces to meet special conflict of 1914, and in the early months of 1915.

For the first time in the history of coal mining, all agreements between labor and capital in Great Britain end at the same time. So also do the agreements between the railways and their employees. The minimum wage act, passed in 1912 for two years, expires this year by its own terms.

The Miners' Federation and the various railway unions are expected to render mutual support in securing their respective demands. Miners' representatives openly refer to the coming upheaval as a bigger industrial upheaval than the country has ever witnessed.

Silk-Making Wages in Italy.

Work.	Wages per day of 10 to 11 hours.
Carders (men)	55 to 67 cents
Combers (women)	40 to 48 cents
Fine frames (women)	40 to 58 cents
Spinning (women)	34 to 48 cents
Mule spinning (men)	70 to 90 cents
Spoolers (women)	30 to 48 cents
Reelers (women)	30 to 48 cents
Weavers (men)	50 to 90 cents
Weavers (women)	35 to 58 cents
Dyeing and finishing (men)	55 to 90 cents

How would the always discontented I.W.W. ridden silk workers of Paterson, N. J., or the silk workers of any other silk center in the United States like to be obliged to work here, as many of them did in Italy, for such (to us) starvation wages as those? They do not know when they are well off or they would not so readily yield themselves to the wiles of the strike agitator. It must be borne in mind that the efficiency of Italian silk operatives is inferior to that of English and American workers.

INCITING CLASS HATRED.

Raw Advice by Gifford Pinchot in Endeavor to Win Votes for Election to Senate.

[American Industries:] It was left for Gifford Pinchot, Progressive candidate for Senator for Pennsylvania, to declare at Philadelphia on March 29 that the only way workers in this country can obtain justice is to combine against big business. "The only way," he asserted, "is to line them up on one side and you on the other." To this exhortation to class formation a reply was made by James M. Beck of New York that is well worth repeating:

"There is no privileged class in this country, except the working class, which he says is being overridden by the capitalists. It is the only class that is exempt from the exactions of the Sherman anti-trust law. With the exception of the Danbury hatters' case there has never been an attempt made to check the great tyranny in this country. I speak of the labor trust which compels a man to work at its terms or not work at all.

"Class passions have been appealed to and class antagonisms have been engendered in the organized attack now being made on the doctrine of our government, which puts a limitation on the power of the majority. Where thirty years ago all was peace in this country and we were in the truest sense of the word a commonwealth, today we see men divided and fighting each other. Captains of industry, men who by their brains and their ingenuity have built up the greatest American enterprises—are being held up to public view as bandits.

"We see not only class antagonisms, but a class of meddlesome interference with the mechanism of our government which if continued cannot have only the most serious results."

SOCIALISM AND THE UNEMPLOYED.

[EDITORIAL]

A SOCIALIST recently made the assertion that the "Eighteenth Labor Report" shows that forty-nine per cent. of the people in this country are unemployed.

The "Eighteenth Labor Report" shows nothing of this kind.

In the first place the investigations for this report covered only 2500 families out of a possible sixteen million; and, secondly, it deals with all the conditions which cause unemployment—accidents, burning of plants, etc. It is becoming a common practice for all classes of workers to take a vacation for a week or two each year. Certainly, such vacations and other similar conditions should not be used to prove that unemployment is general, yet this Socialist writer attempts to win support for the red flag cause by asserting that almost half of the working people of this country are out of employment some part of the year.

It would be just about as sensible to declare that ninety-five per cent. of the working class is unemployed part of the year, for fully this proportion do not work on Sundays and holidays.

Why do not the Socialists tell the truth about these matters? Why do they devote all their efforts to trying to prove that conditions in this country are growing worse and worse every day, while there is ample evidence to prove that, while they are still far from what they should be, they are constantly being made easier.

Of course, the Socialist does not want to admit that this is true. Karl Marx predicted the end of capitalism through the concentration of industry and wealth. Even the farmer was to be absorbed by the proprietors of the bonanza farms, but these predictions have not been realized. Instead of being thrust deeper and deeper into the mire, the condition of the wage earner has steadily improved and may logically be expected to continue to improve. All this, however, is not pleasing to the Socialist calamity howler, whose prime purpose is to make us look at life through the black glasses of discontent; so he remains silent about all the brighter aspects of social conditions and exaggerates the dark spots which are now being eliminated, even going to the extent of faking statistics or twisting them to make it appear that he is right, says Josiah Fenton of Paterson.

When we are discussing this important question we should not forget that during the past ten years we have received into this country a foreign immigration of 8,000,000 persons, yet what has this meant to us? The wildest of Socialist ranters will scarcely claim that there are more than two millions of unemployed in this land, even in the worst of times. And, if this be true—though, as a matter of fact, it isn't—it merely shows that we have not only given employment to all our own people, but have provided for not less than 5,000,000, or perhaps 6,000,000, of the foreign immigrants as well.

All will admit that there is work enough to be done in every civilized country. The fact that it is not done is due largely to two causes: (1) Lack of a systematic means of bringing the man and the job together—a defect that can be remedied without resorting to the calamitous programme which Socialism proposes, and (2) the limited capacity of many individuals to find employment for themselves. This latter lack keeps thousands upon thousands always idle. Their idleness is not the fault of our social system.

Success in life is, to a marked degree, a matter of personality. We find certain individuals born in the slums, with not even ordinary advantages, rising above their position and not only securing work in plenty, but also attaining a high position among men. On the other hand, men born under the most advantageous conditions, and blessed with a more than ordinarily good education, find it difficult to support themselves. If we were to be transported into the realm of Socialism tomorrow this defect would still exist. Socialism cannot change human nature.

"But," says the Socialist, "the trouble is that the unemployed have no money to invest in the land, the machinery and all the other things they need in order that they may take advantage of existing opportunities."

Other men do it, and what one can do more can do, but as long as the great mass of the people spend $8,000,000 a day on drink, picture shows and other unnecessaries, they are not likely to save the money they want to better their condition.

Suppose the conditions were to change, however, and we were to inaugurate Socialism, with its co-operative commonwealth, in which all men and women are to be put to work by those elected to occupy the managerial positions—would the situation as to employment and non-employment be improved?

Under the Socialist scheme of supplying employment, every one would want a soft snap—there would be plenty of applicants for the job of acting, or playing in the band, or on a football or baseball team, but mighty few would care for appointments to the mine, the field, or the factory. Then, a majority would aspire to be "boss" and would remain in the army of the unemployed unless they were starved into working. The lazy man would still be a lazy man, Socialism or no Socialism. That altruistic doctrine is not a cure-all, by any means. Whatever the character of a Socialist government might be, it would be the "state" that would own the jobs and pay the wages. All would have to work for the "state," and the payment would be made in labor checks—although it is not easy to see how this would differ materially from the present wage system, except that it would open the way for greater abuses.

We are promised that, under Socialism, no one will be permitted to own capital or conduct an industry requiring the employment of other persons. The woman may own a sewing machine, so long as she runs it herself, but she would not be allowed to employ others to operate it for her.

If, as the Socialists declare, the present wage system is "slavery," it would be infinitely worse under Socialism, for then all would be slaves. The Socialist state would fix the income of each person, and it would either have to pay all alike or pay an unequal wage, but in either case the wage system would not be abolished, even though its name were changed, and it is a grave question if the worker would not be obliged to work for less than he gets at the present time. The Socialist doctrine of "all things equal," coupled with the pressure of the always unemployed, would certainly level wages down.

Increased wealth comes only through the development of superior methods, new inventions, better organization and a general broadening of opportunities, but such as that which Socialism proposes would put a stop to all such development by largely, if not entirely, destroying the incentive (financial reward) to invent and organize.

If all workers received equal pay, whether they played on the baseball team or worked on a street car, mankind would degenerate to the level of those who had the least ambition, the least capacity, and the smallest degree of energy.

It is generally supposed that under Socialism the managers of the industries would be selected by popular vote.

What would this mean?

That the "easy boss" would always win, of course.

A glib-tongued Socialist orator would likely be the person chosen to direct a great locomotive plant and another strong-lunged agitator would become manager of the silk industry, for instance.

Under such conditions—and there is ample evidence to prove that Socialism has no better-arranged plan—the labor cost of operating the industries would be double what it is today, and the product would be smaller.

Under the present industrial system an expert who can show a comparatively few men that by the expenditure of some millions of dollars a great improvement in an industrial activity can be brought about, finds the opportunity to put his plan into operation. With Socialism operative, such an idea would have to meet (by vote) the approval of the people, initiative would be discouraged, progress would end, and the "army of unemployed" would still be with us, probably with additions to its numbers.

To repeat: Socialism is not a cure-all for laziness, incapacity or personal weakness. Human nature is a live fact—Socialism is a failed theory.

FIGHT FOR EQUAL RIGHTS.

Strenuous Efforts at Portland in Favor of the Open Shop Principle in Industrial Establishments.

[Portland Spectator:] If the unions could have their way, no man who is not a member of a union would be able to earn his living in Portland. If the unions had their way, no person not a union member would be allowed to live in Portland. If the unions had had their way six years ago of had it now, Portland would be about the size of Spokane, with her feeble industries under closed-shop regulation, socialistic in her political tendencies, and anarchistic in her utter disregard of the law.

Unionism has done some good; it has improved the conditions of a few workmen. But it has done incalculable harm by refusing to give the sons of those workmen the right to learn a trade and by denying to all but its own members an opportunity to make a living. Unionism has done some good, in that it has assisted in the passage of laws for the protection of its own members from accidents in dangerous employments, but it has beaten, mauled and murdered workmen whom it would neither admit to its close-corporation membership nor permit to work as independents.

The theory of unionism is right; its practices are ruffianly, murderous, diabolical. When workmen organize and co-operate in a just and lawful way for the benefit and advancement, they are doing a commendable thing. When this organization means the curtailment of output, the closing of the doors of opportunity to the youth of the land, the refusal to grant to non-unionists the right to labor, destruction of property, and murder, it is despicable and villainous.

Unionism in Portland is engaged in a fight to dominate the industries of the city. Although not more than 13 per cent. of our people are unionists or affiliated with unions, unionism is trying to make this a closed-shop town in which neither man nor woman who is not a union member is to be permitted to earn a livelihood.

No question more vitally affects the prosperity of Portland than this of the closed shop. No city has ever prospered under closed-shop conditions. The closed shop has practically destroyed the shipping business of Portland. You are told that the ships from the seven seas do not seek cargoes in this city because there is not sufficient water at the mouth of the Columbia to float the leviathans of the deep. The story is told by orators to air their eloquence and repeated by the press to please readers of infantile intellect.

Ships do not come to Portland because the unions have closed shop on the water front, and it costs more to load vessels here than it does on the Sound, where the argosies go for cargo. If we had fifty feet of water at low tide on the Columbia River bar, we would have no more ships sailing to Portland. It is unionism and closed shopism that have destroyed the sea commerce of the city, and every editor-man who knows that on some subjects silence is golden knows it well.

Wireless Girdling the World.

[Baltimore American:] The imperial government of Germany has planned the erection of a powerful wireless telegraph station in Togoland, German West Africa, with sufficient power to have communication directly between Togoland and Berlin, Germany, and thereby connect Germany directly with all its African colonies. Other wireless stations have been and are now constructed in Germany's other African colonies.

Mining in the Great Southwest.

Arizona Mines.

COMMISSIONER BACKS RULING.

More Light on Vexatious Location Law.

Decision in Barney Copper Case Sustained.

Record of Developments in Mining Districts.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLOBE (Ariz.) April 24.—Possibly the most vexatious legal point in mining nowadays concerns the general ruling of the Land Office that mineral must show on the surface or have been developed to an extent underground before location can be made under mineral filings. At Bisbee, for instance, some of the largest and most valuable mines have ore bodies that were found only by underground extensions, in places 1400 feet deep.

Locally the matter has had consideration as a result of the presenting of a protest against filings of the Barney Copper Company. The Phoenix Land Office declared for the company after hearing a charge that "there has been no discovery of mineral in rocks in place on any of the claims," holding that conditions were similar to those of known valuable mineral ground in the vicinity.

A telegram lately received tells that this ruling has been sustained by the Commissioner of the General Land Office. It is therefore believed that locations may now safely be made of ground with only slight surface showings, if there is a reasonable prospect for securing commercial ore at depth.

After a full test, made with an experimental fifty-ton mill, the Old Dominion has formally adopted the oil flotation process of the Minerals Separation Company, so a 600-ton machine has been ordered. This adjunct to the concentrating plant is to be in operation by September, superseding slime tables. In the smelter a remarkable record has been made by a twelve-foot Great Falls basic converter shell that has been in continuous operation since last June without relining, in that time turning out about 26,000,000 pounds of copper bullion.

At the Inspiration property work has been started on the concrete lining of the big main east shaft, starting upward from the 400 level. The lower levels will be concreted as soon as full determination has been made of the ore-delivery system.

The American Bridge Company has sublet its steel construction contract on the new Miami smelter to the Oscar Daniels Company of New York, which will start construction work soon after May 1.

A crosscut on the 1300 level of the Arizona Commercial is said to have cut at least forty feet of ore in place, with eighteen feet of bornite that runs not less than 8 per cent. copper. Water is impeding development on the 1400 level, but stringers already indicate that the same richness may be expected in the ledge at that depth.

The company has made arrangements for connecting on the 1200 level with the Grey workings of the Old Dominion. Commercial water will hereafter be lifted to the 1200 and thence will flow to the Old Dominion A shaft, where it will be raised to the surface.

P. F. Carney of Goldfield and J. R. Davis of San Francisco, main owners in the company that has taken over the Gibson property, were on the ground last week, making arrangements for the installation of an eighty-ton concentrating mill.

The new 100-ton Magma concentrator is being built about 1000 feet from the shaft, with which it is connected by tramway. The mill will first attack a "waste" dump of 20,000 tons of ore, assaying 4 per cent. copper, beside very appreciable values in silver. First-class Magma ore is that running over 50 per cent., while the second-class averages 16 per cent. copper and around twenty-five ounces of silver. The mill will be running within sixty days on power brought by wire from Roosevelt.

At a depth of about 400 feet, oxidized surface conditions are reported virtually unchanged in the Reymert mine, eight miles from Superior. The Reymert, considered a very valuable low-grade silver property as far back as thirty years ago, lately was taken over by the Thompson-Gunn interests, which is driving downward apparently in the expectation of striking something of the same richness in copper they have found at depth in the Magma, which, likewise, was a silver mine in the days of the pioneers.

The vein matter of the Reymert is highly silicious in character and is from ten to forty feet in width. Sinking has been slower than had been expected, owing to the striking of much water and to the necessity for hand drilling.

The Superior and Boston property is maintaining shipments of 8 per cent. copper ore at the rate of 2500 tons a month.

Lesson in Mining.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) April 24.—Without doubt the curse of the mining business in Arizona in the past has been wild speculation by people who believed that a mine necessarily was a repository of glittering wealth and that a mine owner of necessity was rich. This has been done away with in Arizona, probably for all time, by the "Blue Sky" law. Occasionally, however, an Arizonan drifts around with a gorgeously-printed certificate of stock and wants to know its value.

One most notable case of this sort, concerning an "extension" of a noted Southern Nevada mine, cropped up the other day in following an inquiry made by a little school teacher, who had invested her savings in stock of the company which was exploiting the property. Answer to query made on the ground was very much to the point, being as follows: "The work on the claims belonging to the company has not been done for five years; consequently the ground reverted to the government. All the claims are open for location. The machinery and buildings formerly on the ground have been sold and removed. Even the timber has been taken out of the shaft. In plain words, the company does not own any property at all in this district, and the stock is not worth the paper it is printed on."

Large Expenses.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

—BISBEE (Ariz.) April 24.—It has been figured out by a mining statistician that the mining companies of the Warren district, around this city, pay in the neighborhood of $2000 a day in taxes alone. About the same cost is daily charged off for the expense of transportation to, and purifying the day's output of copper bullion in the East. Other figures given out in the same connection include the payment of $1,000,000 a month by the companies in wages and an estimate that $75,000,000 has been spent in the district in underground development work and surface improvements.

The "safety first" work in this district is proving very effective, showing a reduction of 40 per cent. in accidents since the system was installed, compared with a similar period before. Deaths from accident under the same comparison have been reduced from nine to three.

Late reductions of the working force of the Copper Queen, involving 175 men, already has been compensated for, as almost that number of miners have been employed in the last few days to take up work in new ground or by other companies.

After seventeen years of operation, the Spray shaft of the Copper Queen has been closed down and the pumps will soon be drawn. The work it has been doing has been taken up at the Holbrook and Gardner shafts, on either side. Once the Spray was the company's main ore outlet, but newer shafts now are better placed.

A few years ago the mines at Courtland were considered so promising that two railroads raced to reach the camp and there was deadly rivalry between townsites in the locality. Several of the Bisbee companies acquired property at Courtland and there was general expectation that it would prove a strong competitor of this camp in quantity of output. But the ore bodies proved shallow and now there is little of activity save on a few claims worked by leasers.

The Great Western Company now is pulling its pumps and dismantling its surface plants, the latter, for the greater part, to be taken to the Mammoth mine, on the San Pedro, north of Benson, a property now operated by the Young Brothers, the moving spirits in the Great Western Corporation. The old mine is to be left in good shape, however, with the lower levels bulkheaded and in condition for the immediate resumption of mining or development.

Representatives of the American Smelting and Refining Company are reported to have taken over the well-known Middlemarch mine near Pearce.

The mill of the Commonwealth Company at Pearce is handling 325 tons of ore a day. The management is preparing for driving further the 300-foot shaft of the property, below the water level that heretofore has checked deeper development.

For a stated consideration of $850,000, the Chicago Development and Exploration Company has acquired the holdings of the Spangler estate, seventeen claims, in the Whetstone Mountains. A long tunnel is to be driven to the bottom of the 800-foot shaft that now taps a high-grade body of gold-silver ore.

The Sullivan Copper Development Company of Duluth, Minn., and George H. Crosby, in the same connection, have bought out their stockholders and partners in a large number of mining claims in the Chiricahua Mountains.

Goldfield.

IDLE ONES TO RESUME WORK.

LATE DEVELOPMENTS CAUSING INCREASED ACTIVITY.

Companies Which Have Been Shut Down, Plan to Operate Again—Atlanta Still Retains a Stellar Position—Consolidated to Issue Report Soon.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GOLDFIELD (Nev.) April 24.—Although devoid of sensational features, operations throughout the Goldfield district during the past week have been attended by highly encouraging results. A number of companies which have permitted their properties to lie idle for several years are preparing to resume operations, in consequence of new developments.

Notwithstanding the fact that it is more than a month since it came to the front with an excellent discovery of ore at depth, the property of the Atlanta Mines Company continues to hold a stellar position in point of interest of the mining investing public in this district. The work of exploring the ore-body revealed is making excellent headway.

Goldfield Consolidated.

The mines of the Goldfield Consolidated Mines Company produced their usual output of ore during the last week. Developments in the various properties were of a routine but eminently satisfactory character. It is probable that the company will issue within the next week or ten days its final statement of its operations and earnings for the month of March. The preliminary estimates of the March production, issued by A. H. Howe, secretary and treasurer, about a week ago, make it evident that the various mines are maintaining this product.

Jumbo Extension.

The results being attained in the exploration of the Velvet claim at the Jumbo Extension recently acquired from the Goldfield Merger Mines Company, are fully up to the expectations of the management of the Jumbo Extension Company. The northeast drift into the Velvet claim from the 921-foot level workings of the Jumbo Extension territory proper is now more than 160 feet in length and is revealing seven feet of ore that assays $41 a ton. The east drift into the Velvet claim, 104 feet above the northeast drift referred to on the dip of the vein, is exposing three feet of $18 ore. The big stope in the Polaverda claim above the 921-foot level is yielding a large tonnage of excellent ore. The two 125-ton ore bins, being erected alongside the spur track on the property, will be completed and ready for use within the next week or ten days.

C.O.D. Consolidated.

The ore-body recently revealed on property of the C.O.D. Consolidated, is improving in size as its exploration by the Nevada Co-operative Mining Company, a leasing concern, continues. Another ore-body has widened out from three to eight feet, the ore averaging $35 a ton for its entire width.

Tonopah.

MARCH PROFITS SET GOOD PACE.

SHOWING OF TONOPAH CONCERNS IS IMPROVING.

West End Earnings Reveal Increase of Six Thousand Dollars for Month—Extension Is Also Forging Ahead, and Others Maintain Their Records.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

TONOPAH (Nev.) April 24.—Local mining companies are making a good showing in their earnings for the month of March. For instance the West End, which has been earning around $35,000, came to the front with an aggregate of $41,000, and next month there is every reason to expect $55,000. Tonopah Extension, which six months ago was losing steadily, is clearing $38,000 a month and is going to do better. These figures are drawn from the bullion shipments of the first half of the current month, which is a pretty safe index.

Tonopah Extension sent out this week $37,500 in bullion for the first two weeks. The company is making preparations for an extended campaign this summer, as plans are to be prepared for extensive additions to the milling plant. A new tube mill and classifier are already on the ground, and as soon as they are installed another battery of ten stamps will be added. This will raise the capacity of the mill from 160 to 275 tons daily and should double the earnings, as certain improvements will enable the company to make greater savings in all departments.

The Montana sent out this week $13,500 in bullion, which is about an average for that company. The ore is running better than formerly, owing to the high values coming from a new ore body.

Belmont showed up well this week with its semi-monthly shipment of bullion, aggregating $135,000, which is about on a par with former production. The Belmont is operating to the limit of its mill and there is a revival of reports that the tonnage will be raised from 550 to 800 tons daily, but there is no confirmation of this. The Belmont is now operating the deepest workings in Tonopah.

The branch of the huge Murray ledge in the Merger has been proved up for a width of twenty-nine feet, all in ore, with six feet running clear across, said to return at the rate of $100 a ton. Of course this is too valuable to send to the mill, which limits its ores to the neighborhood of $12 to $15. It therefore will be sent to the smelter.

The vein or ledge is one of the wonders of the camp and for the past two weeks the underground showing has attracted hundreds of visitors from adjacent camps. Managers and superintendents are interested in the phenomenal display of riches.

Midway, which has been termed the unlucky mine of Tonopah, has opened a really large body of ore which seems to be in place and is now furnishing 100 tons weekly, without having stoping ground opened. The ore comes from the drifting and preliminary work, and when stoping begins in earnest it is believed the company will be able to send out 200 tons a week. The strike is running at the rate of $22 a ton.

The Midway has had some of the finest ore in the district and at one time shipped $300 rock that took the company out of debt and enabled the directors to pay the stockholders three dividends aggregating $300,000. Then the high-grade failed. Since then the company has been trying to recover some of the large ledges which appear to surround their holdings in every one of the abutting companies. They have kept up shipments at the rate of fifty tons a week, or enough to cover expenses. By virtue of the new strike it is predicted that the Midway will get back into the dividend-paying class, however.

Reorganized Kewanas.

Preliminary operations to the development of depth of the property of the Reorganized Kewanas Mining Company were inaugurated during the week. The preliminary work consists of the repairing of the station at the 700-foot level of the Laguna shaft of the Goldfield Consolidated Mines Company through which the future development of the Kewanas will be prosecuted. Secretary A. H. Howe has announced that the Kewanas board of directors has extended until May 16 the time for stockholders of the old company, the Goldfield Kewanas Mining Company, to avail themselves of the privilege of exchanging their old certificates for those of its successor upon the payment of a bonus of 1½ cents a share. Practically all of the old stockholders have already availed themselves of the privilege.

Florence Goldfield.

Thus far this month Florence Goldfield has shipped twelve carloads of ore to the Millers' sampler of the Western Ore Purchasing Company. This indicates a continuance of the splendid conditions that have prevailed in the property for some time past.

ROAD MONEY RAISED.

Last of Fund Required to Complete Road Across Sand Hills Near Calexico Ready for Use.

CALEXICO, April 17.—As the culmination of the best-attended and most enthusiastic meeting ever held here by the Farmers' and Merchants' Club, $1276.50 was raised in less than twenty minutes shortly after midnight this morning to complete a road across the sand hills east of here to Yuma. The stretch of road to be improved is about twenty-five miles long and will be the last connecting link of the Southern National Highway, which leads from San Diego to the Atlantic Coast.

This completes the $4000 necessary to corduroy the sand hills which heretofore were thought impassable. El Centro had raised $1500, Holtville $1000 and the balance had been raised by farmers east of here. San Diego road builders had offered to furnish all lumber necessary to corduroy the roads if Imperial Valley would put up the money to pay the freight and lay the lumber. The money is now available. The road will be constructed by this fund and maintained by the county.

NEW HARBOR TRACT.

"Municipal Harbor Acres," the newest harbor subdivision of the Guy M. Rush Company, was opened April 11. Several boat loads of excursionists were taken over the harbor by the company. A number of sales are reported.

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Farm land in the southern part of Imperial Valley that could have been bought for $50 an acre a few years ago is now held at $500 an acre. Business lots in El Centro, Imperial and Brawley that were sold for a song at that time are now fine, main street property and have sold since at as high as $10,000 for a 50-foot frontage.

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afterwards became famous in the authorship of tariff laws. Bland of Missouri was debating free silver and laying the foundation for the Bryan campaign of 1896. Joseph G. Cannon had already served twelve years in Congress.

"After two terms I went home to practice medicine. My political career was closed, I thought. I could have remained in the House, I believe, indefinitely, but my family needed the money I could earn in my profession. My physician's sign still hung over a door in Concord. But the natural thing happened. There would be four patients in my reception-room and eight or ten politicians. The patients bothered the politicians and the politicians annoyed the patients. Well, in 1890, my friends said I could be elected to the United States Senate. I have never seen or heard of a man who would refuse to be a Senator. So I returned to Washington.

THE GREAT SENATE OF 1891.

"It has always been customary to look back to the good, old times that are past but history will bear me out in saying that the Senate in 1891 was filled with great men. Hoar of Massachusetts, for instance, and Sherman of Ohio, and Vest of Missouri, and Allison, Frye, Gorman, Proctor, Aldrich, Hale, Morrill, White, now Chief Justice, Voorhees, Cullom, Gray of Delaware, Hill of New York, Gen. Palmer, afterward the candidate of the Gold Democrats for President; Quay, Platt of Connecticut, Plumb of Kansas, and Cushman Davis of Minnesota. I knew them all and all became my friends. There are no party lines in friendships, at least there are none in mine."

"And now," I said, "tell me how you became a physician?"

"An uncle of mine who was a professor at the medical college in Cincinnati advised me to be a doctor. I had never thought of the matter but the suggestion was accepted. Farming hadn't suited me, up near Cornwall in Canada, where I was born. I used to think, as I walked to the log schoolhouse a mile and a half from home, where an Irishman taught me to read, write and do sums in arithmetic, that agriculture lacked in personal appeal. So I was indentured to the village editor when I reached the age of 14. There were twelve children in our family.

"My wages the first year were $8. The editor fed me and gave me a place to sleep. His table, I still remember, was lean and unusually bad. My mother I know supplied me with butter. The second year I received $24. I have a feeling that the sum was less, but I will give the editor the benefit of the doubt. During the third year of my apprenticeship I was paid $60. I was now what is called a journeyman printer. So I said good-by to the editor.

SET TYPE FOR "DEACON" SMITH.

"At Ogdensburg, in New York, sixty miles from Cornwall, I set type until I got the advice from my uncle. I had $100 when I arrived in Cincinnati, $60 of which was paid down at once for medical lectures. Two students and myself rented a room on Vine street, and there we cooked our meals and slept. Richard Smith, known everywhere as "Deacon" Smith, was editor of the Cincinnati Gazette. I set type for him, then read proof and later reported shipping news along the river and court news over in Covington, Ky.

"Medical lectures started at 8 o'clock in the morning and ended at 6 o'clock in the evening. At 7 o'clock at night I began my work in the composing-room of the Gazette, remaining on duty until 2 o'clock. By 3 o'clock I was in bed. I didn't average more than four hours sleep a day during the three years I was in Cincinnati. I was graduated in 1858. Besides I had saved about $500. In the meanwhile I had become engaged to Miss Mary A. Bailey of Salisbury, N. H., who was teaching school in Ohio.

"We were married and meant to go West, but Mrs. Gallinger broke her ankle and while we were waiting until she recovered I got to practicing medicine in New Hampshire. The affairs of life often turn on small matters. An accident, you see, kept us in New England. I actively followed my profession for twenty-three years at Concord, driving day and night. I would often be called out five times between supper and breakfast. Thus I formed the habit of going to sleep in my buggy. My horses learned to give half the road to every team they met, whether I was awake or taking a nap. I slept no more while a doctor than I did while a printer and medical student. I can lie down anywhere now and go to sleep instantly."

"How should a man live to be seventy-seven years old," I asked, "and still be competent to do a big day's work?"

"First, he must be born with a good constitution. Speaking of myself, I ought to say that I have always cultivated the virtue of being optimistic. Cheerfulness is a great help in the sickroom, as I learned when a physician, and it is a great help everywhere else. It is hard to be cheerful sometimes unless one is more or less of a philosopher. Then courtesy prolongs the life of the person who habitually practices it. It becomes a state of mind and tones up the physical body.

HE READ AN ORIGINAL POEM.

"In my youth I was a sprinter and a wrestler. In my old age I try to walk in the open air whenever I have the opportunity. I have always eaten the food I like and have eaten heartily. I don't use tobacco. I tried to smoke years ago and found it disagreeable. Many boys stick to the habit until they acquire it.

Such tenacity to me seemed foolish. I have also let liquor alone. Man, I saw as a physician, was born to die. That is a threadbare truism which has lost its force with humanity, but it should console those who are bereaved, while the inevitability of death should cause every one to live so that he will be mourned and missed when he is gone. And that sort of living in itself prolongs life. Still," Senator Gallinger said with a smile, "longevity depends a good deal on one's constitution."

"You have great skill in debate," I said, "and are famous as a rough-and-ready orator. Do you remember your first appearance in public?"

"Yes, and the recollection makes me feel like laughing and weeping simultaneously. James W. Patterson, one of our United States Senators, was coming to Concord for a great speech on war time questions. I was a very young doctor, but I was full of feeling, and one day at my desk put my thoughts into what I believed was poetry. I have since learned that it was hideous doggerel. I showed it to William E. Chandler, who was to be a Senator himself years later. Chandler said the poetry was fine and should be read at the meeting. He was older than I and ought to have known better.

"Well, the performance was arranged. The meeting was held. I was called on to recite a poem especially composed for the occasion. I recited. The audience cheered strenuously. I felt very well satisfied with myself until I caught the expression on James W. Patterson's face. Patterson had been a professor at Dartmouth and was a celebrated orator. No living man from Adam down ever looked more utterly disgusted than did Patterson when I bowed my thanks to the cheering throng. I can see him yet. From that day to this I have been deathly afraid of my own poetical compositions."

CITY PLANNING BOARDS.

All Massachusetts Towns of Over Ten Thousand Population to Adopt Definite Schemes for Growth.

[National Real Estate Journal.]

City and town planning boards in Massachusetts must be created by every city and also by every town having a population of more than 10,000 at the last preceding national or State census, according to an act of the Massachusetts Legislature.

These boards are required to "make careful studies of the resources, possibilities and needs of the city or town, particularly with respect to conditions which may be injurious to the public health or otherwise injurious in and about rented dwellings."

The planning boards are also required to "make plans for the development of the municipality with special reference to the proper housing of its people."

The planning boards are to be appointed by the Mayor of cities or by the Commission in Commission-governed cities, and in towns they are to be elected by the voters at the annual town meetings. Every planning board is required to report annually to the governing body of its respective city or to the voters of its town, "giving information regarding the condition of the city or town and any plans or proposals for the development of the city or town and estimates of cost therof."

The governing bodies of cities are authorized by the act to "make suitable ordinances and towns are authorized to make suitable by-laws for carrying out the purposes of the act," and the governing bodies in each case "may appropriate money therefor."

SELLS FINE GROVE.

Lordsburg Company Purchaser of Valuable Upland Citrus Property. Other Important Deals Reported.

POMONA, April 25.—An important realty deal, involving a reported total consideration of $100,000, was consummated here this week through the J. A. Fitch agency, when J. W. Bridenbaugh of Upland sold to Williams brothers of Lordsburg a twenty-two-acre orange grove on Twenty-fourth street in the Upland foothill district. This is one of the best income-producing groves in the locality, most of it being in full-bearing Navels and Valencias. Bridenbaugh took as part payment an improved farm of 500 acres in Mason county, Illinois, Williams brothers paying the difference in cash.

Fitch also reports the sale of a nine-acre orange grove at Lincoln avenue and Foothill boulevard, north of here, for J. M. Bender to H. F. Lutter, a rich manufacturer of Chicago, who will erect a fine winter home on the property. In part payment Bender took a five-acre orange grove in Pomona. The total consideration involved is given at $30,000.

Another sale reported by the Fitch agency is that of a new residence at Long Beach for Capt. M. Dilc to Mrs. Mary A. Walcott of this city. Mrs. Walcott gave in part payment her house at the northwest corner of Park avenue and Center street, paying the difference in cash. The total consideration is reported at $10,000.

L. H. Haskins has bought a fine residence lot in the Casa Grande tract. All of these deals aggregate over $140,000.

NEW SCHOOL OPENED.

A new schoolhouse has just been completed at North Lankershim Acres in the San Fernando Valley. The tract, which was opened about a year ago, is now occupied by sixty families, and it has been necessary to provide extra educational facilities. The new building has been designed not only for present grade school needs, but to care for a larger number of children.

AT WORK ON TRACKS.

Pacific Electric Begins Lowering of Roadbed on Brand Boulevard. New Lodge Hall Completed.

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DINKY'S DOG AND SPIEGEL'S MULE HAVE A MIS-ENCOUNTER.

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THE DINKLESPIELS

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THE TERRORS OF THE TINY TADS



1—Oh, what a nice Swallowvercoat this Tiny Tad has found! He catches it and puts it on and wears it all around.

2—His comrades want to find something that they can wear, I guess, Maybe a small Raglantelope or a Robinverness.

3—They see some Parpaulinnets, but they let them fly away; Because they find some Stovercoats, quite warm and nice, they say.



4—Then to a Buffaloanshop all the Tiny Tads do go, And there they pawn their coats, because it's springtime now, you know.

5—They get a little money and while walking home they spy Two small Bantamoshanters, which at first they want to buy.

6—They change their minds, however, "For, what is the use," they say, "Of wearing such Chapeaultry on a spring or summer day?"

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MR. TWEE DEEDLE.



1—Mr Twee Deedle was pouring some liquid from one jug to another He told the children he was making a fountain.



2—He said a few magic words and the liquid spouted from the jug and formed a beautiful fountain in which there were all the colors of the rainbow.



3—Dickie lifted Mr. Twee Deedle up on top of the fountain. The fountain bounced him up and down like a light rubber ball.



4—Then Mr. Twee Deedle pulled Dickie and Dolly up, and all three bounced together. It suddenly became cooler and Mr. Twee Deedle said he had turned the water into snow.



5—"Let's make a snow man," said Dickie, as he started to roll a ball of the snow.



6—The snow man was built around the jug The children placed a tin can on the man's head and made his eyes of two black pebbles.



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7—The sunshine melted the snow man and he finally disappeared in the jug



8—Mr Twee Deedle gave each of the children some of the liquid from the jug. They said that it tasted just like soda water. They wanted to take it home to their mamma. Because they were both so willing to give the pleasant drink to their mamma, Mr. Twee Deedle said he would let them drink what they had and would make some more for her.

GASOLINE GUS HELPS A HALTING SUITOR



DOLLY DIMPLE LEARNS ABOUT WITCHES

"Whenever I read fairy tales," says Dot, "I get afraid—
These awful witches in them scare me blue!"

"There's nae sich thing as witches, bairn; they're only in your mind,"
A voice replies. "A guid-for-naething crew!

"I'm Tam o' Shanter! Like enough, ye've heard o' me, for I
Had twenty thousand witches follow me.

"But all ye've got to do is snap your fingers at them. Pooh!
Wha cares for witches? Nae sich folk as me."

Pop! goes the witch! In clouds of smoke she tumbles upside down.
With rasping screech, and promptly sinks from sight.

"Sae much for that," says Tam. "It's nae the things a body sees
But the things he thinks inside, that gi'es him fright."









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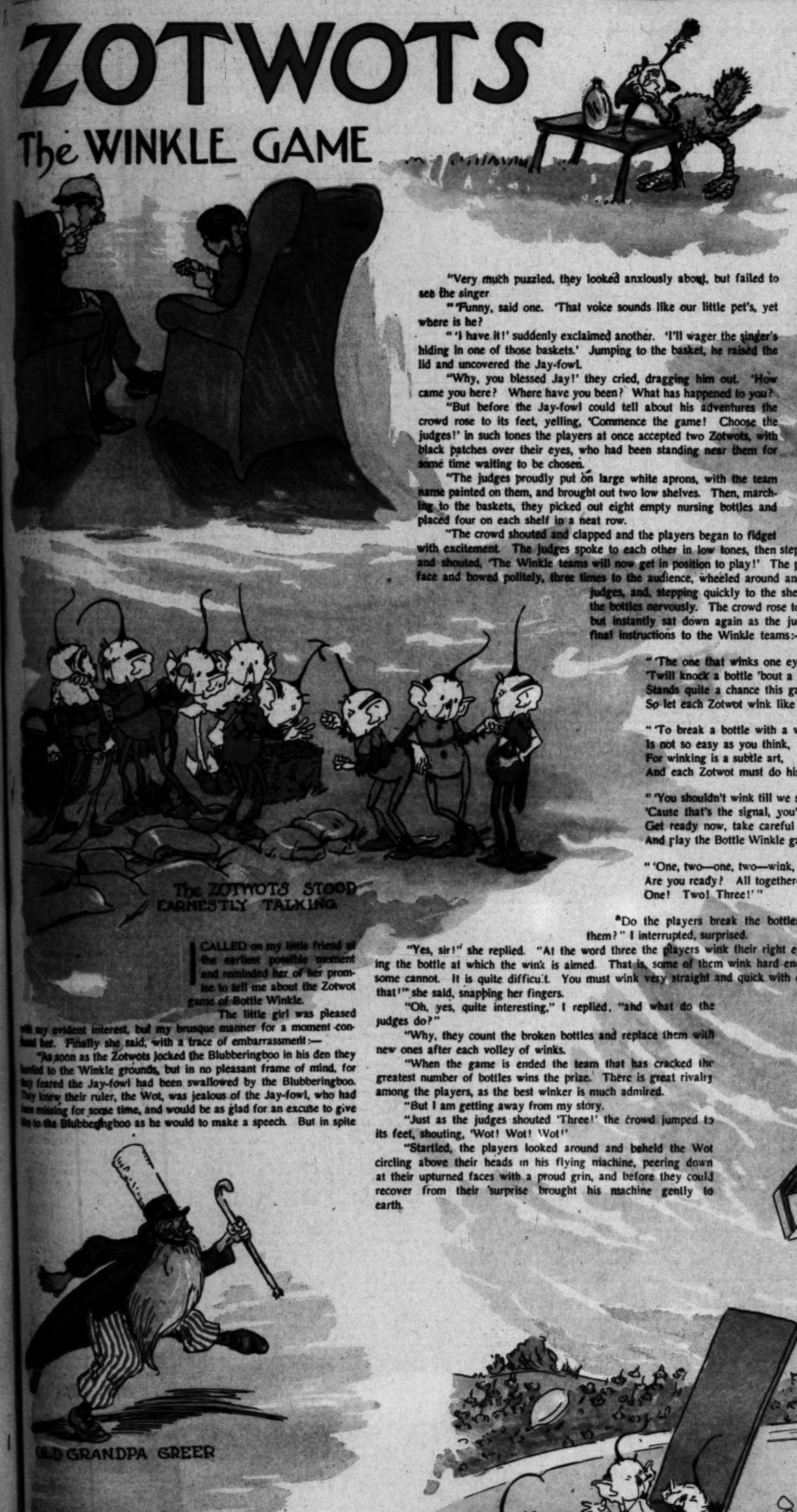


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ZOTWOTS

The WINKLE GAME

STORY AND PICTURES By Bob DEAN



The ZOTWOTS DISCOVERED THE JAY-FOWL

I CALLED on my little friend at the earliest possible moment and reminded her of her promise to tell me about the Zotwot game of Bottle Winkle.

The little girl was pleased with my evident interest, but my brusque manner for a moment confused her. Finally she said, with a trace of embarrassment:—

"As soon as the Zotwots locked the Blubberingboo in his den they hurried to the Winkle grounds, but in no pleasant frame of mind, for they feared the Jay-fowl had been swallowed by the Blubberingboo. They knew their ruler, the Wot, was jealous of the Jay-fowl, who had been missing for some time, and would be as glad for an excuse to give vent to the Blubberingboo as he would to make a speech. But in spite of their fears they lost no time in reaching the Winkle grounds, where they were greeted with loud cheers, for each of the four were skilled Winkle players, and entered for the game.

"Flushed with pride, they ran across the ground to join the other players, and for the time forgot the Jay-fowl

"The crowd was impatient for the game to commence and stamped their feet. The players, however, seemed in no hurry. They stood in a group, earnestly talking and waving their arms, yet in reality paying no attention to one another. For each was straining his ears in the hope of hearing what the crowd thought of him. Suddenly they were startled by a voice singing:—

"'Old Grandpa Greer
Was filled with cheer,
For his beard was long and shaggy
His hat was tall
And he was small,
And he wore his trousers baggy'

The ZOTWOTS STOOD EARNESTLY TALKING

OLD GRANDPA GREER

"Very much puzzled, they looked anxiously about, but failed to see the singer.

"'Funny, said one. 'That voice sounds like our little pet's, yet where is he?

"'I have it!' suddenly exclaimed another. 'I'll wager the singer's hiding in one of those baskets.' Jumping to the basket, he raised the lid and uncovered the Jay-fowl.

"Why, you blessed Jay!' they cried, dragging him out. 'How came you here? Where have you been? What has happened to you?'

"But before the Jay-fowl could tell about his adventures the crowd rose to its feet, yelling, 'Commence the game! Choose the judges!' in such tones the players at once accepted two Zotwots, with black patches over their eyes, who had been standing near them for some time waiting to be chosen.

"The judges proudly put on large white aprons, with the team name painted on them, and brought out two low shelves. Then, marching to the baskets, they picked out eight empty nursing bottles and placed four on each shelf in a neat row.

"The crowd shouted and clapped and the players began to fidget with excitement. The judges spoke to each other in low tones, then stepped behind the shelves and shouted, 'The Winkle teams will now get in position to play!' The players turned right about face and bowed politely, three times to the audience, wheeled around and bowed very low to the judges, and, stepping quickly to the shelves, bent over and eyed the bottles nervously. The crowd rose to its feet, cheering madly, but instantly sat down again as the judges began to sing their final instructions to the Winkle teams:—

"'The one that winks one eye so hard
'Twill knock a bottle 'bout a yard
Stands quite a chance this game to win;
So let each Zotwot wink like sin!

"'To break a bottle with a wink
Is not so easy as you think,
For winking is a subtle art,
And each Zotwot must do his part.

"'You shouldn't wink till we say three,
'Cause that's the signal, you'll agree.
Get ready now, take careful aim,
And play the Bottle Winkle game!

"'One, two—one, two—wink, wunk, wee—
Are you ready? All together—
One! Two! Three!'"

"Do the players break the bottles by simply winking at them?" I interrupted, surprised.

"Yes, sir!" she replied. "At the word three the players wink their right eyes—with a snap, cracking the bottle at which the wink is aimed. That is, some of them wink hard enough to break a bottle—some cannot. It is quite difficult. You must wink very straight and quick with only one eye—hard, like that!" she said, snapping her fingers.

"Oh, yes, quite interesting," I replied, "and what do the judges do?"

"Why, they count the broken bottles and replace them with new ones after each volley of winks.

"When the game is ended the team that has cracked the greatest number of bottles wins the prize. There is great rivalry among the players, as the best winker is much admired.

"But I am getting away from my story.

"Just as the judges shouted 'Three!' the crowd jumped to its feet, shouting, 'Wot! Wot! Wot!'

"Startled, the players looked around and beheld the Wot circling above their heads in his flying machine, peering down at their upturned faces with a proud grin, and before they could recover from their surprise brought his machine gently to earth.

"The Zotwots turned to flee, thinking the Wot intended to deliver his usual speech, but he quickly stopped them with a commanding shout, and angrily said:—'My loyal subjects—I do not intend to address you at length to-day. I only wish to warn you to keep away from my machine, as some of you might injure a part of its delicate mechanism. Thank you.' Then, jumping out, he strutted among them, smiling and shaking hands and attracting as much attention as possible."

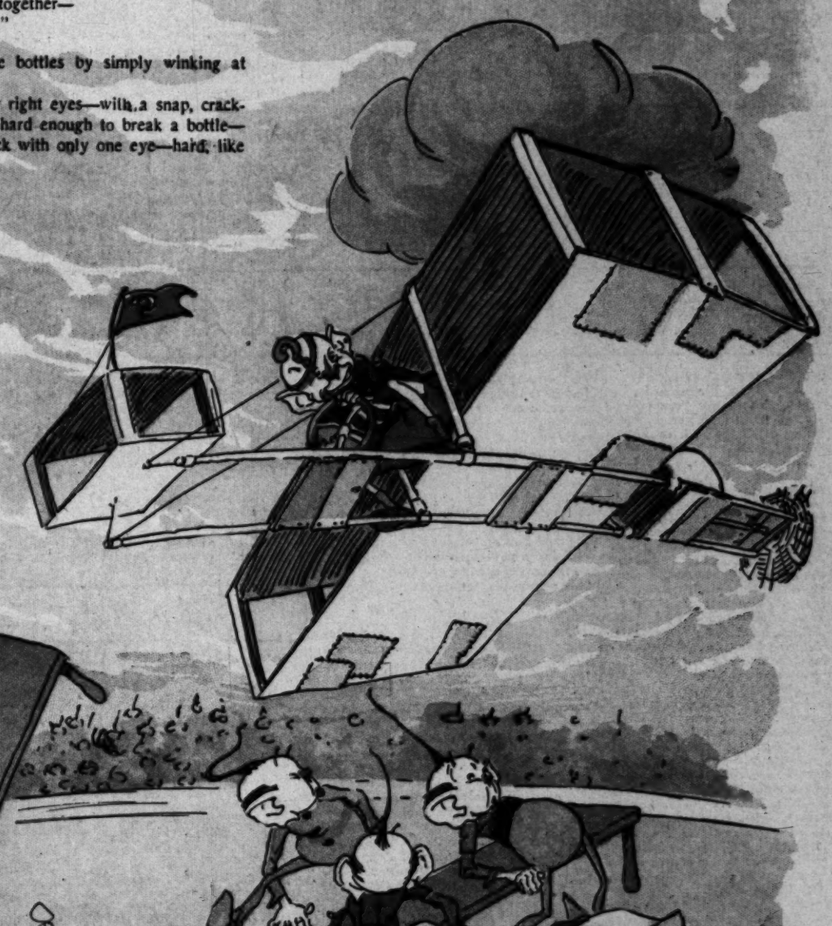
"Is that all?" I asked as the little girl paused.

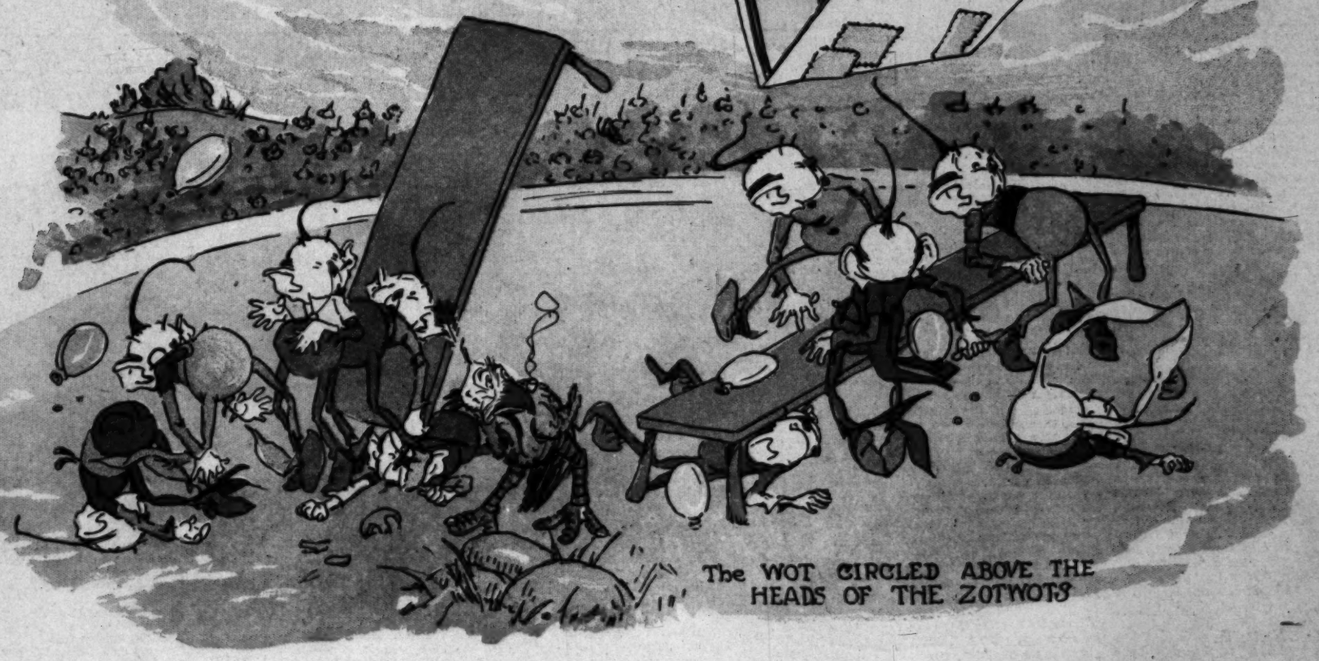
"No, sir. But you are to stay to dinner and I'll tell you the rest afterward."

"Did the Zotwots finish their game of Winkle?" I persisted.

"Not that day," she replied, "for a very good reason. But I hear mother calling us." And she led the way, singing:—

"For his beard was long and shaggy,
His hat was tall,
And he was small,
And he wore his trousers baggy."





The WOT CIRCLED ABOVE THE HEADS OF THE ZOTWOTS

COMMON SENSE in the HOME
EDITED by MARION HARLAND

DOMESTIC SCIENCE HOME FOR SERVANT GIRLS.



THE following letter may appeal to some of my readers as it does to me:

"In a recent issue of our Corner I find a reference to inefficient maids. I have studied this question for a number of years. I have had my share of the rough side of life and have been a servant myself several times. My only solution of the problem is this: Let us have homes for servant girls, where they can learn domestic science, homes where they can have their rooms free and pay little or no board. Let a girl go to such a home as this when she is out of work and have the homes run chiefly out of charity. When a housekeeper gets an inefficient maid she should make an arrangement for her to go to such a home for lessons. I believe the result would be that we would soon have a lot of good, competent maids and many others would learn that they must really fit themselves for any kind of work in the world.

"In such a home as I suggest girls could learn that what they are taught there is just as needful to practice when they have homes of their own as it is in their present position in life. I believe there are plenty of good, motherly widows of middle age and more who would be glad to teach these girls to make good bread, to do nice laundry work, to sweep and dust, and in fact do all that could be wished for them for the privilege of having a good, wholesome, steady home and steady work. Give to such a widow a small salary if you can. A woman who is well along in years might still be useful in such a home, teaching these girls to mend, darn, and do other sewing and giving them many valuable ideas.

"To my mind such a home would supply not one but two long felt wants. For as much as ten years I have longed to try this plan of sheltering lone women and saving girls with the aid of one home, but I am still in no position to make the start other than by lending my personal influence, which at present is weak. All I can do is to pass on the suggestion. MRS. E. H."

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Few Likely to Attend.

As a matter of course there is no end to the "servant question" so-called, and sometimes I am inclined to think it is like poverty in that it shall never cease out of the land. Yet intelligent efforts are being made here and there to adjust and remedy conditions and I shall hail each one. For this reason I have given the letter of Mrs. E. H. at such length, in the hope that it may appeal to some one who can put her suggestion into practical effect. Also I believe it may call forth replies from others on the feasibility of her scheme and may perhaps supply us with some information as to whether or not this plan has been tried elsewhere and how it has worked.

Naturally, it is an easy matter to pick flaws in it and show how it is likely to fail. Whenever you bring human beings together in any kind of intimate relations there are bound to be disagreements and friction, and the girl who wants to learn will not always get on with the woman who is to instruct her or with the other girls who are trying to work with her. More than this, each one will probably have her own view of how work is to be done and will differ from the others in their ideas. Such complications arise in every institution of learning, and about the only way to minimize them is to give a good deal of authority to the one in charge, first making sure that she is the right person to have it, that she is not only competent but possesses the knack of managing those who are under her control.

For my own part, the chief obstacle in the way, as I see it, is that the girls won't wish to go to such a home. In the first place, the self-respecting young women are likely to shrink from the suggestion of a charitable refuge; in the second place, I am afraid there are not enough girls who wish to go into service and think they are not fitted for it to sustain such a place if it is not largely supported by charity. For the second state of affairs I am inclined to hold housekeepers chiefly to blame.

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No Incentive to Study.

So long as any girl, no matter how little fitted for work and with what poor references she is backed, can get a place as general houseworker or in some other domestic capacity in our homes, what incentive is there for any girl to spend money and time in studying how to make herself competent?

To illustrate one phase of the question I have only to refer to a case which was heralded in the newspapers some months ago. A young girl of about 16 or 17 years of age disappeared suddenly from her home. She went off to school in the morning as usual and was not seen again by any one who knew her. She had had to cross a vacant lot on her way to school, and there was a stable where a lot of rather rough men were employed on the edge of the lot. They were at once suspected, investigated, the police set on their track, the papers filled with accounts and descriptions and pictures of the missing girl. Her family was wild with anxiety, ugly threats were made to the men who were supposed to know the secret of her disappearance; in a less well regulated community there might have been lynchings or at least rough handling.

And suddenly the girl was found. She had left home in a fit of pique, had taken a place as a nursegirl in a neighboring town, where she apparently had no difficulty in securing a situation. Without references, with only the vaguest account to give of herself, the mother of two young children had engaged this wanderer and put her in charge of the nursery. It would have been bad enough if the girl had been given the work of cooking or of any other branch of the household, but to make her nurse, to confide to her the care of little children, seemed to me nothing short of madness.

When this sort of thing is possible why should the unconscientious girl strive to better herself in any way? She knows she can always get a situation, whether she is competent or not, even if she has no references to declare her honest or decent.

I do not deny that there are many, many conscientious girls in service. Yet how many of them feel that they are not fitted to do the work for which they are engaged? They can do it, after their fashion. If the mistress of the house is so unreasonable as not to be satisfied, so much the worse for her—not for the maid, who can get another place without difficulty.

In all my experience as housekeeper, extending now over a period of more than half a century, I think I could number on the fingers of one hand the maids in my employ who have had a desire to learn because they thought by so doing they could better themselves and secure a place with higher wages. I do not mean that they have not learned all they could from me and left me when it suited their convenience to go to a place where they would receive higher pay, but they did not appreciate the future open before really well trained servants who would improve themselves by widening their field of knowledge. Apparently they were as well content to look forward to a future of work in the line they had taken up. The only open door for which they sought led them to marriage and homes of their own.

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Demand for Improvement.

While marriage is a natural goal for woman to anticipate, yet since there are many who never marry it would seem the part of prudence for a woman to render herself capable of doing better in her line of work if matrimony should not happen to come her way. Since those in domestic service so rarely see this point of view, I hold to the conclusion expressed above that such a home as my correspondent outlines would not be a shining success in the present conditions.

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MARION HARLAND'S HELPING HAND.

"I WISH I could tell you what a beautiful time I am having with all the songs that have been sent to me since writing to you. I have thanked all of the good fairies for their gracious gifts and now I wish to thank you, too. I am going to try to return the kindnesses of these friends by doing some embroidery for them. I don't wish to accept any more and be selfish, so I am going to give you the name and address of a good Christian girl who would be so glad to receive sacred songs, duets and solos, also violin pieces. She is teaching school and paying back money she borrowed to go to school on and therefore has little to spend on songs. She is a Sunday school worker and has a good voice, so she plays and sings in church. She will be so grateful for anything any one will send her. Another great desire of my heart is to obtain some books for my children. They are 4 and 6 years old and fond of stories, but when night comes I am too tired to make up any and would be glad to receive a few books on kindergarten work or anything to give me an idea of how to help them pass the time (especially on rainy days), yet learn something that would benefit them. On account of my husband's health I haven't been able to buy any books or magazines in the last two years and would be so glad to receive a few good books for myself. I will not only pay express or postage on them but devote all my spare time to any amount of hemstitching or embroidery the givers wish done. It will be such a blessed exchange for me and work I would enjoy doing all summer in order to have some good books to read. I only hope I can give as much as I receive. The girl to whom the songs should be sent is Miss M. P. MRS. W. A. S."

Such a plea as this for books is one which should appeal to all who love reading for themselves and are eager to put learning in the way of their children, but when the request is accompanied by the offer of such a return as the correspondent makes there can be little doubt of a prompt reply. I trust that the books which are sent may be carefully chosen and of a sort which will be worth the exchange made for them. The songs should also be sent to the young girl in whom Mrs. W. A. S. is interested and she will surely be considered by our music lovers, particularly those who are also church and Sunday school workers. I hold both these addresses and will be glad to supply them to inquirers.

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Likes to Get Postcards.

"There is a Miss M. R., who has been a cripple from birth. Last year she had a foot amputated. Nothing pleases her more than to get post cards from far away people. If you could see her eyes grow bright when she receives a card you would each and every one send her a card. I visited her some time ago and she asked me to have people send cards to her. MRS. A. T."

This note is from one of the Cornerites who is active in good works and has aided others through the Helping Hand. I know the generosity and good will of constituents, and I am positive in advance of the calls which will come for M. R.'s address and that her eyes will "grow bright" many times over the responses to this appeal.

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Spray with Gasoline.

"Pray let me tell you of an effective treatment for bedbugs which is at the same time sanitary and germ and bedbug killing. Use a spray pump with a bucket of gasoline. The pump throws a fine spray which should be used on walls, ceilings, shelves, and floor, thoroughly saturating wherever used. Use plenty of gasoline. Spray beds and springs until every crack is saturated; spray bedding, mattress, and furniture. When finished the room is clean and sanitary. Gasoline does not injure the delicate colors of upholstery or walls, and is effective in the eradication of moths in anything. Preserve carpets from moths by saturating affected parts and along edges and corners. MRS. S. D. B."

This remedy has been commended before, and I am glad to receive its further indorsement, but be careful to have no light or fire in the room with it.

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Eliza Cook's Poems.

"During the last week I mailed two old dictionaries to the persons whose names you sent to me and cheerfully paid the postage, as the books seemed of little value, though better than no books of the kind. Now I have a little favor to ask. Do you suppose any one would have a copy of Eliza Cook's poems and would be willing to part with them? An old lady, my mother, has been wishing to read again the old, old poems. You remember Eliza Cook wrote 'The Old Arm Chair?' I would not ask this kindness if I had not already learned from a large book house that the book is out of print. I do hope you can find some one through the Corner who can put me on the track of a copy.

"A. M. T."

Evidently I belong to the same generation as A. M. T.'s mother, for Eliza Cook's poems were familiar to me in my youth. My own copy has disappeared, but I hope some one else has one she can send to the Cornerite who wishes it, and if that cannot be done that some of the poems may be copied out and sent for her reading. A. M. T. is one of our helpful workers and she has done enough for us to deserve well of its members.

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Hints for Housewives.

"Pearl tapioca makes a delicate and excellent thickening for soup. Cut shortening into piecrust with four tined table fork. Saves time, with better results. Dip in cold starch crocheted buttons which have lost their shape through laundering. It will make them look like new. Marshmallows are good substitutes for whipped cream when serving chocolate. A small piece of butter put in the boiling milk will prevent chocolate from boiling over. Stick a hatpin through the center of a layer cake when frosting it. This will prevent the layers from slipping. To freshen rolls place in paper bag, close the opening, and place over a teakettle after removing the cover. Have only a little water in the kettle and simmer, not boil. Open claws of crabs with nutcracker. To cut cold mush for frying press down through it with wet thread held as taut as possible. This cuts easily without ragged edges. Rub ends of umbrella ribs with vaseline where they are fastened. This prevents rust. Baked apples are delicious with cores filled with orange marmalade or sugar and chopped nuts. Irons will heat more quickly and stay hot longer if a cake tin or other cover is turned upside down over them. Candied nuts—Boil together one cup brown sugar, one-fourth cup water, one tablespoon vinegar, and lump of butter until mixture threads. Set aside until it begins to cool. Then dip each nut meat into it and lay on buttered paper to harden. M. B."

These suggestions will be as gratefully received by other housekeepers as they are by me and are doubly welcome not only for the terse and clear fashion in which they are expressed but because they are done on the typewriter and there is no difficulty in deciphering them.

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In Exchange for a Camera.

"I see a request in the Corner for a set of quilting frames, and although I have not a set to give away I thought perhaps an account of my way of making quilts might help some one. I use flour sacks for the backs of my quilts. They are easily washed and one always has more of them on hand than are used, so I consider it a saving to employ them in this way. I quilt them on the machine and it is a great saving of time and labor. Has any one in the Corner a camera that is no longer needed? If so I would like much to have it and would pay parcel post on it. I have two instruction books for the piano and a half dozen pieces of music for the piano that would give in exchange for the camera. I hope the following recipes may be of use to some one:

"COFFEE CAKE.—One cup brown sugar, one cup molasses, half cup butter or lard, one cup strong coffee, four cups flour, one heaping teaspoon soda, one tablespoon cinnamon, one teaspoon cloves, one package raisins. This recipe makes one large cake or two small ones. Bake about an hour in a moderate oven.

"SNOWBALL CAKE.—One cup sugar, two-thirds cup butter, half cup sweet milk, whites of three eggs, one teaspoon baking powder, flour to make good batter; flavor with lemon. Cream butter and sugar, add milk gradually, stirring well, then the whites, beaten stiff. Sift the baking powder into one cup of flour and stir in slowly; add enough more flour to make as stiff as plain cake. A little citron sliced thin is a good addition. MRS. C. F. H."

Although I have had to call a halt for awhile in the constant procession of pleas and demands for phonographs, graphophones, sewing machines, musical instruments of all kinds, and cameras—to mention only a few of the articles for which letters are constantly pouring in—I cannot put down Mrs. C. F. H. among those who merely ask with no apparent thought of return. She has partially paid her way by her information about the quilts and the recipes, and she is willing to go still further and give music in exchange for the camera. I hope she may get it, and I shall be glad to supply her address to any one who has a camera to offer.

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FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK.

SUNDAY.

BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Cereal.
Fish balls.
Graham biscuit.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Cold ham sliced.
Pork and beans.
Boston brown bread.
Preserved peaches.
Sponge cake. Tea.

DINNER.
Vermicelli soup.
Boiled fresh tongue.
Stewed tomatoes.
Mashed Potatoes.
Vanilla ice cream with chocolate sauce.
Coffee.

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MONDAY.

BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Cereal.
Bacon.
Fried bread.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Cold sliced tongue [leftover].
Toasted brown bread [leftover].
Potato cakes [leftover].
Cookies. Tea.

DINNER.
Tomato bisque [leftover].
Veal cutlet.
Boiled potatoes.
Green peas.
Junket.
Coffee.

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TUESDAY.

BREAKFAST.
Stewed apples.
Cereal.
Clam fritters.
Cornbread.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Baked eggs.
Creamed potatoes [leftover].
Toasted cornbread [leftover].
Hot gingerbread. Cocoa.

DINNER.
Cream of pea soup [leftover].
Lamb stew.
Scalloped potatoes.
Succotash.
Caramel custard.
Coffee.

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WEDNESDAY.

BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Cereal.
Bacon.
Eggs.
Rolls.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Hashed tongue [leftover].
Baked sweet potatoes.
Quick muffins.
Jam. Tea.

DINNER.
Beef soup [stock from tongue].
Boiled chicken.
Rice.
Boiled beets.
Chocolate blancmange.
Coffee.

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THURSDAY.

BREAKFAST.
Grapefruit.
Cereal.
Crisped dried beef.
Whole wheat biscuit.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Spanish omelet.
Rice muffins [leftover].
Beet salad [leftover].
Hasty pudding. Tea.

DINNER.
Chicken and rice soup [leftover].
Chicken soufflé [leftover].
Corn pudding.
Fried celery.
Tapioca pudding.
Coffee.

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FRIDAY.

BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Cereal.
Shirred eggs.
Rolls.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Soused Mackerel.
Boiled potatoes.
Cheese toast.
Canned peaches.
Cake. Tea.

DINNER.
Celery soup [leftover].
Baked bluefish.
Riced potatoes.
Lima beans.
Orange jelly.
Coffee.

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SATURDAY.

BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Cereal.
Bacon.
Baked eggs.
Toast.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Creamed fish [leftover].
Potato puff [leftover].
French pancakes with jelly. Tea.

DINNER.
Lima bean soup [leftover].
Baked ham.
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Spinach.
Apple snow.
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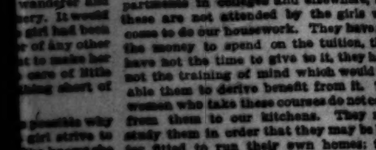
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For the INDUSTRIOUS NEEDLEWOMAN

By ADELAIDE BYRD



Dolly

THE page for our embroidery circle is limited as to space, and I feel that the showing today will give my friends a fair idea of the most beautiful design that can be reduced in many sizes of doilies and enough for the luncheon cloth that will complete the set for a luncheon table that will be appreciated by a little child or a grown-up. When you look at the finished doily and then inspect the design on the design, you will see that it is such simple that I have applied is a very good one. The stitches are really very more than straight ones that radiate from a center. The frequent crossing of the thread through the one that at the center gives the effect of an open. This set is so simple that you should not have any hesitation in giving it to the first piece of fancy work your little daughter.

The design is such that it can be repeated on all the other pieces of set by tracing the basket from this one and making on the doily, the inner one inch from the outer edge and work with it.

All that you have to do, if you cannot use the design already stamped on the linen, is to get the different sizes of the pieces of the luncheon set and with your own cleverness manipulate the design.

As for your own color scheme, it will be a matter of taste and in any of the staple colors that will stand the washing. Delft blue is very effective, especially for the china for breakfast or luncheon is that delightful shade. Green is also and will carry out the shade of the leaves in the plain china that is used for our summer homes. Yellow is a favorite, if the china has a conventional floration of yellow flowers. By looking at the photograph of the finished doily, you will see how attractive this is in a completed state, and you will notice that the straight edge is finished with shiny lace that is sewed to the right side over the hem. This is very inexpensive and gives a pretty finish to the set. The two lines that connect the design are done in the stitch, as is the handle of the basket.

The design is short, but your satisfaction will be great if you work this out and you will see at once all good, practical embroidery deserves to be used. I would not advise too much the enjoyment at a table of the meal when there is the napery to make the artistic effect of the home apparent. The furnishings of the table—and this includes the embroidery that the woman of the house gives—make it worth while for the guests to linger in the beauty to which all of us are sensitive.

I am sure that you will be doubly pleased with the design. That means that I should not stop at just one set. Other colors will make you glad.



The Finished Work

How to Transfer

Place a sheet of impression carbon paper between your fabric and the newspaper design, the latter on top. With a sharp pencil or other pointed pen go over the outlines of the design and will be transferred to the material and will last until

A BOUDOIR CAP

WHAT a trousseau it was! Piles and piles of beautiful things carefully packed in a huge brass-bound cedar chest that might have been old, but which was very new—that is, but a year of residence had it enjoyed in a corner of the engaged girl's room. There were negligees, nightrobes, lingerie underwear of all descriptions, and a hundred and one other things that the girl's own skillful fingers had fashioned and various friends had labored over lovingly. Yet one article in that chest, carefully boxed so that it could not be crushed, was its chief treasure—a beautiful lace-and-pearl boudoir cap.

It was a soft little Dutch cap made of cream all-over lace in a lovely shadow pattern over another cap, a lining of cream net. The cap itself was softly gathered, and the turned-back flap, which in most Dutch caps is cut perfectly plain and straight, is of the same shape, but shirred softly in half-inch rows. White satin wire was used to wire the flap about its edges to keep it in place. The three edges of this flap, meaning the back and the two sides, were edged with pearls. Upon close examination, it was found that one long string of pearl beads was used. The beads were strung so that they had not much room to slip, and then they were basted on with whipping stitches about half an inch apart. The whipping stitches slipped between the beads and were entirely concealed. It was evident that when the cap became soiled it would be quite a simple matter to rip out the basting threads which were about the beads and the wire. After the cap was laundered it would be even a more simple matter to renew the basting threads, as, of course, the pearls would not be washable.

If pearls are not used upon the cap, some pretty colored beads, turquoise, coral, amethyst, sapphire, or any other kind of mock jewel that is preferred, can be used.

SUNSHADES

HAVE you ever noticed that when fashion decrees small hats the sunshade is much in evidence? This is only natural, a sort of cause-and-effect affair, if one goes to the root of the matter.

One can make a much prettier sunshade at home than one can buy for a reasonable sum. The beauties usually are obtainable from the shops only at soaring prices, whereas the girl clever with her needle can make them at little cost.

It is not every woman who feels equal to cutting and fitting the cover of the parasol itself. This obstacle is quickly overcome, however, for one has but to buy a parasol ready made, along rather plain lines, and proceed to ornament it to taste. If one wishes a pale blue silk, rather fluffy sunshade it is well to buy a blue silk shade, slightly puffed and ruffled with its own material. Then buy several yards of this pretty chiffon rosebud trimming that comes by the yard, and proceed to drape it and stitch it by hand into festoons on each panel of the sunshade, just a trifle above the heading of the ruffling. The festoons, of course, are connected, one long, uncut piece of the trimming being used for the entire decoration.

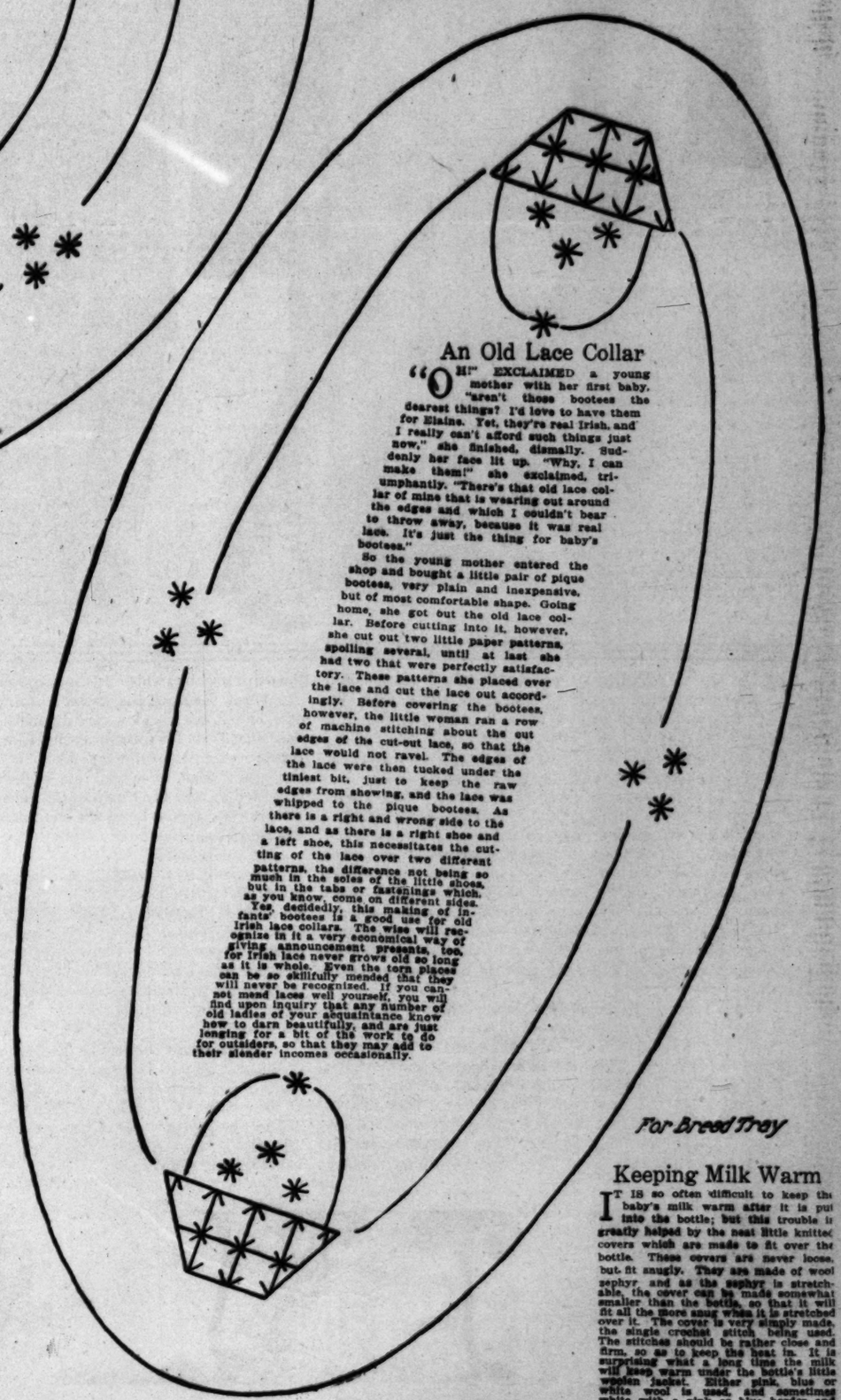
Another pretty conceit is to make small bunches of chiffon flowers and sew them to the shade, one in the center of each panel. If the flowers are made of satin or silk, they will be too heavy for the purpose. They should be light in weight and rather flat. It is necessary for them to be flat, so that when the sunshade is closed the flowers will not cause an ungraceful bulk. For this reason chiffon is preferable.

If you can embroider very neatly, it is a pretty fashion to embroider sprays or conventional designs upon the panels of the sunshade. It takes an expert needlewoman to do this, however, as the wrong side of the work must be exceedingly neat, the wrong side being bound to show. All ends must be cleverly concealed, and the embroidery must be of one color and that color the shade of the parasol itself, or the wrong side will not look well. A parasol of old-gold silk is rather unusually attractive when embroidered in dull gilt flowers. One has to work with this gilt thread most carefully, though, or the effect is spoiled.

Attractive Trimming

DID you ever try combining beads with hand embroidery in a design? It is surprising what effective trimming they make for a gown. For instance, a beautiful yoke or band trimming in black and gold may be made by stamping black material in white and in the same design as one would use for French knots. For the leaves, stems, and sometimes the petals of flowers, a solid stitch in black silk is used, more or less highly padded, and on each dot that is intended to be covered by a French knot a tiny gilt bead is sewn. Gilt crystal beads are not so good for the purpose as those of metal. There is a metal bead that is very tiny and cut much like a cut-steel bead, but which has the appearance of dull gold. Goldenrod done in this fashion is particularly beautiful.

One may, of course, use beads of all colors and design flowers of all kinds with them. For instance, wild roses could be done in pale pink beads, forget-me-nots in blue, and so on. The trimming is more or less elaborate, and one has to be careful that good taste is used in selecting both materials and colors, and also that the design of the gown is one that will be beautified by that certain kind of trimming.



An Old Lace Collar

"OH!" EXCLAIMED a young mother with her first baby, "aren't those bootees the dearest things? I'd love to have them for Elaine. Yet, they're real Irish, and I really can't afford such things just now," she finished, dismally. Suddenly her face lit up. "Why, I can make them!" she exclaimed, triumphantly. "There's that old lace collar of mine that is wearing out around the edges and which I couldn't bear to throw away, because it was real lace. It's just the thing for baby's bootees."

So the young mother entered the shop and bought a little pair of pique bootees, very plain and inexpensive, but of most comfortable shape. Going home, she got out the old lace collar. Before cutting into it, however, she cut out two little paper patterns, spoiling several, until at last she had two that were perfectly satisfactory. These patterns she placed over the lace and cut the lace out accordingly. Before covering the bootees, however, the little woman ran a row of machine stitching about the cut edges of the cut-out lace, so that the lace would not ravel. The edges of the lace were then tucked under the tiniest bit, just to keep the raw edges from showing, and the lace was whipped to the pique bootees. As there is a right and wrong side to the lace, and as there is a right shoe and a left shoe, this necessitates the cutting of the lace over two different patterns, the difference not being so much in the soles of the little shoes, but in the tabs or fastenings which, as you know, come on different sides.

Yes, decidedly, this making of infants' bootees is a good use for old Irish lace collars. The wise will recognize in it a very economical way of giving announcement presents, too, for Irish lace never grows old so long as it is whole. Even the torn places can be so skilfully mended that they will never be recognized. If you cannot mend laces well yourself, you will find upon inquiry that any number of old ladies of your acquaintance know how to darn beautifully, and are just longing for a bit of the work to do for outsiders, so that they may add to their slender incomes occasionally.

For Bread Tray

Keeping Milk Warm

IT IS so often difficult to keep the baby's milk warm after it is put into the bottle; but this trouble is greatly helped by the neat little knitted covers which are made to fit over the bottle. These covers are never loose, but fit snugly. They are made of wool sephyr, and as the sephyr is stretchable, the cover can be made somewhat smaller than the bottle, so that it will fit all the more snug when it is stretched over it. The cover is very simply made, the single crochet stitch being used. The stitches should be rather close and firm, so as to keep the heat in. It is surprising what a long time the milk will keep warm under the bottle's little woolen jacket. Either pink, blue or white wool is used, and sometimes white with a pink or blue border and edge.

SHE WEARS A CAVALIER CAPE



"AH, MADAME! At your service! I am honored beyond all words. I had never hoped that you would deem me fit to grace so lovely a form and to protect such beauty. May I meet all demands, give distinction to your costume and swing with you to success in all hours to the glory of the fair one who has adopted me."

If the cavalier cape could speak in plain ordinary words, it might say something like that. But it speaks for itself in eloquent line and glowing colors, and the wise woman is she who wears a cavalier cape in her imperial assurance that a thing of beauty is a joy forever. To be sure, the royalists wore these capes under Charles I and Charles II, and sometimes they were the badges of distinctly partisan feelings. Now they are the signs of elegant dressing and a quick grasp of the distinctive in style. What can be more attractive than a cavalier cape on an American queen? Roundheads, please take notice.

Any cape would be pleased into singing a charming sonnet—if it could rhapsodize—if it were wrapped around the wearer in the line of the old-rose model that has a wide-striped inner lining. There is a bolero suggestion at the front because the ends are tied around the waist and buttoned at the back under the loose folds. The sectional back further emphasizes the fact that the lines run in curves around the form. A loose collar tops the cape. Who would not fight for the good name of this wrap? Why, women will be mobbing the department in which this beauty can be purchased!

Throw the black-and-white circular cape over your shoulders, and, if you would be very dignified, hold one end up over your shoulder. Keep the head high—any woman who is fortunate enough to own a cape like this *ought* to hold up her head. And then, when you walk out in afternoon or evening, protected in cape beauty from the elements, keep an eye on the crowds. If you recognize admiration when you see it—why, just blame it on your cape.

On the separate coat the cape has set its stamp of style. It suggests gallant knights who were willing to protect the pretty feet of their queens from the prosaic puddles, doesn't it? It is shorter than the others, and yet long enough for the coat. The military line of a thrown-back cape will ever be charming on woman. Of course, here is the inevitable touch of the eternal feminine, for a colored silk lining gives a dash of color and turned-back plaid cuffs finish the sleeves of the coat. Yes, you can storm the fort—or your husband's pocketbook—in this.

The grace of the cape has furnished inspiration for many a painter. Some of the masterpieces of other days are hanging in great galleries and are admired for the sweeping line of the wraps. Well, take a hint and have a cape. Make a picture for any one who is clever enough to appreciate one. The wise woman of today wears a cavalier cape and knows how stunning she is in it.

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Barefoot To Millionaire.

There died at Pasadena not many weeks ago a man whose life would furnish a worthy subject of study to any intelligent human being and would prove an inspiration to all who become acquainted with the facts. He was Frederick Weyerhaeuser as known among men. His birthplace was Germany and his birth as poverty-stricken as anything that could be easily imagined. In early boyhood he came to America, barefooted and ragged, and obtained work upon a farm. It was hard work with long daily hours of application, plain living and small remuneration.

The salient facts of this man's life were these: From farm work he took employment in a sawmill. This was about fifty years ago. The man had industry, thrift and foresight as his only capital to begin with. From working in a sawmill he came to own one, and then seeing what was before the country he acquired by careful economy title to vast tracts of timber lands which, increasing in value and worked up in his own sawmills, made him a millionaire.

Instead of being an inspiration to many of us, Frederick Weyerhaeuser's life is made a text by many on which to found a vicious and unfair attack upon modern society, upon civilization as it is, upon the American government, and upon every American institution.

Reasonable people hold that the man's acquisitions were honest and that he deserved every cent he died possessed of. The paths he trod in life were already well-beaten ones, charted and known to all men of his time.

Those who abuse the man's memory and attack modern society because of his successes had these paths lying before their own eyes as plainly as they were before his. They preferred idleness or extravagance or both, and as they reap they have sown. Frederick Weyerhaeuser gave employment and thus furnished a comfortable living to many thousands of men during his lifetime. What have his critics ever done of benefit to their kind? Nothing. They have never developed a bit of the natural wealth of the country, never founded or carried on an industry, never given a day's employment nor paid a dollar's wages to any human being. Their place, if they were modest, would be one of retirement, and their cue in the great drama of life, if they had any sense, would be silence.

Old Things Pass Away.

Yes, and with the old things pass many old familiar faces, and old familiar names disappear from the columns of the daily press. It is a transition period in the United States in which many, indeed nearly all, of our theories and practices in politics are giving place to new conceptions.

Hon. Theodore Burton of Ohio has been a public servant for the duration of a whole generation. He has been a faithful servant, devoting great ability to the public for years and years.

He is now a Senator from the State of Ohio in the United States Congress, and his term is drawing to an end. He announces that he will not be a candidate for re-election. Senator Burton does not say it, but he knows, as scores of others of his type who have quit the public service have known it, that it is the new political practices which have induced him to quit, indeed forced him to step aside.

The interesting question is, Will the new practices give us better men than those of the Theodore Burton type?

The Garment Bespeaks the Man.

J. "Ham" Lewis hails from the Sucker State. He has been where the fierce light of publicity beats upon him with all its force for many years. He is now a Senator from Illinois, and there he is right in the very center of the spotlight. Senator Lewis's dress attracts the light to his person, or rather reflects it to the eye of the public. His whiskers are reported to be the most brilliant thing in his make-up.

It was a saying of old Polonius that "the garment oft proclaims the man." This is eminently true in the case of Senator Lewis. He delivered himself the other day in an address upon the repeal of the bill giving American ships engaged in coastwise trade free passage through the American canal built by the American people with American taxpayers' money through American soil.

Senator Lewis's whiskers may be as pink as the brightest carnation that ever blossomed under California suns, and his dress may be as bizarre as that of a showman or a Broadway dandy, but none of these things can possibly "stick so fiery off" as the production of the Senator's mind in the address referred to. To refer again to Hamlet, it is eminently a case of "words, words, words," and for a logical non sequitur it ought to have place forever as a specimen of such mental production in books on rhetoric.

Helping the Inefficient.

Let us give the modern reformer, in spite of all the shallowness of the shallowest, and in spite of all the insincerity of the most insincere politician, credit for being in earnest in his ardent advocacy of taking care of the unsuccessful in life.

Let us inquire into the wisdom rather than the honesty of his efforts. The last California Legislature passed a very extreme law for the protection of employees working in any capacity for any employer from the effects of any accident that might occur.

The practical effect of this law will be about as follows: If a painter is employed to paint your bungalow and he brings his own material of every kind, including ladders of all sorts, brushes and paint pots, and an accident occurs under these circumstances, the employer is responsible, and as we learn from the mouth of the painter himself, the law will apply almost automatically, provided the injured man cares to claim the so-called benefits.

That law is manifestly unjust to the employer, for we hold him liable, if a man brought a rotten ladder, if he came drunk, or in spite of any other carelessness or negligence on the part of the employee. In the present temper of lawmakers and reformers the employer, logically being presumed to be a man of efficiency, counts for nothing in comparison with the interest of the employee, a man of less or of no efficiency.

But how about the effect on the employee? The painter referred to above informs us that he has been accustomed to take large contracts and hire many men, a form of enterprise he has been obliged to abandon because he fears the responsibility resting upon his shoulders under this law. He is going around taking odd jobs by the day at going wages.

Who suffers most, the employer of efficiency, or the employee of less?

Thousand Tons Of Eggs.

In the wisdom of those who control the American government in these days the duty has been removed from eggs. In consequence of this removal there arrived the other day on the Pacific Coast from China a ship carrying a thousand tons of eggs. The actual number was 6,792,360. Most of these were consigned to points in the United States.

The purpose of removing the tariff in the minds of the removers was to make eggs cheaper.

Has any American breakfast table been served with an egg this year at less price than a year ago?

Women's Decorations.

[Indianapolis News:] Commenting on John Galsworthy's recent arraignment of Parliament for sins of omission and commission, in which the author decried the importation into England of the plumage of birds "to decorate our gentlewomen," G. K. Chesterton says: "This is a real wrong and a scandal. I am against gentlewomen being decorated. They have their rouge and their hair dye. Why can not they be content to be disguised?"

Herbert Kaufman--- "Write Your Own Price Ticket."

There is always *another* way to it. A dogged *brain* will eventually *gnaw* its way through *any* obstacle.

Hindrances do not *thwart determination* but *inspire* it.

Almost *everything* that *men* use to do was considered *unfeasible* or impossible to *all* men in *some* century.

Tomorrow's *promise* largely lies in *yesterday's* failures. The truest hope of the *newcomer* is to be found on the field where his *inefficient predecessors* surrendered *leadership*.

Opportunity is not a *flower-bed*, but a *thorn-patch*. None but the *dogged*, unquailing and persistent *expect* to *surmount* the *adverse* force against the *majority*.

Nugget gold is a *rarity*. *Free ore* is *scarce*.

The *worth while* things in *men* and *nature* are *rock-locked—hard* to *reach* — buried *deep* and held *tight*.

The *Earth* is *prodigal* with *commonplaceness*. Low grade *humans* are *omnipresent*. Whatever lies within *anybody's* reach is *without premium*.

The *universe* has its *bargain counter*, but there are few *real chances* to be *gleaned* from the rubbishy *offerings* toward which low-grade *minds* and *clumsy hands* are *habitually* stretching.

Manna is not a *modern* ration.

Society and *providence* are *kindly* solely to the *self-reliant*. Excepting an *insignificant few* who still undeservedly profit through the *survival* of a *rapidly* disappearing *system* (which in an *incompetent past* bestowed *unearned power* by *entail*.) No man can *justly* receive *more* than he *exactly* earns.

A *review* of the *potent personalities* of *this* era clearly *demonstrates* that *leadership* in all *affairs* is in the possession of those who have *aimed highest* and *striven longest*.

Class in the *former* acceptance of the *word* is practically *extinct*.

Today the *dividing line* between the *few* who have *much* and the *many* who have *little* is marked by *merit*.

And *ambition* finds its *keenest stimulus* in the *contemplation* of an *impressive* list of names, rendered *noteworthy* by the *unflagging zeal* and *unflinching purpose* through which *humble-born* thousands have attained *rank* and *distinction*.

You can't take a *better man's* place until *you* are *ready* to *accept* and *bide* by the *conditions*, the *deprivations*, the *disappointments* inseparable from the *careers* of the *stern fighting company* whose *path* is *rough* but leads *high*.

You will have to *stay with* and *continue* to *accept* the *insufficiencies* of the flabby-brained, spineless, ordinary, nameless millions unless you *emerge* from your *background* with a *backbone*.

In *this* year of our Lord, 1914, anybody can write *his own price ticket* and only a *better* man than himself can *alter* the *figures*.

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THE Californian who has ears to hear should hear the Governor's proclamation relating to Raisin Day. This is to be Wednesday of this week, namely April 30. The raisin crop of California is one of the largest in volume, most valuable in price, and most beneficial to the health of the human race. California raisins practically supply the world. They are grapes in one of the most attractive, nutritious and wholesome forms that this prince of foods is marketed under. You will be doing the raisin growers, the whole State and yourself a real favor and a great benefit by eating abundantly of this choice product of California's suns and soils.

Let Beauty Shine.

THE great moral Teacher of mankind exhorted His followers to let "their light shine." California is exhorted to let its beauty shine. The State has more beauty to the acre than any other part of the footstool of the Most High, and of all her beauties her sisterhood of flowers, if not the first certainly is among the very first. It is quite natural that Californians should have flower festivals at different points at different times of year. Pasadena has taken out a patent for the great Rose Tournament held in the very midwinter on New Year's Day. Little Hanford in the San Joaquin Valley comes to the front with a great rose carnival in the middle of April. Now all over the world, excepting in the tropics, April is known as the month of showers that simply promise flowers to come later. But the San Joaquin Valley is ablaze with bloom in mid-April. You tenderfeet, do you remember what an oleander is in your old home at the East? A little sickly plant kept in the cellar, its roots in a tub, and the rest of it in a great winter overcoat of straw, pulled out about April in favored districts, and so on until about the Fourth of July when they are taken out of the cellars up in Minnesota and get a breath of fresh air. By the end of July or August they manage to put out a few sickly blooms, a mere ghost of a flower. Did you ever see an oleander bush in the San Joaquin Valley? It sometimes is twenty feet high, with a circumference as great in measure as its height, and it is a blaze of brilliant red or spotless white flowers from the ground to the skyline. There comes from Washington a suggestion that should be taken up by many Californians. It appears that the French Floral Industry League brings up to Paris from the Riviera flowers that cost $12,000,000 a year. The French are artistic to their fingers' ends, to the backs of their brains and the cores of their hearts. A French flower shop is a poem. But Americans either know or can learn, and among the many sources of income to California there is none more fascinating than that of cultivating flowers. This State has already a number of flower-seed farms that supply the markets of the world with this product. If Paris can spend $12,000,000 a year for flowers, New York can spend $50,000,000, and California can produce them better in winter than the Riviera. It takes but little capital to go into the business, and the work can be done by women and girls about as successfully as by men, perhaps a little more so.

Preparing for the Tourists.

EVERYTHING in railroad circles is bending itself to preparations for next year. In a week the Santa Fe will move down to Redondo Junction with all its shops, where a plant has been completed at a cost of $250,000. Then the old shop buildings will be torn down and a great concrete and steel freight shed erected to cost $150,000. Though the Santa Fe has spent $250,000, its work is not done, as the original estimate is $500,000. The road is now receiving thirty-five great passenger locomotives, each of which cost $28,000. They are part of a series of 115 such machines which will cost the company $2,220,000. The roads are going to be taxed to their uttermost next year, and they are all at work now preparing for the great rush.

All Things Become New.

MANY a gray-headed man, and woman, too, now spending the ends of their days in sunshine and happiness amid the bright things of California came to the State either in a clipper ship around the Horn or via the isthmus on sidewheel steamers on two oceans, crossing Panama on mule-back, or across the plains in a "prairie schooner." A great many more remember the first transcontinental trains in 1869 and 1870 that made about fifteen miles an hour and constituted for that time a most luxurious method of travel. But these were nothing to the luxury of the transcontinental railroads of the present time. At first it took nearly a week to make the trip from San Francisco to Chicago, and now it is made in three days. The dining-cars of the early days were inconvenient things compared with the traveling palaces of today. And the best is still to come. For the manager of the tourist department of the Northwestern and Union Pacific Railroads has installed musical machines in the first-class passenger trains, and is now planning to make the dining-room tables so they can be removed and let the passengers "rag and tango" to their hearts' delight while crossing the continent. Think of the delights in store for you who are coming to see the great fair at San Francisco next year.

The Panama of Tomorrow.

W. R. GRACE & CO. of New York and San Francisco are planning a fleet of ships to ply around all the coasts of America through the canal. The superintendent of the Pacific Wharf and Storage Company at San Pedro speaks for the Luckenbach and Atlantic-Pacific lines. He says that until recently the steamers from Panama were bringing up a few hundred tons each trip. They are now bringing up 1800 tons, 2500 tons and 3500 tons a trip. The American-Hawaiian line has a fleet of twenty-six ships to be engaged in this business. Every fleet steamship line in the world has its eyes upon the canal and the Coast for business. The days of rounding the Horn are about past forever. This will make Panama the great distributing point for the whole Pacific Ocean, as the eastern end of the canal will be for all the Atlantic coasts, Europe and Africa. The lines will all center at the two ends of the canal, and from there branch out the wide world over. For example, a ship from New York or Liverpool coming down to Colon will transship there for South America, and possibly for Europe. The ship will discharge freight at Panama to ports all along South America on the Pacific, for the Antipodes and possibly for Southern Asia if not Eastern Africa. Ships coming up the Atlantic coast of South America will call at Colon and distribute freight, and those coming up from the Pacific Coast of South America will swap freight with steamers bound for points on the north coast of America on the Pacific and to points all over Northern Asia. Of course the main lines will pass their ships through the canal bound eastward to ports all around the Atlantic and westward for ports all over the Pacific. Los Angeles and San Francisco will be the great ports of call, but the transshipping done at the ends of the canal will make those points very important in the commerce of the world.

With Your Breakfast Coffee.

AT SACRAMENTO an incorporation has filed papers under the name of the Supreme Baking Company, organized in Los Angeles and capitalized for $4,000,000. The manager has already put through a deal by which he absorbs several large bakeries in Los Angeles, San Diego and other places in the State. The issue of bonds to the amount of $500,000 has been authorized, and the matter will soon be in full swing. Right on the heels of this comes the filing of incorporation papers by the Pacific Baking Company of Los Angeles, capitalized for $500,000, so there will be no monopoly of the bread business and we should all be able to get our rolls and toast at moderate cost, meantime making Los Angeles a distributing point for bread all over Southern California. We used to think home-made bread the best. We had a profound misgiving as to eating baker's bread. The baker's bread of today is better than any home-made bread and gives the housewife the staff of life cheaper than she could bake it in her own oven loaf for loaf, and no waste. Every loaf the groceryman delivers at your back door is net bread, while if you bake it you are a wonder, Mrs. Housekeeper, if you never spoil a "batch."

A Fine Inspiration.

CALIFORNIA creates more fine inspirations than any other part of the country, but Californians are not conceited, and are mighty quick to adopt a good inspiration conceived elsewhere. That was the finest of fine inspirations when Bryn Mawr, Radcliffe and other women's colleges set a low limit to the cost of graduation dresses. It has been taken up at Santa Monica, where the girls' dresses this year will be limited to a cost of $5. The French have always had clearer views of these things than we have, and their view is that a young girl is attractive enough in her own loveliness in the simplest kind of a frock the costumer can build. It is only in after years that the Frenchwomen adorn themselves to conceal the ravages of time in wrinkles around their temples and necks. The heartburning between the less wealthy pupils and the millionaire class in school commencements has been bitter. The weight of the merit for this reform must go into the millionaire side of the scales, where the girl who could spend a fortune for a Paris-built dress consents to be content with one that comes within the reach of less wealthy classmates. We would not say her less-fortunate classmate, for moderate circumstances are not always a disadvantage, nor are riches always an asset excepting in banking circles.

The California Cattle Business.

THE Tehachepi Cattle Company is a business venture recently organized by a few men of South Pasadena. It is capitalized for $600,000 and comes quite under the blue-sky law, for nearly every dollar is actually paid in. The company has 20,000 acres of mountain land near Tehachepi and a fattening ranch of 2350 acres near Bakersfield. On this latter there are 3000 head of cattle fattening for the market, and within a month 1000 were sold. Up in the San Joaquin Valley in the country around Porterville fattening beeves for the market has become a great business. About the middle of April one cattle man sold sixty steers which netted him $6000, or $100 a head. This seems to be the normal price up there, for another cattle man has contracted to deliver 800 in May for which $80,000 will be paid. It is estimated that the season's business there will bring in $1,000,000. Then we go down into the Imperial Valley country where fattening cattle is a great enterprise. Around Calexico there are 20,000 head of dairy cattle and 15,000 head of beef stock at the present time. Fattening beef for the market has about as solid a foundation under it as any of modern days. Beef will never be cheaper in the United States, and would not be even if the duty on cattle and meats remained off forever.

One Imperial Town.

WHOEVER named Imperial county had an inspiration surely. The development there within the century has surpassed anything ever known in the world. Holtville is one of the many towns in the valley, and around it are thousands of acres under cultivation, mostly in alfalfa, barley and cotton. The hay and grain are not shipped out as raw material to any extent, but go into stock mostly. It is said that where six months ago the country "was a desert waste, now 8000 acres of green crops are to be seen, with 12,000 more going under cultivation." They ship from the town 5000 pounds of butter a day, and during the year many carloads of cattle. The town is right on the southern national highway, and so confident are the people of their future that they are planning a $7000 bridge over the Alamo River, have voted $50,000 for a grammar school, and $20,000 for a sewer system. Private individuals have subscribed $3000 to build a good road across the sand hills of the Colorado Desert to Yuma. A Masonic temple is about to be built at a cost of $30,000, and two new apartment-houses are to be started at once.

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Aide: Five reels, sir.

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SUCCESSION OF MAYORS.

IN THOSE earliest days of California under Spanish administration, affairs of government were conducted through the only two powers which had any sort of organization at the time—the church and the army. But toward the latter part of the eighteenth century, as the pueblos began to grow, the need of more direct administration of civic affairs developed, and the office of alcalde was created. There seems to be no record of the selection of an alcalde in the pueblo of Los Angeles previous to 1788. Corporal Vincente Felix had served in the capacity of adjustor and arbiter of all moot questions which arose among the settlers, and as is usually the case when the power of finality is vested in one person, the settlers were in a constant state of dissatisfaction with him. When complaint was made to the Governor, instead of bringing relief, Felix was endowed with the title of "comisionado," and extra power to enforce his rule, which continued for many years after the creation of the office of alcalde with his two "regidores" or councilmen, who were supposed to be in administrative, judicial and legislative authority.

Jose Vanegas, one of the original settlers, served as the first Alcalde, to be followed by Jose Sinova, Mariano Verdugo, Francisco Reyes, Jose Vanegas again, Manuel Arellanes, Guillermo Soto, Francisco Serrano, and Joaquin Higuera, with whose administration the nineteenth century was ushered in. Sergt. Javier Alvarado became comisionado for the following decade, maintaining supremacy, and incidentally as good order as was possible to a period when gambling, drunkenness, and general disorderliness were on the increase. In the meantime, an alcalde and two rigidores continued to be elected each year, forming a town council or ayuntamiento with more dignity than official power and effectiveness.

The Spanish Cortes, on May 23, 1812, issued a decree regulating the membership of the ayuntamiento. There should be one alcalde, two regidores, and one sindico—treasurer—for all towns not having more than 200 inhabitants; in towns having between 200 and 500 inhabitants four regidores were allowed; while in those which should exceed 1000 two alcaldes—the second alcalde's services being similar to those of a vice-president—eight regidores and two sindicos were designated. The comisionado, or military despot, still remained to make mockery of the "muy ilustre" deliberative administrative body. When Guillermo Cota was comisionado, the Angelenos made a plain to him that his services were not wanted; an appeal to the Governor was again attempted, again without avail; whereat the "muy ilustre" devised a most ingenious plan whereby the power vested in the comisionado was undone forever. Cota was elected to the office of alcalde. Civil authority thus swallowed military dictatorship.

Besides fulfilling the duties of Mayor and presiding over the ayuntamiento, the alcalde sat as judge of the court of first instance. The sindico acted as city attorney and tax collector, as well as treasurer, taking his pay in commissions on tax collections. A secretary was also found necessary to keep the records and serve as clerk of the court of the alcalde. He was the only salaried municipal officer.

In 1837 the Mexican Congress decreed the abolishment of ayuntamientos in "capitals of departments" of less than 4000 in population, and interior towns of less than 800. As no California town was able to show the requisite number of inhabitants, the ayuntamientos went out of existence, the towns being governed by prefects and justices of the peace, special laws being enacted by departmental assembly. In 1844, however, the ayuntamiento was re-established, having jurisdiction even beyond the town limits—that of Los Angeles over a territory as large as the State of Massachusetts.

Los Angeles was under American military rule from January, 1847, to August, 1848, a period commencing with the second American occupation of the city. It is of this period, when Fremont was enjoying his brief period of Governorship, that a most amusing story is told. Placing himself in

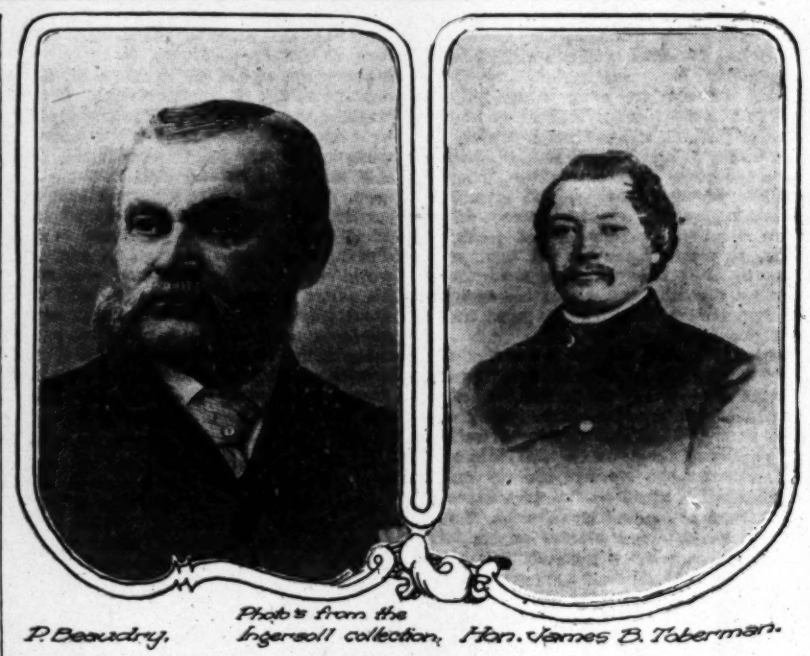


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the hands of a Mexican tailor, the "Governor" soon emerged in the glory of red, green and gold calzoneros, with "scallops of purple velvet, and silver bell buttons extending from hip to bottom. He wore Mexican drawers of delicate white muslin, with each leg a yard wide; shoes of black buckskin, with very short round toes and high heels." A Mexican bota made of leather, embroidered in gold, silk and silver hung to the knee, holding his silver-hilted knife. A gaudy Mexican sash five yards long was around his waist. A short embroidered jacket, a red vicuna hat, with gold cord and tassels, completed a costume which stood for several hundred dollars. Maj. Bell declares that one of the Dons, determined to outdo the gringo, appeared soon thereafter on the streets in a suit which, with saddle and horse trappings, represented $2000. A notable addition to his outfit was a red bandana handkerchief, tied low on his loins, with the points hanging down behind like a swallow-tail coat. The "Governor," thus appearing on the street, out-donned the Don!

Col. Stevenson, placed in military charge in Los Angeles, was instructed to "keep order and assist in the administration of the laws as they existed"—not a very easy task with questions constantly arising as between civil and military authority. However, the year 1847 saw an ayuntamiento elected entirely of native-born Californians, whose operations should not be interfered with excepting in the prohibition to sell or give away pueblo real estate. History states that an extra pomp and dignity invested the proceedings of the "muy illustre," which was very natural under the circumstances. But when Stevenson released an offender who had been arrested by the second alcalde, and was resented by the resignation of that official, Stevenson decided that the American element should enter into the American element should enter into the ayuntamiento, and appointed Stephen C. Foster alcalde. Of course this was not exactly a legal proceeding, and the outgoing alcalde refused to swear in his successor, whereupon the resourceful Stephenson himself performed the function. This resulted in the remaining members of the ayuntamiento resigning. Don Abel Stearns was elected sindico, and thus the government was run for the time being. In this administration the dam or headworks on the river and the irrigating ditch—both having fallen into disuse—were repaired by the newly established chain gang, a great deal of the city's filth was cleaned up, vagrants were dealt with, and an attempt was made to regulate liquor traffic.

Notice was issued in 1848 for election of new officials, but there was no response from the offended Californian contingent, and so further announcement was made that the present administration would continue until the Los Angeles voters were ready to choose their successors. In May of the following year the voters came to time, and an ayuntamiento was elected with but one American, John Temple, who served as sindico. Foster was in office until May 17, 1849.

In that same year Gov. Riley was instructed from Washington to send forth a proclamation to the people of California to elect delegates, and assemble them at Monterey on September 1, that a State constitution be formed for the purpose of correcting many ills and irregularities then existing. It is recorded that Capt. H. W. Halleck wrote to Mr. Foster urging him to awaken the people of Los Angeles to the necessity. The result was that Abel Stearns, Manuel Dominguez, Pedro Carrillo, S. C. Foster and Hugo Reid were elected, and assisted in making the constitution a fact, which brought order out of chaos, regulations being badly needed because of the mixed population attracted to the region by the gold discoveries.

Foster rendered good service to his adopted city and State as prefect, Mayor and State Senator. A proficient Spanish scholar, he became so intimately acquainted with the region's archives, and had a memory so perfect that his statements in court were accepted as final, without substantiation.

By 1850 all prejudice against the gringo seems to have disappeared, Americans and Spaniards taking equal part in governmental affairs.

In 1850, A. P. Hodges was elected Mayor. In this year a school committee was appointed from the membership of the ayuntamiento, and the school problem was wrestled with sturdily. Difficulties presented themselves because the gold fever had drawn heavily on the male portion of the population, attracting them to the mining regions. B. D. Wilson was the second Mayor of the decade, to be followed by J. G. Nichols. It was in 1851, during Wilson's mayoralty, that Los Angeles was metamorphosed from a pueblo to a cuidad. In this year also the first newspaper was born.

Antonio F. Coronel came into office in 1853. His services to the pueblo began in 1838, when but 21, as Assistant Secretary of Tribunals for Los Angeles, having come to California four years previously with his father from Mexico. He was a thoroughly educated and cultured man, and well fitted for the many positions of trust which he filled. Five years later he was appointed Judge of First Instance; in 1844 Gen. Micheltorena selected him as Captain and Inspector of the Southern Missions, and in the following year he acted as peace commissioner before Micheltorena and Castro and Alvarado. In 1846 he served as captain in opposing the American invasion. In 1847 and 1848 he was again in civic service as a member of the body of magistrates, being in charge of the regulation of irrigation; was County Assessor in 1850 and 1851, and Mayor in 1853. This did not end his public service, however. He served as member of the City Council for ten years and State Treasurer for four years, was supervisor of the State Horticultural Society, and a large factor in proving the Limantour fraud and forgery.

Stephen C. Foster became Mayor again in 1854. Himself a graduate of Yale, he took a lively interest in educational matters, urging the erection of permanent school buildings and a regular system similar to that employed in eastern cities. The Council appointed him Superintendent of Schools as well as Mayor, and our modern educational system had its beginning, the first schoolhouse being erected on the present site of the Bryson Block in 1854.

Thomas Foster was the next Mayor, serving within four months of two terms, Stephen Foster finishing this administration, when in 1856 J. G. Nichols was again elected, his popularity being emphasized by his re-election in three successive terms. It was Mayor Nichols who first projected the plans and specifications of a City Hall, and had them drawn up by a Mr. Deariem, pressing it upon the attention of capitalists and citizens generally. "We are happy to say the building will soon be commenced, the project having been brought under the notice of John Temple, Esq., and by him adopted," declares a notice in the Star, of the date of February 5, 1859. Then follows a description, giving dimensions of the building, ending: "The street on each side of the building will be sixty feet wide." In the same administration an act was drafted and presented to the Legislature authorizing the city of Los Angeles to borrow for twenty years the sum of $200,000, to be expended in city improvements. "The proposal was unanimously adopted, and the bill ordered to be forwarded to Mr. Thom for passage through the Legislature," runs a press item. About the same time a bill providing for inspection of wines and liquors, framed by this same Capt. C. E. Thom—then a prominent attorney, later Mayor, and living today—passed the Senate. In the same administration a special committee was appointed to superintend the grading of Los Angeles street and Negro Alley, also the drainage of the Plaza, and repairs on Aliso. The contract with Mr. Temple for the construction of the City Hall and Market House was closed, the cost of building to be $30,000. It may be seen by this that Mr. Nichols was an active Mayor, and thoroughly alive to the city's best interests. At this time the Pacific and Atlantic telegraph line was nearing completion to within thirty miles of San Jose.

Marchessault was elected in 1859, being described by the current press as a "thorough business man," of enterprise and perseverance, and as having greatly developed the mining interests of the immediate neighborhood. "He will, of course, bring to the duties of the office of Mayor that attention and sterling integrity which has heretofore characterized all his transactions." He pressed the authorization for the Mayor and Common Council to contract a loan for irrigation and other purposes, to extend the city limits, to increase the salary of the City Attorney, and purchase a fire engine and its accessories. He it was who brought the pines down from Oregon, had them hollowed and bound with iron bands, and laid for water pipes. Up to this time the citizens had been supplied by the water being delivered in barrels at the houses, at the rate of 50 cents a week. The leaking pipes messed up the streets, miring teams, merchants on both Spring and Main streets hanging out signs decorated with skull and crossbones where it was not safe for teams to venture. John Gregg Nichols, son of the Mayor, was the first child born in Los Angeles of American parentage on both sides.

Henry Mellus became Mayor in 1860. One of the newspapers of that time gives an amusing account of an incident of the election. "On Tuesday last the good people of our quiet little burg were treated to quite an amusing performance, free gratis, for nothing. On that day, being next after election, a four-horse stage coach was paraded through town, filled with people inside and on the outside, a number of musicians ranged along the 'after part,' while in front, in the seat of honor, was graciously disposed

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He knows poetry in many languages, including the Psalms written in Hebrew, the odes of Sappho, the epics of Homer and the dramas of all the four great dramatists who wrote in Greek. He knows Virgil and Horace and Juvenal, and a great many Latin poets worse than the great satirist last named. He knows Goethe and Moliere, and as for English he is acquainted with it from the miracle plays written half in Anglo-Saxon down through Percy's Reliques and on down to the latest—except Mr. Austin, who succeeded Tennyson as poet laureate in England.

Oh, no, the Eagle has not forgotten America, for he knows William Cullen Bryant and Henry W. Longfellow and James Russell Lowell and Fitz-Greene Halleck, Epes Sargent and all the others, not forgetting Edgar Allan Poe.

He sits these April days and dreams over again the Vision of Sir Launfal. You remember how it begins? "O'er his keys the musing organist, beginning doubtfully and far away." And like the musing organist the Eagle muses in this loveliest of spring weather. Do you recall some other verses of the poem we have been quoting from? Do you remember the bird "atilt on a blossom among the leaves" while his mate broods over her eggs in the soft nest in the near-by thicket? Now do you recall what Lowell says about the song of that bird as the breeze sways the blossom on which he sits and pours out his song of gladness from a heart full through a throat full of song as a hydrant pours out water? "He sings to the wide world and she to her nest. In the nice ear of nature which song is the best?"

Now do you recall what the New England poet says about June weather as it is found in the vicinity of Boston? "And what is so rare as a day in June? Then, if ever, come perfect days."

That is what the Eagle has been musing about these perfect but not rare days as he sits on his granite tower instead of among the leaves. He proposes to answer the query of the poet without criticising his conception of atmospheric conditions. Dearly beloved, you must always put yourself in the other fellow's place or you will deceive yourself and do him injustice. Recall where James Russell Lowell spent the impressionable days of his life, when his sentiments were moulded and crystallized, where nearly all his impressions of life were obtained, impressions of youth that never fade under the fiercest light of any suns in after days and are never obliterated by the eternal tread of the cruel feet of time though they trample upon him for half a century.

Lowell's youth was spent on that bleak New England shore where his Pilgrim ancestors landed in the midst of a mid-December winter, and before spring came, long before June with its perfect days rolled around again, half of the little colony borne across the stormy Atlantic on the Mayflower lay dead in the first graveyard for Europeans on that bleak coast. But ah, it was fruitful seed planted in a fertile soil, and oh, what a glorious harvest has sprung from those first graves of the Pilgrims, blessing humanity with new ideas, new aspirations, a harvest whose first and best fruits were human liberty in matters religious and governmental, independence for the individual, and the right of every man, the humblest as well as the highest, "to enjoy life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

So the Eagle proposes to answer Lowell's inquiry about perfect days. And the answer is that New England and no other corner of this good green earth ever produced in June or any other month any days so full of perfection as these April days here by the Sunset Sea in the city of Los Angeles, the Eagle's city, of which he and all the rest of the people are so exceedingly proud.

This city of Los Angeles is a city of beautiful homes, owned mostly by those who inhabit them. Another English poet, Samuel Taylor Coleridge, sings of June, applying to it the phrase, "the leafy month of June." The rose is the emblematic flower of England, and in June that part of the island is aglow with the queen of flowers in its highest perfection. It is sixty days from the writing of this article to mid-June, and there never was a June whose days rose and set over the British Isles as leafy at this April month is here by the glowing sunset sea and through all the ardent pulsating Great Southwest. Nor was England in the most fruitful June that ever blew out of the heavens in that ancient land more wondrously decorated with roses than this Southland of the sun in these April days. The French are a very self-conscious people, and one of their writers who flourished nearly a hundred years ago is rather disdainful of England and all the rest of the world when comparing other countries to his native France. He says the English are great travelers and the French great stay-at-homes, because the English have to leave their native land to find anything worth looking at, while the Frenchman who leaves France—well, tant pis pour lui. That is the way Balzac looks at the question.

Now, the Eagle, as you all know, is somewhat of a traveled bird, and he can say without fear of intelligent, sincere contradiction that the most beautiful corners of the south of France, the most glorious spots in Italy, the most picturesque portions of old Spain, can be placed alongside of Los Angeles and Southern California and it will not be the country by the Sunset Sea nor that lying anywhere throughout the Great Southwest which will suffer by comparison.

This subject is so vast, so varied, so kaleidoscopic, that it is difficult for the Eagle to stick to his text. The impressions crowd upon his brain like a flood in a Los Angeles stream when the rains are coming down, and it is almost impossible for him to follow out one strain of thought, but is swirled here and there by a thousand impressions, all heart-thrilling, mind-compelling, soul-inspiring.

He began above to speak of the beautiful homes of Los Angeles. You can go in any section of the city and find the scenes that have inspired the heart of the Eagle with a wish for the divine afflatus or the poetic gift to sing worthily the subject in hand. Take a little strip of Coronado street anywhere from Fourth northward across Temple, and up the hills to the northeastward. It is a section of modern homes, nearly all bungalows, mostly of a single story, and the building restrictions are not above $2500. Now remember we are only in mid-April, when in less-favored lands April showers are drenching the landscape, with a mere promise of May flowers. Well, that little stretch of modest homes along this one Los Angeles street is a succession of rose bowers with climbing rose bushes clambering over every roof and along the windows and falling in wreaths of flowers, from white blooms as spotless as an angel's soul to pink flowers that would put to blush the rosiest cheek of the most beautiful maiden, to flowers as red as the most ardent human passions, and all the colors of the kaleidoscope or of the rainbow crowding in between. The mercury at midday ranges at about 80, and never sinks during the twenty-four hours below 60. The breeze is gentle and laden with the tang of measureless seas that lie between America and Asia.

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THE LANCER



MAYOR WHEALTON of Long Beach has disappointed me. I thought he was quite modern, but he is fully a century out of date. What do you think he sprung on us last week? Actually forbade amateurs to appear on the local stage—because, mark you, he considered the professionals had a corrupting influence on the amateurs!

If he had said that the amateurs had a corrupting influence on the professionals we might have understood. Any really modern person would have been aware that the stage has been elevated into the realms of culture long since, that actresses are the darlings of society, and that the stage is recruited from the daughters of clergymen.

I personally have never met a stage performer, man or woman, who was not proud of the fact that he or she was a perfect lady or gentleman. It is a religion with them. They proclaim it more often than the average church-goer proclaims himself a Christian. The most scathing rebuke one actress can offer another is that she is no lady.

Of course, in Samuel Pepys's time the stage was still regarded as socially impossible, and even twenty years ago nice suburban mamas were wont to regard it with grave misgiving. But nowadays it is the one profession to which gentlemen and ladies can turn without loss of caste and when I was in London recently Mme. Pavlova's private social entertainments were regarded as more exclusive than the court, and invitations thereto were certainly sought with greater avidity.

And I am not going to believe that the Long Beach players are behind in refinement and culture. The whole atmosphere of Long Beach controverts such a preposterous assumption. One could not remain in Long Beach for any length of time without becoming refined.

And it is to be supposed that the Long Beach amateurs reside in Long Beach. How absurd, therefore, to presume them corruptible, even assuming that there were any corruptible influences. Nay, nay, Mr. Mayor, you do your fair city injustice.

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The One Blot.

I LOVE Long Beach. I go there at regular intervals when the garish charms of Los Angeles pall. And I always come back refreshed and improved in mind, body and morals. The Long Beach sand, the Long Beach ocean, the Long Beach air and the Long Beach golf impress me as being purer and more consciously above reproach than any that I know. The Hotel Virginia has achieved the miracle of making a large and beautiful hostelry fashionable and attractive without being a rendezvous for the "fast" set.

But there is one blot upon Long Beach's charms. It hurts my artistic perceptions. Stroll along the beach as far as the bath-house and gaze toward the town. A sad, sad sight. A whole jumble of dirty little broken-down shacks and hideous back views—the rear aspect of the Pike merchant's catering establishments. There is nothing more unspeakable to be found within a hundred miles of it. You feel as if you happened upon some dago slum quarter, devoid of self-respect, devoid of civic patriotism. Cleanliness is next to godliness, Mr. Mayor, and Long Beach is much too self-respecting a dame to wear a bedraggled petticoat and dirty worn-out stockings beneath its fresh white gown.

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Strong Drink.

WHAT chance can we hope to have against a nation that gets drunk on dynamite? The latest Japanese scandal is to the effect that there have been wholesale thefts of dynamite which the soldiers and sailors convert into a strong intoxicant and imbibe to the point of frenzy.

Compared to which our cocktails are mere milk and water. We are interested to know how it takes them. Our strong drinks make us frenziedly amorous, frenziedly sentimental, frenziedly wishy-washy for the most part—under the influence of it we are more often apt to vow eternal friendships and weep on each other's necks.

Does dynamite perchance make them more frenziedly warlike, more frenziedly explosive, more frenziedly destructive? It seems logical. Perhaps we had better postpone that little war until we have acquired a taste for dynamite. That must be a man's drink, a soldier's drink, a hero's drink. One could order a "dynamite straight" with a sense of devastating superiority.

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A Millinery Protest.

THESE simpering silly little Bo-peep hats that the women are wearing just now—was there ever such an impudent pose? Those hats remind us of the pastoral scenes in Watteau tapestry, recall the halcyon days when woman knew her place, when she held men in proper respect, when she behaved in accordance with her intellectual capacity.

Now that she is the embodiment of arrogant assumption, when the world is one whirling woman's federation, when, if she had any sense of the fitness of things she would at least emulate the aspect of Portia, behold her turning right about face and appearing before a scandalized world as little Bo-peep, who lost her sheep and didn't know where to find them. It is an outrage. She hasn't lost her sheep, but she shamefully neglects to mind them. A fraud, a shameless fraud. And with the aid of those hats they will inveigle some nice innocent little Boy Blue into blowing his horn for them, and some poor little Jack Horner into pulling out plums for them, and a nice fat impressionable Legislature into passing some more little laws for them.

It isn't playing the game. It's monstrously unsporting. It is their fraudulent intention to sit on a tuffet and eat curds and whey and pretend to be frightened at the big spider while Simple Simon negotiates with the pieman for the next course.

What are you to do with a sex that makes new rules for every game it plays and doesn't even stick to those. But do you suppose that men will have the dignity and self-respect to haughtily insist that they won't play? Certainly not. They will just swagger round in a green hat with a tan silk band and murmur: "Curly Locks, Curly Locks, wilt thou be mine? Thou shalt not wash dishes nor yet feed the swine." And she will waggle her Bo-peep hat and answer, "You bet I won't, dearie."

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That man was a commercial genius. I would have staked our lives that it could be done at the price. His financial affairs were in perfectly good order, his solvency completely established, and the other woman answered all the description of the standard make.

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The Day of Adventure. By Neeta Marquis.

IN BLOSSOM TIME.

ONE of the delights of going anywhere in the world is that one never can foretell what may happen before he gets back. The knowledge that adventure always lurks just around the corner from the commonplace gives piquancy to the most ordinary journey.

A good deal depends on the state of mind, to be sure, it must be conceded. I presume there are such blase people, living, say, in India, that they can start out on a shopping expedition, and not be particularly excited if a wild elephant chases them off the main street every now and then during the afternoon. So with me, an encounter with a good many butcherbird, and the thwarting of his fiendish designs on a fledgling linnet, can furnish thrills enough to keep me going for a couple of days.

It makes life ceaselessly interesting to have the nerves of perception hung on a hair trigger.

It was early afternoon of a warm still day in early March that Pepin and I left the Hollywood car and directed our way toward Tachunga Canyon. I call him Pepin because he was not short. I trust you get the connection, gentle reader? If not, ring me up and I will elucidate.

The road was bordered on one side with blooming acacia trees, on the other with a blue-green sea of a carnation plantation. And we had the way all to ourselves in the hot March sunshine.

Higher up, the mountain growths of sumach and buckthorn multiplied around us, the latter covered with the delicate white lace blossoms which usually choose April as the time when they shall powder the hillsides of Southern California with their silvery beauty and emit their elusive fragrance. Baby-blue-eyes, the color of turquoise ear-drops, enameled the side of the road and white forget-me-nots six or eight inches tall grew in abundant patches, deliciously lovely. White chilicothe flowers, on their peculiar snaky green vines, twisted themselves among the sage and sumach bushes. In still higher places, the rich purple-blue of Canterbury bells contrasted with the strong yellow of the gravelly soil. The hot spring sun, following upon the late, drenching rains of a little earlier, had caused all the mountainside into a premature efflorescence. Blossomtime for the wild things had been set forward a full month. Under the hurried preparations which went on beneath the surface of the soil, when Mother Nature announced in her dressing parlors that the wardrobe of Spring must be ready four weeks ahead of the original date! What a threading of needles with rays of sunshine! What a running-up of green silk seams, and a working of lace and embroideries! And it wasn't all over yet—this galloping haste; for the hum of fairy machines, sped by silent industrious forces, was still quite plainly to be detected under the palpitating ground.

When we turned to look behind us the sea was shining on the distant sea in a blue dazzle, while the sloping mountainsides on either hand were dim with heat and the lavender blur of the blooming buckwheat.

The whole character of both mountain and vista changed when we had passed over the summit of the range, at a point just beyond Mt. Hollywood, and started downward on the cool north side. The colors were vividly blue on the far mountains and beyond Burbank, above which we now were, and all about us was the lush bright green of grasses and plants which love shaded places.

It had been a long, hot climb. We seated ourselves on some broken boulders to rest, with a bank which was seeping moisture, and Pepin the Not-Short took a package of hot chocolate from his coat pocket to divide with me.

As a proof of the temperature on the cool side of the range, I will state that the chocolate was in a liquid condition. It isn't every body who can have hot chocolate handed to him on such short notice at the top of an uninhabited mountain.

Our first beautiful discovery occurred just after this refreshment station. We had started on down the grade, when I cast my eyes upon the bank which stood six feet above the road, and there stood not only a whole company of white and lavender and blue shooting stars, but clusters of the rare checker lilies—fritillaria, by family name—such as I had not seen on the hillsides in years. They swung like glistening bronze bells upon their gracefully-curving green stems. The mere sight was enough to repay me for making pilgrimage through the unseasonable heat to the place of their blooming.



ON MT. HOLLYWOOD.

But we were still within the prohibitory limits of Griffith Park, and I can never tell how I summoned the sheer heroism to refrain from plucking a single stem, or to refuse to let Pepin, who cheerfully volunteered to sacrifice his conscience for me, gather them in my stead.

"No," I said, with the slow sadness of renunciation in my voice. "But maybe we shall find some more when we have escaped the confines of the park."

Wasn't it noble?

And just to show how infallibly virtue is rewarded, let me add that beyond another turn or two we came plump upon a man who worked in the park. Imagine my guilt-stricken condition if I had had the goods on me! As it was, however, we high-mindedly stated the case to the man, and asked if it would be any harm for us to gather just a few of those lilies, seeing that I wanted them so much, and that they were where so few people would see them before they died.

And he was a man with a heart in his bosom. He said it wouldn't be any harm. So Pepin went back, to return to me with a modest handful, having left enough of both kinds of flowers to seed the bank for next year. And I was very happy.

To feel the personality of each distinct variety of flower one knows is one of the purest pleasures in the world. Each stands for a different thing, in some delicate spiritual way, just as each human friend appeals to one's heart in his own individual fashion, commanding a different degree of affection. And the presence of these flowers, on that spring afternoon, somehow seemed to bring near certain friends who are lovers of wild-flower ways whose bodily forms were distant by many miles.

Those friends whose hearts are linked to ours by a mutual love for beautiful things are the ones to whom we turn instinctively for sympathy and understanding in those deep things of our lives which are unutterable to the frankly practical friend, however kind.

Not far from here we forsook the road for a steep mountainside, and literally dropped out of Griffith Park into the great canyon which we had come a-seeking.

That was a wonderful mountainside, apparently unbroken by a trail. But Pepin knew that the canyon below was the one upon which he had stumbled from a slightly different angle two years before, and that any mode of descent into it would be repaid by the beauties in store.

There was a rocky ravine which we decided to follow first, and to my joyful surprise we found at the very head of it a meadowy place growing thick with more shooting stars and chocolate lilies. If virtue wasn't receiving all the encouragement she could expect that day, I don't know what was!

The dark lilies are never very abundant, so we gathered the shooting stars in the largest quantities. The fluttering little petals of lavender were like long, silky ears framing piquant little dark velvety faces. And with the shock of removal from the stem, each star gave off pollen in a tiny golden cloud, like pulverized sunshine.

Then we plunged down the ravine, and with a few feet of descent found ourselves in a green jungle of poison oak, which formed an arbor above our heads, and tumbled rocks wet with moss and moisture beneath our feet. And as we swung, dropped, stooped, and wriggled in our continued descent, we discovered that our way was being carpeted with maidenhair.

The luxuriance of those ferns! One could make a fortune if he knew the hair tonic they used! They were a foot long, with large, delicate leaves and the exquisite stems of ebony which are not the least of their charm. And the quantities of them! I plucked my hands full, then as the frail stems became broken in our further passage of rought chaparral, there were more and ever more to take their place.

Every now and then we would come out on an open slope, where the lilac was blooming like mad, and the wild gooseberry, more dark and glistening as to foliage, more richly crimson as to flower than a month earlier, was decorating the wilderness as if it were a Japanese screen.

Then at intervals more little gardens of shooting stars appeared, until the whole mountainside was like a wonderful floral cake—a layer of fern, a layer of shooting stars, a layer of lilac and gooseberry, then a layer of fern again, until we finally reached the little stream, flowing through sedgy grasses, at the bottom.

It was a wide canyon, well open to the sky, and from the heights above we had observed a flock of strange white roofs away toward the mouth of it. But here there were only the flower-covered slopes, which opened before us as we went into lush meadows, dotted with sycamores and sown with yellow violets and wild sweet peas. Sunset time was approaching now, and the air held that lovely solemn stillness which presages dusk.

Suddenly, against a green slope, a tiny peach tree, blushing with bloom to every twig-tip, introduced a new note into the landscape. Probably the result of a chance seed dropped long ago, it stood forth against the canyon background lovely as a celestial visitant poised for a moment with its heavenly feet sunk deep in the earthly grass. We could not resist the appeal of its beauty, and broke off three twigs to carry home.

My hands were already filled to overflowing with ferns and shooting stars, chocolate lilies and a few wild peonies, while Pepin was heavily laden with lilac and gooseberry branches. I am always obsessed with the desire, when on an expedition like this, to take the whole outdoors home with me. The grasses were beginning to grow cool around our feet, and our meadows became bordered with dark oak trees.

We came to a farmhouse, set deep in the oaks, and when we had passed through the gate which barred the road into which our trail had now developed, we entered into the shadowy silence of those oaks ourselves.

There were great companies of them, ponderous and swarthy, and—miracle of miracles!—beneath them, running like white flame over the dusk of the slopes and meadows, were unnumbered hosts of the fluttering shooting stars. The prodigal beauty, the untutored grace of those acres of bloom, spreading in a milky way against the green, as if literal stars in a firmament, made me ache with a delicious greed to gather every flower, to look into each separate little face and love it. Oh, to be able to sing the innocent, childish loveliness of them, as Wordsworth sang of his daffodils! Where is the Southern California poet who will accomplish the blessed task?

When we emerged from the oak grove, we found that dusk was farther away than we had supposed. The widened valley was spread out in generous lines before us, and in the near distance loomed the white buildings we had seen from above.

We followed along the arroyo instead of going all the way by the road, for Pepin had it in mind to show me the remains of two ancient furnaces, probably used by the padres of old in their brick-making, which he had noted there two years ago. A golden light filled the western sky, with the sun just below the mountain rim, and delicate sycamores were etched artistically against it.

And then it happened—the adventure I spoke of at the beginning as being always on the wait just around the corner.

Absorbed in my enjoyment of that great valley scene, with the dark oaks receding from the canyon floor like breakers from the sand, with the pale sycamores in a leafless group against the light, I suddenly realized the presence of a shape beneath the sycamores which before had been merged in with the pearly gray of gathering twilight—an incongruous, fantastical thing which made me feel as if walking in a midsummer night's dream.

My knees weakened under me. I staggered and gasped. I began to laugh wildly. I seemed divided between a disposition to drop dead and stay alive under the conviction that I was Alice in Wonderland.

And what was it beneath those sycamores in a California canyon?—a rattlesnake—a mountain lion—a wild cat?

Cross my heart and hope to die if it wasn't an elephant—a live, flabby, gray, swaying, trunk-squirming ELEPHANT! He was as big as a barn, looking right at us, and apparently roving at will.

It was like meeting a ghost risen from the Brea pit. Only, a decidedly substantial ghost.

Pepin, two steps ahead of me, did not see the beast until my incoherent articulations made him look around. We were then only about twenty feet from him. He was as noiseless as death, watching us with his wise little eyes. And he had a litter of broken straws all over his huge, wrinkled, infinitely old-looking back.

I was not for going a foot farther, for fear of being stepped on by one of those great cushiony feet, or embraced by that squirming proboscis. But Pepin looked more closely, and saw that the creature was chained by one hind foot. He would have to pull up the whole clump of sycamores before he could take after us.

So, still gasping with the dazed laughter of one awaking from an amazing and ludicrous dream, I followed Pepin. We chose a little path edging the arroyo and lying back of the houses, which we had now closely approached. Another small shed just in front of us overhung the arroyo.

We were gazing back fascinatedly upon the elephant, as we passed this shed, and when we turned the corner of it, we received our next shock. We came face to face with a brown bear. Honest to goodness, this is a true story I'm telling! But he was on a chain. And a bear produces only a mild shock after an elephant, anyway.

Then a collie dog came to meet us in friendly fashion, and he conducted us into the very midst of the jungle. There were silver wolves and coyotes and Eskimo dogs on one side of us, Indian and African leopards on the other—caged, to be sure, but still there. In short, we were in the menagerie of a motion-picture outfit, having innocently entered by the back door a domain whose front door does not open to the public except by special permission.

Well, we were there, and they couldn't do more than put us out again, so we looked around all we could. It being after hours, the place was almost deserted by humankind. We saw two keepers watering more beasts farther on, and asked their permission to watch, which was pleasantly granted.

These were the lions—a great shaggy Nubian lion and three or four lionesses. Each was being handed a drink of water in a sheet-iron frying-pan pushed under the edge of the cage bars. The lion came up to drink out of turn, in his lordly masculine way, and when the keeper sharply ordered him back, he merely stood there and petulantly wrinkled up his nose at him, and produced deep rumbling leonine swear words from some central part of his anatomy, the meaning of which was so clear it made me shudder. I'm thankful it wasn't Leo that we surprised under the sycamores! I fear there would have been no tale to tell, if it had been, or rather, no teller for the tale.

We crossed the yard to look upon the Siberian camels. This brought us within view of the elephant—"Bill"—again. He was placidly consuming a bale of hay, after having snapped the wires around it as if they had been twine. I'm glad I don't look like a bale of hay.

The camels were all—six of them—lying with their legs folded under them, as if they had been camp stools, their noses haughtily snuffing our presence, their long necks swaying like the bodies of serpents. We were, indeed, in a literal wonderland.

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The Metropolis of Southern Peru.

By Frank G. Carpenter.

A Look at Arequipa.

TO BE A TOURIST RESORT WHEN THE CANAL IS OPEN.

ITS TRADE IN WOOL AND MINING MACHINERY—A TOWN OF ONE-STORY HOUSES, WHERE THE STORES LOOK LIKE CAVES. WONDERFUL PRODUCTS OF THE CHILE RIVER VALLEY—HARVARD OBSERVATORY, ON MOUNT MISTI—WHAT IT HAS DONE FOR THE WORLD—UP THE ANDES FROM THE PORT OF MOLLENDO.

From Our Own Correspondent.

AREQUIPA (Peru.)—I am in the metropolis of Southern Peru. It is the city of Arequipa, situated 100 miles back from the Pacific Ocean, and perhaps 1600 miles south of the Panama Canal. The town is built in an oasis, made by the Chile River in the arid Andes of this Pacific Coast desert. It is surrounded by ragged dry mountains, but bedded in a valley of perpetual green. The city is a mile and a half higher than Philadelphia. Boston or Baltimore. It is about 7600 feet above the sea, and some of the mountains about it are four miles in height. Just behind it is the great volcano, Mt. Misti, which has a crater a half mile in diameter, and on the top of which Harvard College has established a sort of an automatic meteorological station which is more than three miles above Mt. Weather, Va. To the left of the Misti is Chachacani, over 20,000 feet high, and there are other Andean giants behind.

Indeed, there is no more beautifully located city anywhere in South America, and you will go far before you find one which is so fresh, so bright and so quaint. The houses of Arequipa look as though they had just come out of a bandbox. The most of them are of only one story. Their walls stand close to the streets, and these walls are of all colors of the rainbow. I bought my postage stamps today in a building that was the color of ashes of roses, I ate my breakfast in a restaurant painted sky-blue, and next door was a house of rose-pink. This morning I visited the new market of Arequipa. It consists of great walls of Spanish architecture surrounding a court roofed by the sun. The front of the market is as yellow as gold, and its inside as blue as the Andean skies that form a part of its roof. The surrounding buildings are of the same bright colors, and the whole seems to fit in with the gorgeous air of Southern Peru.

A Remarkable Market.

But come with me into the market. This will show us something of why the city of Arequipa has been built where it is. The wares all come from the valley of the Chile River, in which the city is situated. This valley has something like fifty square miles of cultivated land. It is a great oasis in the heart of the Andean Desert, and that on the road that leads from the sea to the mountains. The oasis makes Arequipa a great agricultural and fruit center, and also one for the raising of grain, alfalfa and cattle and sheep. As you go through the market you see everywhere evidences of the fertility of the soil and the wonderful climate. Nearly every fruit that can be raised in the United States is sold here. There are apricots, peaches, apples and plums and strawberries as big as walnuts. There are oranges and lemons, bananas and figs and bushels of paltas or alligator pears. There are green watermelons, as big around as the waist of your sweetheart, some of which have as red a flesh as any that ever made a darky's mouth water, and others with a flesh as yellow as gold, although the seeds are jet black.

In the vegetable quarters you find fully as great a variety. They are selling new potatoes and green corn. They have bright red tomatoes, white cauliflowers and great quantities of cabbage. They have also the yucca, sweet potatoes and yams. Peru is the home of the potato, and I understand that our Department of Agriculture has recently sent men here to get new varieties.

The valley in which Arequipa is situated raises great quantities of very fine barley. It has fields of alfalfa and pastures upon which are fed cattle and sheep. The city is the chief wool market of Peru. It imports vast quantities of alpaca and sheep's wool from Bolivia and the Peruvian plateau, and ships it to Europe and the United States. These shipments amount to more than 10,000,000 pounds weight every year, and they have a value perhaps of $2,500,000. The leading exporting houses of the city have their agents in all parts of the Andean plateau, and the wool is bought from the Indians and haciendados and sent to Lake Titicaca, from where it comes over the railroad to Arequipa. Some of it is consumed in the woolen mills here, but the majority of the product is sent abroad. Nearly all of the vicuna and alpaca wool passes through Arequipa.

Many Manufacturers.

Returning to the city itself, Arequipa is quite a manufacturing center. It makes harness and saddlery, boots and shoes, and it has large cotton mills. It has also the railroad shops of the Southern Railroad of Peru, which makes this place its headquarters. There are about 500 men employed there; they are now making their own passenger and freight cars, as well as all the repairs for the rolling stock.

The town also manufactures chocolate. It has a flour mill and it does a great deal of exporting and importing, being the center of trade for Southern Peru and also for a great part of Bolivia. The Southern Railway is the chief gateway to La Paz, and it will always compete with the other roads that go to and from Bolivia and the seacoast. It is on this account that Arequipa will probably be improved by the Panama Canal. The city is 100 miles from Mollendo, the chief port of the south for this part of the world. The landing is poor, however. The ships have to anchor far out from the shore and the swell is worse than that of Jaffa, which tossed Jonah's ship so that the sailors threw him out to the whale. The Mollendo landing is often so rough that passengers have to be taken up by steam cranes from the boats that bring them to the port from the steamer, and goods have to be put on and off of the launches by cranes. The ocean was tamer than usual when I came into port; but my boat went up and down eight or ten feet, and I had to make a flying leap, when it was on the up grade, to get to the steps that led to the custom-house.

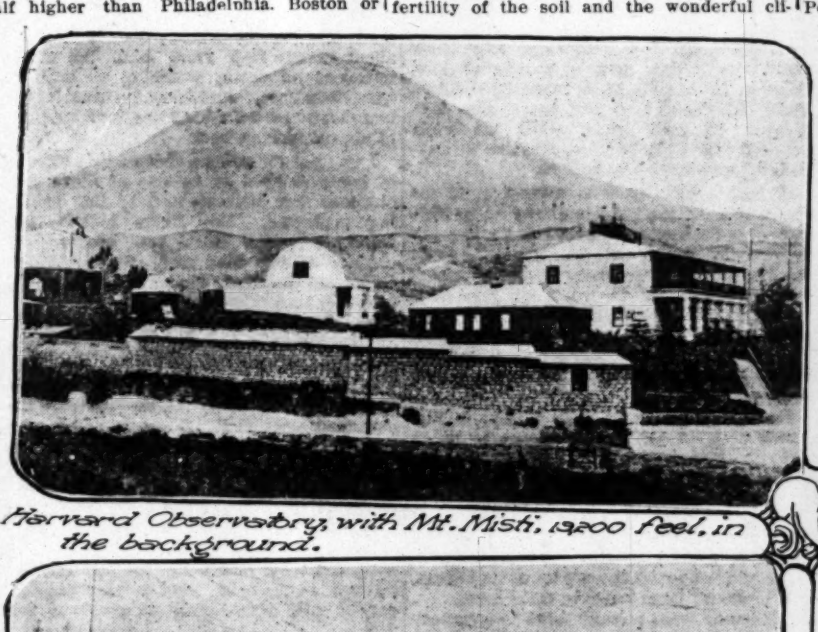
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With the completion of the canal Arequipa will become a tourist resort. It is a place for breaking the journey on the long ride up the Andes Mountains from the ocean to Lake Titicaca and Cusco, and it ought to have good hotels. The best of those it has now is kept by an Italian named Morosini, who quarters his guests on one side of the plaza and feeds them on the other side in a long, low, cave-like room which is known as the comedor, or dining-room. The food is good and the bedrooms are large, but there are no modern improvements and the sanitary arrangements are poor.

The Plaza and Environs.

From a sightseeing point I find Arequipa quite as interesting as Lima. It has a great cathedral, built of white stone, which must cover an acre or so of space. Its faces on the plaza, filling the whole of one side of the square. The three other sides are occupied by stores, more quaint than any in Europe. The buildings are of but one story, and in front of them extend the portales or corridors with huge cubes

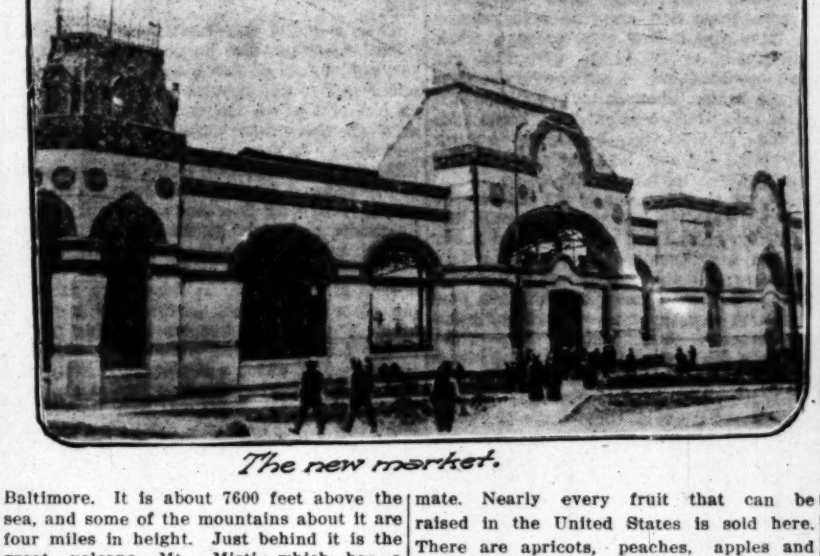
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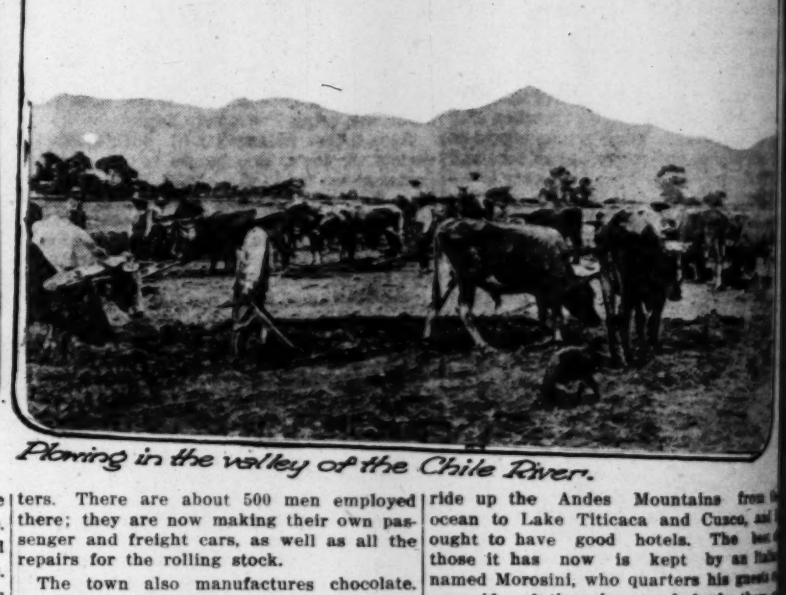
Harvard Observatory, with Mt. Misti, 19200 feet, in the background.



The cathedral, built of white stone.



The new market.



Plowing in the valley of the Chile River.

On the separate coat the cape has set its stamp of style. It suggests gallant knights who were willing to protect the pretty feet of their queens from the prosaic puddles, doesn't it? It is shorter than the others, and yet long enough for the

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Blanketing the World With Wireless.

By William Atherton Du Puy.

WONDERFUL WORK.

THE Federal government, through the Navy Department, is just now busy with the task of unrolling upon the earth its blanket of wireless communication which will enable the President, as commander-in-chief of the fleet, to sit at his desk in Washington and chat with the captains of his ships on all the seas of the world, and to move those ships in war emergencies as a chess player would shift his pawns.

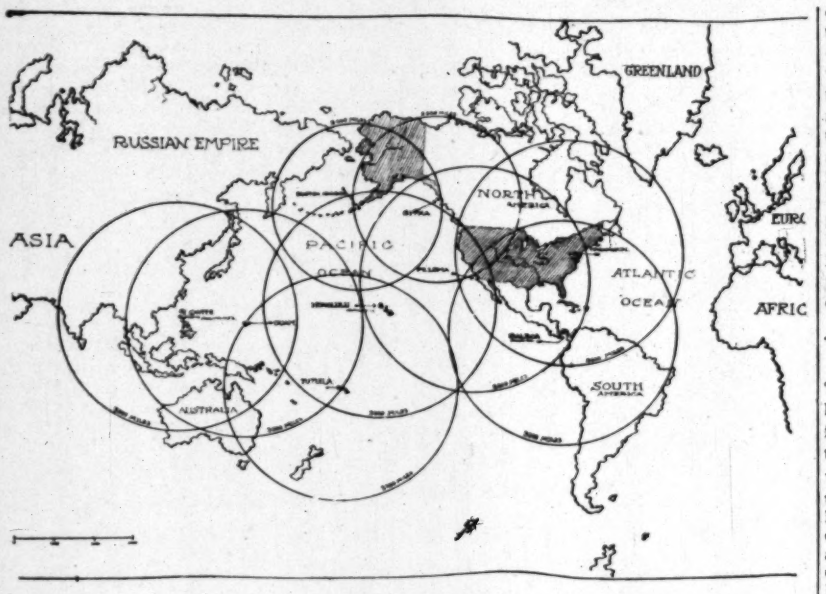
While the Navy Department is doing this, primarily, as a part of its work in preparedness for war, the benefits derived are largely those of peace and humanity. For, when the system is done, the great station at Arlington may pound out the warnings of storms at sea to ships of the Atlantic as far toward Europe as the Azores, may sift its warnings down upon all the tumultuous Caribbean, and reach the stations of the Pacific that its information may be relayed. The station at Panama may again send forth its messages that reach to Buenos Ayres and to Newfoundland. Hawaii may pick up the messages from the American mainland and reach out with them to the Aleutian islands at Alaska's tip, and to Fiji, south of the equator. Samoa may drive forth the announcements of the epoch-making events of the world and these may be picked off at any of the palm-studded islands of the South Pacific and read by those expatriates of all the nations of the world who are lolling their lives away in these lazy lands of romance. Guam may send forth her call to Japan and Australia and all that sprinkling of islands that lies between, including 2000 of the Philippine group that rest beneath the Stars and Stripes. Finally the station at Manila may take up the call and reach out with it to Bombay and to Vladivostok and give it the possibility of informing a billion men of the East.

This great network of stations may not merely hurl forth its messages of those events that are happening in the marts of the world. It will play, also, a listening part. It may pick up today the call for help of the ship that is stuck on some reef and may be able to direct other ships to the scene. It may tell the story of some volcanic cataclysm that has brought starvation to an isolated people. It may direct a rescue party in its search for Arctic explorers sailed into a world of ice.

For, since the world began, there has never been anything like radio for the sending of messages broadcast, nor for gathering in calls from the ends of the earth. Heretofore telegraph wires and cables have sent their messages along single lines for great distances. Other wires may have tapped into the circuit and picked off messages. These may have straggled out and burst lines of communication that streaked a continent as a lightning flash does the sky. But always were they dependent upon wires, man-made wires that stretched from point to point.

But here is set up a system that may have a single station as its center. One man may sit in this station and operate a key that brings together the electric poles that launch a message into the void. That message hurls itself instantaneously from this center as a ripple spreads from the point where a stone falls into a placid pool. For 3000 miles it reaches in every direction, making a circle with a diameter twice as great. It covers one-fourth of the surface of the entire globe. There is not an acre in all that stretch where the message might not be received were an instrument set up that is suited to the task. Radio pours forth its flashes as impartially as the sun its floods of light.

The development of this remarkable method of communication has come about since the year 1900. Europe had been busy with experiments during the closing years of the past century but it was not until 1899 that wireless was demonstrated in America. In that year Marconi brought several sets of his apparatus to this country and it was first used in reporting international yacht races for a metropolitan newspaper. The Navy Department was asked to observe this demonstration of the possibilities of wireless telegraphy, and its specially appointed



board later reported upon it with enthusiasm.

Following the report of this board the department placed two ships, the armored cruiser New York and the battleship Massachusetts, and a torpedo boat, at the disposal of Mr. Marconi for further experiments. A short station was established at Highland Lights, near the entrance of the harbor of New York. This was the first station on American soil and these vessels of the navy were the first to string wires among their masts for the launching of this sort of message.

The torpedo station at Newport installed a system the same year. Studies of the various systems continued through 1902 and in 1903 twenty sets of the arc system of apparatus were purchased and installed. So successful were they that in the following year it was decided that the entire coast-line should be covered with stations. The great stations at Pensacola and Key West were established. So rapid was the growth of the new method of communication in this country that by June, 1906, despite its late start, the United States had in operation more than half of the radio installations of the world.

As the ability to reach greater distances was developed many of the stations on the Atlantic Coast were abandoned. Stations were established on the Pacific Coast at Point Loma, Mare Island, Puget Sound and other points. It was at about this time that the Point Loma station picked up messages that were being sent between the U.S.S. Connecticut, in Cuba, and the Pensacola station, and the ultimate possibilities began to dawn. The small station at Juniper, Fla., one day picked up a message that had originated in Alaska. Likewise did a torpedo boat, cruising in the Pacific, listen to the send of a station on an office building on Broadway.

At about this time, also, stations were being established along the Alaskan coast and were displacing the cable. From Sitka and Cordova and Kodiak the blanket came to be unrolled and through the long night of the northern winter these stations sent forth bulletins that were picked up by those towns of the inland that had long suffered a half year isolation. Circle City, a thousand miles in the interior, put up its receiving apparatus and learned of the happenings of the outside world. Fairbanks, on the Yukon, listened for the glimmers of news; Rampart, and St. Michaels and Nome, became news oases of the north.

It was at about this time that the government began to see the possibilities of a series of great stations that should enable Washington to keep in touch with its fleet at any point in the world where there was any probability of its being sent. It looked over the map with the idea of seeing how its accidental possessions would fit into a scheme of station arrangement that would reach all the seas.

It found that Key West and Panama extended its reach far to the south and blanketed all of Latin America except, possibly, its remotest point, and all the waters round-about. It found that Hawaii was in convenient radio reach of San Francisco and practically covered, with a 3000-mile radius, the near Pacific. Samoa was in easy reach of Hawaii and made an excellent post for the South Pacific, but Guam was a bit hard to reach from either Hawaii or Samoa, as it was at a distance that was without the circle of easy communication under all conditions. With the prospective increases in distance that might be covered, the gap between Hawaii and Guam was not taken as over long and it was figured that a scout ship might cruise between and act as relay if necessary. Guam to the Philippines was an easy step and these two stations took care of all the Far East. In fact the United States was particularly fortunate in possessing territory so well distributed.

It was with these stations in mind that the contracts were let in 1909 for the erection of the first great station at Arlington, just across the Potomac from Washington. In building this station the government refused to follow the designs of any of the commercial companies that were making similar installations at various points. One of these companies constructs a tower with antenna extending from it in the form of an umbrella. Another builds a network of wires that cover twenty and thirty acres from low towers. The navy design determined on for Arlington called for three towers, one 600 feet high and the others 450 feet, with the antenna extending from one to the other.

When this great station was completed, in 1912, it was found to be possible to communicate with all points between Cuba and Newfoundland with certainty equal to that of the telegraph. Under most conditions San Diego and Mare Island, on the Pacific Coast, were in ready reach. Panama chatted freely, Manaos, Brazil, soon reported that it picked up the Arlington signals every night. On certain occasions Arlington was able to catch the sending of the station at Hawaii, in the mid-Pacific. French scientists, during 1913-1914, came to Arlington and each night signals were interchanged with Eiffel tower, in Paris. Twice a day, time signals were sent out from Washington and it was shown that these might be picked up by ships on more than half the North Atlantic. Soon the amateurs inland began picking off these time signals and setting their clocks by them. Then a cheap receiving set was put on the market and these were purchased by individuals and corporations interested in the correct time and the Arlington station found itself regulating half the clocks in the nation. So did new opportunities for usefulness present themselves where they were least expected.

The construction of high-powered radio stations was an art so new at the time that the Arlington plant was installed that there is little surprise that some material defects were found. Chief among these was the discovery that the towers had been placed too close together. They were but 350 and 400 feet apart. The discovery of the advantage of a greater distance between these towers led to a change in the plans for the great station at Panama which is the next to be built. Here the distances settled upon are from 850 feet to 915 feet. From the beginning the government determined to build one station at a time that it might profit each time by the experience previously gained. So will the Panama, the San Diego, the Hawaii, the Guam and the Philippine stations, each be better than its predecessor.

The World's Most Famous Dancing School.

[Havelock Ellis, in February Atlantic:] There can scarcely be a doubt that Egypt has been for many thousands of years, as indeed it still remains, a great dancing center, the most influential dancing school the world has ever seen, radiating its influence to south and east and north. We may perhaps even agree with the historian of the dance, who terms it "the mother-country of all civilized dancing." We are not entirely dependent on the ancient wall-pictures of Egypt for our knowledge of Egyptian skill in the art. Sacred mysteries, it is known, were danced in the temples, and queens and princesses took part in the orchestras that accompanied them. It is significant that the musical instruments still peculiarly associated with the dance were originated or developed in Egypt; the guitar is an Egyptian instrument, and its name was a hieroglyphic already used when the Pyramids were being built; the cymbal, the tambourine, triangles and castanets, in one form or another, were all familiar to the ancient Egyptians, and with the Egyptian art of dancing they must have spread all round the shores of the Mediterranean, the great focus of our civilization, at a very early date. Even beyond the Mediterranean, at Cadiz, dancing that was essentially Egyptian in character was established, and Cadiz became the dancing school of Spain. The Nile and Cadiz were thus the two great centers of ancient dancing, and Martial mentions them both together, for each supplied its dancers to Rome.

In Stock.

[Philadelphia Ledger:] There is a proprietor of a shop in the city, a man of most excitable temperament, who is forever scolding his clerks for their indifference in the matter of possible sales.

One day, hearing a clerk say to a customer: "No, we have not had any for a long time," the proprietor, unable to countenance such an admission, began to work himself into the usual rage. Fixing a glassy eye on the clerk, he said to the customer:

"We have plenty in reserve, ma'am; plenty downstairs."

Whereupon the customer looked dazed; and then to the amazement of the proprietor burst into hysterical laughter and quit the shop.

"What did she say to you?" demanded the proprietor to the clerk.

"We haven't had any rain lately."

Only a Slight Reduction Desired.

[Lippincott's:] A surgeon at Johns Hopkins Hospital is fond of stories in which the joke is on the doctor. He tells this one.

One patient fancied there was something the matter with his heart. His physician made a cursory examination which disclosed a large swelling in the patient's cardiac region.

"There certainly appears to be an extraordinary swelling right here," said the doctor, tapping with his finger on the patient's side. "We must reduce this at once."

Whereupon a faint smile appeared on the patient's worried countenance. "Oh, doctor," he exclaimed, "that swelling is my pocketbook. Please don't reduce it too much!"

England's Land Question.

[Indianapolis News:] It is stated that there is not a member of the House of Lords who does not own one thousand or more acres. None of the landowners is a real farmer, but all rent their land in small lots, generally on long leases, to men who make the most of it. It is not uncommon for one family to live on a rented farm for more than a hundred years.

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Stories the Children Hear in Ireland.

By Amanda Mathews.

IRISH FOLK TALES.

THE stories here given had to be coaxed for. It was summer when I was in Donegal. The last rays of weird yellow sunlight lingered in my room until half past nine in the evening and I could read without a candle till nearly ten. The neighbors worked late in their fields. It is when winter darkness causes families to gather about their peat fires at four in the afternoon that the old tales are brought forth. My begging for them in summer time was most unseasonable. Irish hearts are warm, however, and my pleading was not in vain; so that I had "the-full-of-me-arms" of tales before I left.

These narrations vary greatly and yet fall into certain rather distinct types. One well-marked class is that centering about a clash of wits. And if there is a landlord in the story, he is sure to be worsted in the encounter. Here is the famous "Rafferty" instance.

"A very rich landlord come over from England to make himself known to his tenants. Hearin' that one of them was very witty, he was thinkin' to play a trick on this man. So he goes to Rafferty's house.

"'Some of your neighbors do be tellin' me ye are witty,' he says.

"'It's not for me to contradict them,' says Rafferty.

"'If ye answer me three questions, I'll be givin' ye a farm of land as long as water runs and grass grows."

"'That's a very good offer,' says Rafferty.

"'I'll be back tomorra at this time and if ye cannot answer, your wit is in vain.'

"'May I have the pleasure of knowin' the questions now?' asks Rafferty.

"So the landlord tells him.

"'What is the weight of the moon?'

"'How many leaves in yonder forest?'

"'What do I be thinkin'?'

"'Very good, your honor,' says Rafferty, 'I will do me best.'

"Rafferty had a neighbor who was a tinsmith and they put their two heads together. They resembled each other like twin brothers. So the landlord was comin' about the house the next mornin' askin' his questions.

"'What be's the weight of the moon?'

"'A hundred weight, your honor.'

"'Nonsense, man," says the landlord.

"'There be's four quarters in it and that equals a hundred weight.'

"'Grantin' that, how about the leaves of yon forest?'

"'One billion six hundred trillion forty-four millions and an odd leaf.'

"'I've been to college,' says the landlord, 'and never was studyin' such figures.'

"'More shame to your head master,' says Rafferty. 'If he does not believe, let him be countin' them.'

"'It's no matter for ye cannot answer me third,' says the landlord.

"'I can just. Ye do be thinkin' ye are talkin' to Rafferty and it's to the tinker, begorra.' Then Rafferty walks in sayin' his thanks for the land which he had fairly won off the landlord."

Here is another in which the wit of a woman is eulogized:

"There was once a great builder of palaces and castles who had a son almost as smart as himself. He was wantin' to see this son married before his own time come to die, knowin' what a blessin' is a good woman. Some people do be choosin' a wife for her riches and some for her beauty, but this man wanted one that was wise.

"The old man had a servant kill and skin a sheep. Then he told his son to take the skin to the fair and bring back the skin and the price of it. So the son done that same and everybody at the fair was laughin' at him.

"At last a young girl come who offered to buy the hide on these terms. She got a pair of shears and cut off all the wool, paid him for the wool and give him back the skin.

"When he come home to his father, the old man was that delighted he sent for the girl to come to his house only she must not come in the day nor in the night, and she must not come by the road nor across the fields and not to come alone nor to have anyone with her. This seemed a hard message but the girl was equal for it. She come in the twilight when it was nayther day nor night. She walked nayther on the roads nor in the fields, but on the tops of fences that ran along the roads. And she had no person with her, but she took a dog so that she was not alone.

"The old man was very pleased, for he seen what a clever girl she was. The son married her and they lived very happy until they died."

The next story is the exact opposite, being a narrative of woman's folly. Every folklore has its accounts of foolish wives; but what can exceed the aggravating depths of simplicity herein revealed?

"There was a miller's apprentice who was paid only with some of the meal they ground in the mill. He was very poor and he married a young woman who was very foolish. They rented a small cottage and garden. They were not long married when one night the apprentice brought home a bag of meal sufficient to do them many weeks. Next morning the woman went to the bag for some meal, when she happened to drop a pin into the bag, and as she could not find it, she took the bag up to the top of a little hill near by and began to sift till she let all the meal away with the wind and did not find the pin.

"When her husband come home at night he observed the ground all white and thought it must have been snowin' but his wife was soon tellin' him what had happened.

"'Oh, unfortunate cratur,' says he, 'we have nothin' now for the gray shade of winter except a gold brooch left me by my mother.'

"Next day when the apprentice was workin' at the mill, an old gray beggar happened to call at the house. The wife asked him—'Was he the gray shade of winter?'

"'I'm gray enough, begorra,' says he.

"'Well, if ye are, I have somethin' good for ye,' says she, and with that she gives him the gold brooch.

"When her husband come home she was tellin' him the story.

"'Oh, unfortunate cratur,' says he, 'now we can only live so long as we have the meat of the calf along with the cabbages in the garden.'

"Next day when the apprentice went to his work, the wife killed the calf and put a small piece of its flesh on every cabbage head in the garden but she did not tell her husband. That night he was wakened by a turrible noise. We went out and found a great number of dogs was fightin' over the meat which they devoured and also destroyed the cabbages by rollin' on them. When he come in, his wife was awake and told him what she had done.

"In the morning he was for going away by himself to be rid of her, but she followed him. They come to a place where three women was tryin' to put a cow up on the roof of a house to eat the long grass which was growing on it. The miller's apprentice was watchin' them for long and at last asked them could they not cut the grass and give it to the cow below. They said, 'We never was thinkin' of that, begorra.'

"The husband saw there was women in the world far foolisher than his wife, so he went back home. It is said this little travel did learn the woman a lesson and she had more sense afterward."

Sometimes the stories are merely wonder tales like the old nursery classics. Here is one which has some points in common with "Hop-o-my-thumb:"

"Once three sisters was goin' on a visit to their friend's house. They had another sister, too, whose name was Kitty, but they did not want her to go. She would not stay at home for them. When they were a bit from the house, they saw Kitty coming along behind them. They stopped and tied poor Kitty to a tree with a rope.

"They went on again. When they were off a good piece, they looked back and saw Kitty and the tree coming behind them. They stopped and this time they tied her to a very big stone. When they traveled on, what was their wonder to see Kitty and the big stone coming after them, so this time they agreed to her company and all went on together till night overtook them.

"They had to take lodgings in a house with two old women who had three young daughters. The old women put Kitty's three sisters and their own three daughters into one room and Kitty by herself in another. She heard the old women plan to kill her sisters and they was to know them from their daughters by them having no bracelets like their daughters.

"Kitty slipped in and changed the bracelets so the old women killed their own daughters. Then she waked the sisters and they went off that place. They came to a river where ducks was swimmin'. Kitty had saved her supper and gave it to the ducks to help them across the river.

"When they was crossed over, they met a big house with a man living his lone in it who was promising Kitty a bag of gold if she would return and steal a golden hen off the wicked old women. So the ducks was helping her back and she got the hen from the hen-house. The old women saw her and cried: 'The death of our three daughters and the stealing of our golden hen on you!' But Kitty cared little for them and made off with the hen and got her bag of gold.

"After that she was stealin' their golden rooster to please the man and be earning another bag of gold for herself. The last time she went back was for a golden quilt. This time they caught her and shut her up in the wood-box and went for a flail to thrash her good. The two hags had their little old mother, a wee, aged woman, and Kitty was putting her into the wood-box and running off with the quilt. So the old women found they was thrashing their mother and pulled out of the wood-box in a terrible state."

The fairy story, of course, has a large place in Irish folklore. The tales of encounter between the fairies and the people run into hundreds and thousands. Sometimes the human beings are better off for the adventure and sometimes worse. The entirely freakish nature of the fairies in bestowing favor or harm is charmingly illustrated in the following:

"There lived in the parish of Rosses a man named Jack who had a hump on his back, poor cratur. He was always wishin' to be meetin' the fairies, thinkin' he might induce them to be takin' the hump off him. Many times was he hearin' the fairy music but never was they revealin' themselves to poor Jack.

"It come to pass that two women of the parish died the same day. That night Jack went for the cows and half way across the field who did he meet, picture, but the two women! They was movin' away but he followed them till they vanished out of his sight altogether. He went on till he heard the fairy music louder than ever before. He followed it to a spink (steep rock.)

"Jack listened at the spink and the fairies inside was singin':

"'Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,'

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"From the outside Jack called in 'And Thursday, too.'

"The fairies inside heard him and said, 'Who is helping us to make our song longer?'

"A little man with a red cap came out and led Jack into the spink. The fairies was dancing and singing until you would be tired lookin' at them and the two women who had died was knittin' in a corner. The little red man who had took Jack in come up and hit him with a wee rod and the hump was gone off him and he was a fine young man as anybody would want to see. The little man told him to shut his eyes. When he opened them he was at home. The neighbors was all askin' how the hump come off him. He would tell none of them except a man with a hump like his own in the other time. Him he told, thinkin' to get him rid of it.

"The poor man was very glad. He run to the spink and heard the fairies singin'.

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"'Who is makin' our song too long?' cried the fairies inside. He was fetched in but he saw nothin' only big seas, rivers and lakes. He was thrown into the seas and tossed every way till he was worn out. Then they clapped Jack's hump on top of his own and sent him home, the unfortunate cratur of the world."

This next story has no great wit nor point if read alone and with a critical mind. But imagine it being rattled off by the story-teller beside the peat fire with the whole circle rocking in laughter at each fresh discomfiture of the greedy, stupid, untruthful smith, and thus sauced it becomes a manual of wit.

"There was once a smith who had a wife and two old women was livin' with them. One day a fairy come into the forge and asked the smith would he let him work at his anvil and the smith said he would. The fairy led in his horse and took off its feet and throwed them into the fire and when they was burned, he took them out and made new ones of them and put them on the horse again. The fairy told the smith to do nothin' he seen him do and the smith said he wouldn't.

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"Some time after, the smith heard of a lady bein' sick, so he went to the house and done like he seen the fairy do, but he could not get her head back on and was thinkin' to be hanged. He called to the fairy that he might have the shoes but the fairy was not comin'. He called that he would be givin' him all the gold and the horse and the two young women. Then the fairy come laughin' and sayin', he was nothin' but for the smith to learn and never do as he did any more and the smith said he wouldn't."

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"The three went to crossroads and each man went a road for himself. The cripple man come to a house and asked for work and a lodgin'. The man who lived in the house was after tellin' him that if he would stay all night in a house across the road he would be givin' him a crock o' gold in the morning.

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"'Stop makin' your faces with me,' says the cripple, or I will come down and break your neck!'

"The ghost began to gibber like to scare you dead but the cripple was not afraid.

"'If ye give me more of your old chat,' says he, 'I'll go down to ye and put ye out! Come up here and smoke a pipe by the fire,' and the cripple give him a pipe out of his pocket.

"So the ghost was smokin' like a Christian, only he would be puttin' lights out of his mouth between draws. The black men come for him and he had to go. In the mornin' the cripple got his gold and went home rich while his brothers traveled far and far, comin' home poorer than they went."

The Irish peasants believe that terrible monsters inhabit lonely lakes and bays. One of these is known as a "water hound." It has a horn on its nose and with this horn it can split rocks. About eighty years ago, they will tell you at Bunbeg, a man named Dubgeon was herding cattle on a lonely island off the Gweedore Coast. He lived in a little sod house without a door. He had no one with him except his good dog. One night a "water hound" came and for hours his dog fought it away from him until at dawn both dog and monster lay dead.

Among the comparatively modern tales, one gets occasional fragments of the old Gaelic mythology. This concluding tale did not, however, come from the memories of the old folks. It was told me by dear little Mary Anne Duffy, my dearest child chum in Ireland and the heroine of my Donegal stories. And she read it in Gaelic at the National School. It is a familiar classic, one of the most delightful and beautiful of Gaelic myths. There is an artless charm in Mary Anne's version, which is my excuse for repeating it here as my concluding tale.

"One time there was a man named Lir who wanted a wife, so he thought about going to the home of a friend. When he came in there were three young daughters sitting on three chairs.

"Lir said he was wanting a wife and the father asked which would he take. Lir said he would take the oldest, so the next day they got married, and lived together. They were not long married till they had four of a family, three sons and one daughter. So Lir and his wife loved these four and were very fond of them.

"The mother died and Lir was very sorry. He went back for another daughter and brought the second and they were married. They were not long married until the wife took a hatred to the children because she thought her husband loved them better than her.

"One day she led them to the bank of the river and told the boatman to kill them, but he would not; so she touched the four of them with a magic rod and they turned into four white swans. The oldest of them asked how long would they spend on the waters. She said they would spend 900 years. They went out on the sea. Some nights they thought they would be lost.

"Then when the 900 years were up, the church bells were ringing and their suffering was over. A saint touched them and turned them into three old men and an old woman. Soon the four died and went to Heaven."

Memories of Many Genuses.

By Meredith Nugent.

BOHEMIA.

THERE are no stupid people in Bohemia, the only place in this world where they are not very plentiful. There are no laws in Bohemia, because laws are not needed there. Every last Bohemian of them does as he pleases, and they are the only inhabitants on this whizzing terrestrial that can be trusted to do so.

Bohemians are all geniuses, without exception all geniuses; and if their fates steer them clear of various lunatic asylums they may ultimately achieve fame. Some wind the laurel wreath while they are still living, and some do not obtain it till long after they are dead. And this is the firm boundary line dividing common folk and geniuses; the genius can raise a rumpus when he is materially no more, the others of us can't peep even when once we've passed the undertaker.

There used to be a lot of Bohemians in the youthful magazine days, those late seventies and early eighties, when the only illustrated magazines were Harper's, Scribner's, and St. Nicholas. Then the pictured monthlies were a treat to be looked for. Then, startling as it may sound in this self-satisfied twentieth century, the illustrations were frequently better than the best of today. The work of Edwin A. Abbey was an "event" in those years, and awaited with an interest now quite inconceivable. Abbey as an illustrator will in final estimation eclipse Abbey the mural decorator, or even Abbey the court painter to His Majesty of Great Britain. Charles S. Rhinehart, a contemporary of Abbey's, was another of the giants; and the work of these two made old Harper's famous.

I was only a boy when I met Abbey in his studio, and yet my strongest impression of that well-remembered first visit is his pointing out to me the pains he took with his work. Indeed studio gossip had it that he spent more for costumes and model hire than he received for his pictures, and this is easily quite believable when one studies his drawings.

Abbey as a Bohemian was second to none in popularity, and this popularity crossed the ocean with him to England. When Edward VII commissioned him to paint the official coronation picture, it might easily have caused heartburnings among his many confreres in London; that it did not in the slightest, attests vividly to the good fellowship of this talented and charming American. The last I saw of Abbey was in his studio in Kensington—I think it was in Kensington—where he was busily pen-and-inking the finale of his famous ballad series.

Those were the days, too, of William Hamilton Gibson, that virile citizen of Brooklyn, one of the first "nature" contributors to the magazines, and the very first of the pictorial "nature" contributors. He was the father of the modern popular "nature" writer, the creator, I might say, of the present-day enthusiasm for nature study. One of the hardest of workers, he was one of the most genuine lovers of fun I have ever met with anywhere. Indeed he seemed eternally on a frolic, and I have known him to fool away an entire day with his nonsense, and then to make up for it by working all night. He was a large, portly, dignified man, and the last person in the world one would suspect of being a "cut up." That first blow-gun of his! That three-foot length of glass tubing he purchased somewhere down on Bleeker street! For a week our windows were open, and if Gibson or some other occupant of the studio was not peppering the truck drivers on Broadway for the whole of that time I fail to remember it. When Gibson discovered a hollow length of bamboo in which to conceal his glass tube, his joy was complete. Then the dignified portly gentleman would sally forth with this shining walking cane loaded always with a pellet, a hard little clay pellet! "Biff!" something would strike a citizen's back hairs. Only the stout gentleman to be seen walking behind; where in the world could it have come from? "Biff!" Probably a Wall street broker got it this time, and threatened savagely to "lambaste" some wicked little messenger boys. "Biff!" A driver of a truck would haul up and swear as his horses at the pole turned at imperiling right angles. The gentleman with the cane sucked the head of it serenely, and looked wonderingly at the disturbance so wholly unaccounted for.

One Sunday afternoon I ran across Gibson as he was walking out to the park. Just ahead of us was a woman of aristocratic bearing with her two beautifully dressed youngsters. "Ouch!" suddenly yelled one of them; "something hit me on the leg!" And it turned down its little sock to find the black and blue place. "Gerald" was at last comforted, and the aristocratic Brooklynite resumed her stately stroll. "Ouch!" cried the other youngster; "something hit me, too, mamma!" Nobody in sight but two well behaved beings, one of whom carried a cane of shiny bamboo.

On another occasion, in Prospect Park, this same Gibson spied a fine bird's nest which was "just what I need for that illustration for Harper's." Now to pluck even the smallest wild flower in Prospect Park was a crime for which the park cop pounced on one quickly. To steal a bird's nest—well, the penalty in my youthful days seemed awfully like a capital punishment. Anyway Gibson "swiped" it, and the cop didn't see him either. But Gibson well knew that before he could get that bird's nest out of the park some cop would surely see that he was mightily in possession of it. So Gibson redoubled the offense. He picked a huge bouquet of buttercups, daisies and other wild flowers, added a sprinkling of leaves artistically arranged, and placed the stolen bird's nest right in the center of this. Then the large portly gentleman so scrupulously dressed in black, marched with great dignity by all the police without once attracting suspicion.

About this time reproductions of Gabriel Max's celebrated picture of Christ appeared in the shop windows. The chief interest of this picture—entitled "Life in Death"—is the well painted illusion of closed eyes seeming as if opened. The material eyes really are closed, and in death; but the spiritual eyes look at you through the remains of the lifeless ones, with a tenderness of beauty belonging only to the divine. Gibson bought one of these reproductions, for he admired the picture greatly; not so much as a work of art as for the ingenuity of its conception. Then during one of his hilarious outbursts—which were so many lulls from hard work—Gibson placed a looking-glass on his work table and rather excitedly sat down before it. We knew instinctively every one of us, that Gibson had an idea, and when Gibson had an idea the result was worth waiting for. Closing one of his eyes tightly Gibson painted an eye on the shut lid with water color. Then he closed the other eyelid and painted an eye on that also. When Gibson opened his eyes wide not the faintest line could be seen of the water color optics. Gibson waited—strenuously waited, I might say, for he was all of a quiver—for the next caller. Within a very few minutes the much-wished-for caller knocked at the door—one of the naturalists from the Smithsonian Institution if I remember rightly—and Gibson and he were soon engaged in earnest conversation. Then suddenly, and without veering from the subject of his talk in the slightest, Gibson closed both his eyes. Not if I should live for 10,000 years will I ever forget that naturalist's expression when again he looked at Gibson. With a half-startled gasp he convulsively grasped Gibson's hands, thinking his friend was taken ill, and there is no imagining what he would have done further had Gibson not roared exultingly over the success of his joke.

For some time Gibson fed his humor with this startling apparition of those painted eyes. He'd close his real eyes on the cars as he was riding up town to the horror of the passengers opposite. He'd drive an editor into fits and temporarily cause the suspension of the making of a magazine with his water-color optics. He surely scared the negro janitor so that he nearly gave up his job.

When Gibson and James Beard, the animal artist, occupied a studio together, nonsense reached its zenith. What Gibson could not think of, Beard could, and vice versa. Beard liked to draw his animals from nature if he could get nature, and he liked whenever possible to get that nature in the studio. But sometimes these models escaped, and sometimes they were permitted to escape. The cub bear stole into the hallway one afternoon and held up the top flight of stairs, besides causing a panic on the others. A three-foot alligator waddled down among the law offices on another occasion, not a very terrifying animal at all to one familiar with wild life, but to the patent-leathered occupants of what was then a Broadway skyscraper, quite a formidable reptile indeed.

Had both men not been so very well known they would undoubtedly have been evicted from the premises. As it was their skylarkings were overlooked by the various tenants as necessary offshootings of the genus "contributor." The Irish policeman on Broadway, where Dey and John intersect it, was not so kindly lenient. He objec to the paper parachutes whizzing down from our high windows, and to one mechanism especially, a contrivance of Gibson's. It was a little hard on the Italian lemonade vender immediately below us, I'll admit that. The big bowl of yellow juice centered with a floating iceberg did not appreciate in value when our aeroplanes dropped into it. The appearance of the beverage was apt to be marred by a wreckage of sinking newspaper. Passengers on buses did not altogether like us either, and drivers of numerous vehicles forgot there were "women present" when an airship of the daily news grazed the noses of their skittish horses.

Gibson and Henry Ward Beecher were very warm friends, and on occasions that are memorable, the great preacher strolled in. And this calls to mind a Beecher story Gibson told me which I have never seen in print. One fine summer morning Beecher told his new coachman to drive down to the railroad station and bring home Mrs. Beecher, who was expected on the next train. After a while the coachman returned, and without Mrs. Beecher. "Why, where is Mrs. Beecher?" said the surprised Henry Ward.

"She wasn't there!" said the coachman.

"She wasn't there!"

"No, sir!" with emphasized positiveness.

"Who got off the train?"

"Nobody got off, sir!"

"Didn't anybody get off the train at all?"

"No, sir, nobody got off!" And then as proof of this statement "James" surlily added: "Nobody got off but a little old woman!"

"Well, you just drive down and bring that little old woman right up here!" said Mr. Beecher with considerable warmth, and before very long, Mrs. Beecher, tired and dusty, had reached her summer home again.

In the early magazine days nearly all of the illustrators were congregated within a stone's throw of historic St. Paul's church. Those were the days, too, when illustrations were drawn altogether on boxwood blocks to be afterward engraved by wood engravers, or should I say murdered by wood engravers. If the illustration was a large one—a double page, for instance—the drawing was made on a "block" composed of a number of smaller ones securely bolted together. Then if this were needed in a hurry, the great "block" was unbolted apart, and the much-divided drawing distributed among wood engravers of divers and awful talents. The result? All I can say is, God be thanked there are no such results nowadays.

Of course Paris was—and is more or less so today—the great stronghold of Bohemia—Paris of the Latin Quarter. There Bohemia is a necessity, and not simply an excuse for ludicrous behavings. Genius somehow takes a shine to the possessors of flat pocketbooks, as if she would seek her destruction rather than her full flowering. Adversity is the soil on which she least thrives, and yet how frequently she lights on this soil where her lot is the hardest. Riches she must have, and leisure, a whole life of leisure; and Bohemianism at its base is the sublime renunciation of all the material things of life in order that this leisure may be obtained. The Bohemian is an aristocrat of aristocrats, he needs must be. Who more independent than he? Who more scornful of the moneylust, or of the mere creature comforts of life?

"Ninety-nine per cent. perspiration and 1 per cent. inspiration." The man who made this remark concerning genius, whoever that man may be, has himself just 1 per cent. inspiration and not one bit more; or if more fortunately blessed, is, in the words of Nietzsche, "Guilty of a noble hypocrisy." Genius is love. The soul feels itself filled

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who depend for livelihood on the sea commerce of the port. Admiral Fletcher exerted extreme efforts toward the resumption of work along the wharves, not only as vital in the restoration of public confidence, but to prevent privation among the laborers and their families, who were in danger of actual want.

thus force him out the President will do so, but he will not take any aggressive action in that direction.

WEALTHY MEXICAN, CAUGHT SNIPING, SHOT.

[BY MEXICAN CABLE AND A. P.]

In the Wake of Sinbad the Sailor.

By Frederick Simpich.

UP ANCIENT TIGRIS.

BASSORAH, the odd Moslem town that stands knee-deep in the mud of the Tigris delta, may be called the back-door of the Turkish Empire. Through it surges each year thousands of Sunni Moslems of India, on their way to pray at the famous shrines of Kerbela and Nedjef.

After the day's quarantine at Mohammerah you take a "bellum," a long narrow skiff manned by naked Arabs, for the run through the winding delta to Bassorah. At nightfall a soft wind blows in from the sea, and the moonlit sail upstream, between dense forests of date palms is like a ride through fairyland. You are swept past countless high-pooped "baggalas"—the very type of junk-like craft that old Sinbad sailed when he roved this same great stream from Bagdad, so long ago.

Marco Polo, too, found the Tigris a beautiful stream, but thought it the river Volga. Alexander the Great, with his 10,000 Greeks and herds of elephants, passed up this river on his return from a conquered East. "Zandar," the Arabs pronounce his name, and he still lives in their traditions at a first-class fighting man. Tradition says that Alexander also visited the famous "Abbre Sec" near Khudran, Persia, described by Marco Polo as the "Speaking Trees;" and that Alexander kissed these trees and asked them what his future luck might be, and the Sun Tree replied, "Thou shalt be the King of the world, but thou shalt never revisit Macedonia." And he did not, for he died at Babylon. Early writers seem to have mixed this historical tree up with the accursed fig tree of Biblical times.

City Without Hotels.

Bassorah has no hotels; though a city of 75,000, so few travelers have visited it, till lately, that there has been no need for a hotel. So I put up for the night with the American Consular Agent—an Englishman whose main business was to buy dates for a New York firm. A few years ago this same American firm introduced the "cornering" custom into Bassorah, to the profound consternation of competing firms, and now each year it fixes the price which shall be paid the Arabs for their dates.

Bassorah, like Manila, is sometimes styled the "Venice of the East," by reason of its numerous canals and the graceful craft which singing boatmen pole about. Most people own a boat, and go from place to place by water; few carriages are seen, as no good roads exist.

Fever, insidious and persistent, is the scourge of all these gulf cities; no white men remain for long at a time in Bassorah. One writer says: "This city is one of the hottest and most unhealthy in the whole Turkish Empire. The population is almost exclusively Mohammedan. The few European merchants and representatives of foreign governments who live as a small colony by themselves along the west bank of the Shat-el-Arab, outside the city proper, suffer more or less from fever and the enervating influence of the oppressive climate. An occasional ride into the desert, with its bracing air, and the hunting of the wild boar, francolin and bustard are the general means by which the members of the European colony try to keep up their energy and vitality in the hothouse atmosphere of this tropical region."

Wealth in Dates.

The United States buys about $600,000 worth of dates from Bassorah each year, while some $50,000 worth of licorice root is shipped to New York, for use in making "plug" tobacco. From August till November—the "date season"—everyone is busy. The natives have money to spend, and life is intense. Any petty crimes committed then are usually judged leniently, the excuse being that the excitement of the date season moved the wrongdoer to his unseemly act. Even cows eat dates at Bassorah, and when there are no dates they feed them dried fish. Camels eat dates sometimes, too, though I have seen them resist and bawl indignantly as Arab drivers tried to force a sticky wad of dates into their drooping mouths. In the fall special "date boats" leave Bassorah for New York, piled full of dates in boxes and sometimes in goatskins. Bassorah is also a port of entry for all goods coming from Europe to Bagdad, and for much freight destined for Persia, via caravan from Bagdad. Three lines of steamers run into Bassorah regularly, the Hamburg-Amerika Line, the British India, and the Strick Line.

The Tigris was a busy stream when Babylon was at her zenith. Ships from all over the then known world sailed up the Shat-el-Arab, via Bassorah for Babylon, Bagdad, etc. Trade flourished, and the great irrigation system told of by Herodotus watered all Babylonia, the "granary of the world and cradle of humanity." About the ninth century prosperity reached its height, and the cities on the Tigris, like Bagdad, became very rich. It was the opulence and extravagance of this period which no doubt gave rise to the golden tales of the "Arabian Nights." And it was right in this neighborhood, too, according to old traditions, that the human race got its start; either in the Island of Bahrein, or at some point between the lower Tigris and Euphrates, the early Phoenicians started as a race. Earthquakes, the story says, drove them westward to the Mediterranean country.

Home of Haroun.

Five hundred miles north of Bassorah—by the winding Tigris—in the heart of a desert plain, lies the historic city of Bagdad, the old home of Haroun-al-Raschid. The flat-bottom, sluggish side-wheelers which ply the Tigris take five days to make the ascent. An English company runs three boats, and the Turkish government keeps seven more in service. The voyage is saved from monotony by the odd and unnatural twisting of the river's course, and by the glimpses of nomad Arab life and river villages enjoyed from the steamer's deck. I went up on an English boat, called the "Kalipha." "I've read Mark Twain's 'Life on the Mississippi,'" said the captain to me one day, "and all he says is so true about this river, too, that I almost feel he was talking about the Tigris when he described boating on the American stream."

Arabs shoot at the Tigris boats, sometimes, this of course adding thrills to the trip. At one time an English captain was shot and killed while defending his ship. We saw several war-dances on shore, but no hostile attention was paid to us as we steamed upstream.

Where Adam and Eve Lived.

The old Garden of Eden, according to early writers, lay some sixty miles above Bassorah, at the junction of the Tigris and the Euphrates. The apple trees are gone now, however; only nomad desecrators digging licorice root—and a few prowling jackals—roam about the scene of the first love affair. The fig-leaf theory, incidentally, is still supported by the local climate; it was 108 in the shade of the river-boat's awning when we passed.

Sir William Willcocks, the English engineer and explorer, has since "moved" the Garden of Eden to a point on the Euphrates. Half-way to Bagdad, on the left bank as one goes upstream, stands the picturesque tomb of the prophet Ezra. A great grove of stately date palms surround the good man's last resting-place. In this grove I saw camped a large caravan of Bagdad Jews, who make an annual pilgrimage to the tomb of the distinguished Hebrew, and keep it in repair. Above the tomb towers a blue porcelain dome, visible for many miles across the barren desert through which the Tigris flows.

Wild boar abound in the frequent marshes which form from the river's spring overflow, and from the boat we counted no less than thirty in one herd. Lions were once numerous, but of late few have been seen. Mohammed Pasha has two in a cage at his city home in Bagdad, which were captured young a few years ago, along the Tigris marshes. Many troops of gazelle scampered from the river's edge as we rounded sharp curves, and the nimble jackals seemed everywhere. Long strings of laden camel, unmindful of man or his puffing steamboats, marched leisurely along the banks. From time to time we passed the clustered tents of Turkish troops, picturesque in fezzes and red-topped trousers. They are scattered along the stream as a show of strength against warring Arab tribes. Fighting goes on along the lower Tigris during almost all the year—or except when it's too hot for troops to move. If the Arabs are not fighting among themselves, they have joined forces against their common enemy, the Turkish troops. As I write these lines news of the latest outbreak has just come in. One Raghban, an Arab Sheik from the Persian frontier districts, who sallied down for a pot shot at the Tigris river boats, was met at daybreak by a force of Beni Lam, from near Amarah. While a few went forward to engage Raghban the greater number remained behind; and, obscured by the faint light of early dawn, dug shallow holes for themselves in the sand. Then the first party, feigning defeat, retreated in seeming confusion, leading Raghban's force headlong onto the armed men hiding in their sand holes. The Beni Lams say they killed about 500 of Raghban's men.

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The Day of Adventure.

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reach either a Van Nuys or a Hollywood car. So we tore ourselves reluctantly away.

When we emerged from the canyon we found one more surprise awaiting us. Our road had been washed completely away by the recently-flooded river. The bed of the river was filled with uprooted trees and tumbled rocks.

This was but a trifle, however, after what had gone before. We edged our way to safety by means of a six-inch trail half-way up the river bank, balancing our handfuls of floral spoils out over the turgid tide below.

Beyond here the oak groves swallowed us up again—enormous specimens of trees, as fine as any I have ever seen in Southern California. Their splendid dark bulk loomed against the fading yellow sky of the west as in landscapes by Innes.

Then twilight had gone, and moonlight was irradiating the spaces between the trees. We had gained the high road leading to Cahuenga Pass. As it turned out, we had to walk all the way through the pass, so it was fortunate the walking was good.

The night was beautiful and full of mystery, the shadows of oaks, then of great sycamores and eucalypts, tracing arabesques on the smooth moonlit mountain road. It was just 7:30 when we caught our car for town.

I felt as made-over and happy as Mrs. Browning must have been when she sang:

"The little cares that fretted me,
I lost them yesterday
Among the fields above the sea,
Among the winds at play—
Among the husking of the corn
Where drowsy poppies nod,
Where ill thoughts die and good are born,
Out in the fields with God."

But my thoughts were an incongruous mixture of the beautiful and the grotesque, for they kept turning back to the stupendous and staggering fact that I had that day met a living, breathing elephant in a California canyon.

New York vs. Jersey City.

[George Jean Nathan, in Smart Set:] New York may well and righteously giggle at little Jersey City. In Jersey City, the population actually lives in houses—imagine!—instead of in flats bounded on the north window by the elevated, on the east window by a brunette court, on the west by no window at all and on the south by an entrancing view of the back wall of another flat disguised under the alias of Hetherblossom Hall—or something elegant like that. In Jersey City, you can't get a highball after midnight. Think of that! In Jersey City, I repeat, you can't get a highball after midnight. Imagine having to go six whole hours—from midnight until 6 in the morning—without a highball! In Jersey City, it is so quiet you can hear the crickets. Isn't that funny? A jay town! Think of going to sleep at night to the chip-chip-chip-chip of crickets instead of to the pacific sound of the elevator out in the hallway or the piano across the court. In Jersey City, there isn't a restaurant that is called a lobster palace; there isn't a cabaret show from one end of the town to the other; there aren't any hat-check boys; the head waiters are crude and vulgar enough to give you a table if you wish one; nobody gives a darn whether Mrs. Vanderbilt wore crepe de chine or charmeuse or nothing at all last night; nobody gives a hang whether Ludwig Woxleslopper wears a white waistcoat with his dinner jacket or—whether he has a dinner jacket or—having one—whether he calls it a "Tuxedo." Ha, ha, ha! Mirth and merriment!

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Beryl the first fern frond;
There's a fair, faint orange fire
On the willow wand.

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Greener the mosses gleam;
Wakens the warm earth soul
From its winter dream.

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On the separate coat the cape has set its stamp of style. It suggests gallant knights who were willing to protect the pretty feet of their queens from the prosaic puddles, doesn't it? It is shorter than the others, and yet long enough for the

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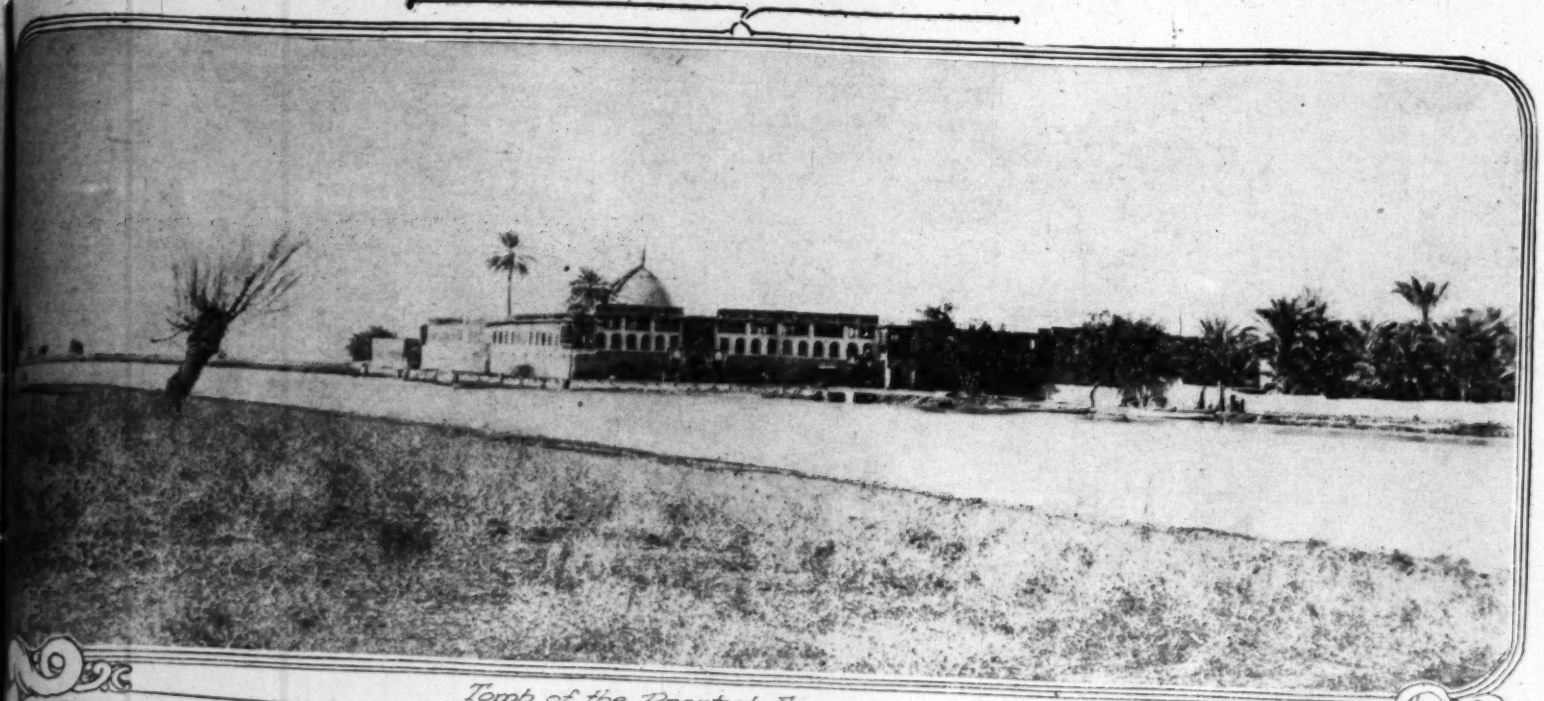
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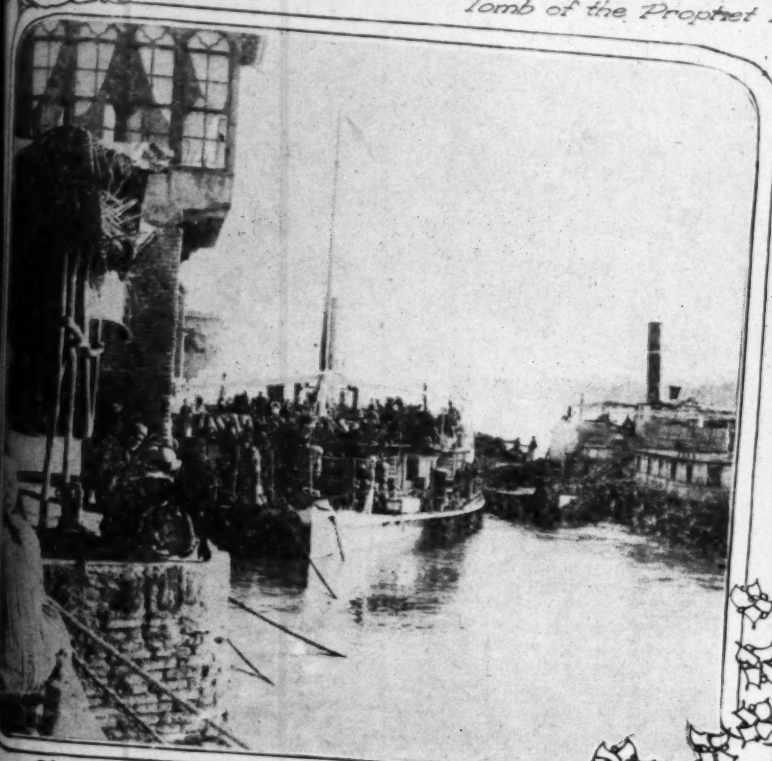
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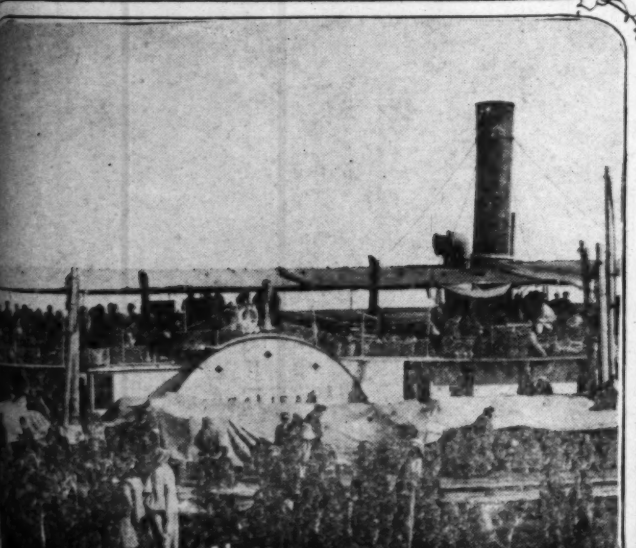
Tomb of the Prophet Ezra.



Turkish steamers on the Tigris River.



Ruins of Ctesiphon arch on Tigris, below Bagdad.



Tigris river steamer, modeled after the side-wheelers of the Mississippi.



A barge of merchandise on the Tigris

who depend for livelihood on the sea commerce of the port. Admiral Fletcher exerted extreme efforts toward the resumption of work along the wharves, not only as vital in the restoration of public confidence, but to prevent privation among the laborers and their families, who were in danger of actual want.

thus force him out the President will do so, but he will not take any aggressive action in that direction.

WEALTHY MEXICAN, CAUGHT SNIPING, SHOT

Good Short Stories - - Brief Anecdotes Gathered From Many Sources

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Shyness Quickly Cured.

ASHY young man had been calling on the sweetest girl in the world for many moons, but, being bashful, his suit progressed slowly. Finally she decided it was up to her to start something, so the next time he called she pointed to the rose in his buttonhole and said: "I'll give you a kiss for that rose."

A crimson flush overspread his countenance, but the exchange was made after some hesitation on his part. Then he grabbed his hat and started to leave the room.

"Why, where are you going?" she asked, in surprise.

"To the—er—florist for more roses," he called from the front door.—[Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

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The Gallery's Verdict.

IN THE old days the proprietor of a music hall always used to walk up and down the center gangway during the performance and restrain the exuberance of his patrons. One night a lady singer began a doleful ballad in a still more doleful voice and at once received "the bird" from the gallery.

"That'll do, boys," said the proprietor. "Order, please! Give the artists a chance."

But when the performance was finished he took off his hat, bowed to the gallery and remarked: "I beg pardon. You were right."—[London Express.

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Force of Habit.

THEY were speaking of force of habit, and Henry C. Hall, recently made a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, was reminded of a pretty little telephone girl named Miss Marie.

One night Miss Marie went to church and, being somewhat tired, she fell asleep during the rather protracted sermon. Finally the sermon was concluded, and after the usual prayer the minister picked up the hymnal.

"Brethren and sisters," he announced, glancing first at the choir and then at the congregation, "we shall sing hymn three forty-three. Hymn three forty-three."

"The line is busy," cried Miss Marie, suddenly waking and hearing the dominie's last words. "Please call again."—[Philadelphia Telegraph.

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Uncle Knows Everything.

LITTLE Jimmy came to Toronto from his northern Ontario home, where negroes are hardly ever seen. One day when he was out walking with his Uncle Bob they happened to pass a negro woman, and the following conversation took place:

"Say, uncle, why did that woman black her face?" said Jimmy.

"Why, she hasn't blacked her face—that's her natural color," said uncle.

"Is she black like that all over?" asked Jimmy.

"Why, yes."

"Gosh, uncle, you know everything, don't you?"—[Ideal Power.

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What He Would Have Done.

BEN FOSTER was noted for his shiftlessness. If it had not been for his wife, he would not have done a stroke of work on his little farm and garden. It was all his wife could do to get him to work, for he preferred to sit and read all day.

One evening, after he had been reading French history with deep interest, he closed the book and said to his wife: "Do you know, Maria, what I'd 'a' done if I had been Napoleon?"

"Oh, yes, I know well enough," his wife responded. "You'd have settled right down on a farm in Corsica and let it run to ruin, while you grumbled about your hard luck."—[Youth's Companion.

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Hard to Miss.

"I OVERSAW and overheard this delightful little thing in an alley running north from Payne avenue yesterday," says a more or less cryptic correspondent. "Two boys were fighting. One was a very fat boy and the other was very skinny. The thin one had a backer, however, who seemed to be very wise to all the technicalities of the manly art of self-defense.

"'Hit him in the solar plexus, Kid,' shouted the second. 'Hit him in the solar plexus, an' you'll put th' big tub out!'

"'Where's his solar plexus at?' panted the thin one.

"'Aw, hit him anywhere—you can't miss it!' answered the backer."—[Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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About the Parson.

"AND what, my dear boy," asked the minister, "do you intend to be when you grow up?"

"A farmer, sir."

"Very good, indeed—to supply the natural food—most good."

"And you?" turning to the second.

"Please, sir, a schoolmaster."

"Even better. Filling the mind of the rising generation with mental food—yes, even better."

"And you?" turning to the third.

"A preacher, sir."

"The best of all, my dear little boy; for filling the soul with spiritual food is far worthier than either filling the mind or body. And why do you wish to become a minister?"

"'Cos we always have duck for dinner when the parson comes," replied the boy.—[Grit.

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French Courtesy.

A BOSTON woman was talking of Paris. The question of the relative courtesy of nations came up.

"Well, it would take a very good illustration to persuade me that any people beat the French," she remarked. "I'll give you an example. I was walking down the Champs Elysees and wanted to find a particular street called the Rue de la Clochee. Not knowing just where to turn off into the side streets, I asked a young Frenchman who passed me if he could direct me to it. He assured me with a thousand pardons he did not know.

"A few minutes later I heard hurrying feet behind me and there was my Frenchman.

"'Madame,' he said, sweeping off his hat and bowing profoundly, 'did you not ask me the way to the Rue de la Clochee? I was sorry that I did not know, but I have seen my brother and asked him, and I am sorry to inform you, madame, he did not know, either.'"—[Boston Traveler.

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The Best Course.

AT THE Lambs Club one night a player whose conceit is in inverse ratio to his ability was complaining to William Collier that, by reason of the curious hostility of the critics, he was unable to obtain a lucrative engagement.

"What do they say?" asked Collier.

"That's just it—they don't say anything about me. I tell you there is a conspiracy of silence against me. What would you do?"

"Join it," advised Collier.—[Lippincott's Magazine.

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Needed Support.

WHEN a certain darky of Mobile, Ala., announced his engagement to the dusky one of his choice the congratulations that were showered upon him included a note of wonder.

"Joe," said one of these friends, "I shore is surprised! We-all never thought you'd speak up. It's going on two years since you begun to fool around Miss Violet."

"Dat's true," said Joe; "but de fact is, old man, I didn't lose my job until last night."—[Judge.

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None Too Proud.

SECRETARY OF WAR GARRISON, apropos of the revival in navy and army of vice-admirals and lieutenant-generals, said at a luncheon:

"This is largely a matter of diplomatic etiquette, a matter of elegance.

"Much goes by elegance nowadays, you know. I said recently to a multimillionaire who had risen from a plumber's apprentice to I don't know how many bank presidencies and interlocking directorates:

"'Your woman folks must be proud of you, since you are self-made.'

"'Yes,' he answered, grimly. 'Yes, they're about as proud of me as they'd be of a home-made dress.'"—[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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They Understood.

A BOSTON teacher had carefully explained to her class the meaning of the word "happens." "Now," he said, "if there is anything you do not understand in what I have been telling you, just raise your hand."

Not a hand was raised. "If you understand how it should be used, who can give me a sentence with this word 'happens' in it?"

Quickly a hand was raised and an eager voice called out: "My mother wears happens in her head."—[Minneapolis Journal.

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His Revenge.

NORMAN HAPGOOD was condemning in New York a certain type of politician.

"These fellows," he went on, "instead of fighting for the people they represent, act very much like Jones.

"Jones sat in a barroom one Saturday night with a party of cronies when one of them, Billy Croft, was called away by his wife. Billy rose hurriedly, leaving his glass of beer on the table.

"A few minutes afterward Jones's little boy ran into the bar, crying:

"'Father, mother's bin a-jawin' with Billy Croft's wife and Billy has hit mother on the nose!'

"Jones jumped up, but, then, on second thought, he resumed his seat and muttered, savagely:

"'The coward! Hit mother on the nose, did he? Then I'll drink his beer.'"—[Washington Star.

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A Matter of Initials.

AN ENGINEER who was repairing a railway line in South Africa found a cosy farmhouse, which he proceeded to occupy.

Promptly came a telegram which read:

"G. T. M. wants house."

The engineer wondered who "G. T. M." might be. On inquiry he found it referred to the general traffic manager.

"All right," he murmured. So he wired back.:

"G. T. M. can G. T. H."

Two days later there came a very indignant and self-important gentleman. It was the general traffic manager. In coldly polite tones he asked the engineer what he meant by sending such an insolent message.

The engineer said innocently:

"Why, it wasn't insolent."

"What do you mean, then, by saying I can G. T. H.?"

"Simply an abbreviation," explained the engineer. "I wired that the G. T. M.—the general traffic manager—can G. T. H.—get the house."—[Boston Advertiser.

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Talk That Counts.

EPHUM JOHNSON was up before Judge Shimmerpate on a cruelty-to-animals charge.

"Deed Ah wasn't abusin' dat mule, judge," the old man demurred.

"Did you not strike it repeatedly with a club?"

"Yassah."

"And do you not know that you can accomplish more with animals by speaking to them?"

"Yassah; but dis critter am diff'nt. He am so deef he caint heah me when Ah speaks to him in de usual way; so Ah has to communicate wid him in de sign language."—[Youngstown Telegram.

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The Whole Show.

THE status of the office boy came up for discussion in the lobby of a Washington hotel the other afternoon, when Congressman Samuel J. Tribble of Georgia told of an incident that happened in one of the metropolitan cities.

One day a young man went to the office of a large firm and asked to see the head of the house. On being received by the party the young man intimated that he would like to be connected with the firm.

"I see," thoughtfully mused the head of the house. "What particular position in the establishment would you like, sir?"

"I was thinking," loftily returned the young man, "I might be made the confidential adviser or the general manager."

"Just the thing!" happily replied the head. "You may have both jobs. I will make you the office boy."—[Philadelphia Telegraph.

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Bessie's Prayer.

SOME time ago Bessie's aunt called in a confidential moment the little girl told what a naughty boy her brother was. She said that he had set a trap in the yard to catch birds, but assured aunty that she had seen to it that none were caught.

"That was very good of you, Bessie," lovingly returned aunty. "How did you manage to do it?"

"Why, I prayed, aunty," answered Bessie. "I just prayed that brother might not catch any of the birds."

"That was quite right," returned aunty. "Did he catch any?"

"He did not," was the quick reply. "Just as soon as I got done prayin' I went out and busted up the trap."—[Philadelphia Telegraph.

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He Was Indifferent.

ON A MURDER case in one of the Southern States an old mountaineer was called as witness. The defending lawyer began cross-examining him.

"You say you saw this murder committed?"

"Yas."

"How far were you from the spot when it took place?"

"'Bout a quarter of a mile."

"What time was it when this was done?"

"'Bout half-past 8."

"On the date this murder was said to be committed it would be almost pitch dark, and you mean to say you could distinctly what happened at that time a quarter of a mile distant?"

The old mountaineer shuffled, changed his quid and stretched himself. "Jedge," he said, as he started to leave the witness chair, "I don't give a gol darn about your trial, anyway."—[Everybody's Magazine.

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"Whew!" Ten Dollars.

FIVE dollars a "whew" is said to be the fee charged by an attorney practicing a prisoner in Police Court recently. The attorney defended two thugs in the case, but in spite of his presence by the side of the prisoners, the court gave them a $10 fine and workhouse sentence.

"Ten dollars," said the attorney to the prisoners at the conclusion of the trial.

"Ten dollars for what?" he was asked.

"Why, for defending you," he replied.

"I didn't hear you say anything in defense of the convicted men.

"Didn't you hear what I said to the judge when he convicted you?"

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Brief Anecdotes Gathered From Many Sources.

of the house. On being received by the party the young man intimated that he would like to be connected with the firm.

"I see," thoughtfully mused the head of the house. "What particular position in the establishment would you like, sir?"

"I was thinking," loftily returned the young man, "I might be made the confidential adviser or the general manager."

"Just the thing!" happily replied the head. "You may have both jobs. I will make you the office boy."—[Philadelphia Telegraph.

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Bessie's Prayer.

SOME time ago Bessie's aunt called in a confidential moment the little girl told what a naughty boy her brother Jack was. She said that he had set a trap in the yard to catch birds, but assured aunty that she had seen to it that none were caught.

"That was very good of you, Bessie," lovingly returned aunty. "How did you manage to do it?"

"Why, I prayed, aunty," answered Bessie. "I just prayed that brother might not catch any of the birds."

"That was quite right," returned aunty. "Did he catch any?"

"He did not," was the quick reply. "Just as soon as I got done praying I went out and busted up the trap."—[Philadelphia Telegraph.

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He Was Indifferent.

ON A MURDER case in one of the Western States an old mountaineer was called as witness. The defending lawyer was cross-examining him.

"You say you saw this murder committed?"

"Yaa."

"How far were you from the spot where it took place?"

"'Bout a quarter of a mile."

"What time was it when this deed was done?"

"'Bout half-past 8."

"On the date this murder was supposed to be committed it would be almost pitch dark, and you mean to say you could see distinctly what happened at that time a quarter of a mile distant?"

The old mountaineer shuffled his feet, changed his quid and stretched. "Look here," he said, as he started to leave the witness chair, "I don't give a gol darn about your trial, anyway."—[Everybody's Magazine.

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"Whew!" Ten Dollars.

FIVE dollars a "whew" is said to be the fee charged by an attorney for defending a prisoner in Police Court recently. The attorney defended two thugs in Police Court, but in spite of his presence by the side of the prisoners, the court gave them a heavy fine and workhouse sentence.

"Ten dollars," said the attorney to his prisoners at the conclusion of the trial.

"Ten dollars for what?" he was asked.

"Why, for defending you," he answered.

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The Secret That Belongs. By May C. Ringwalt.

SPRINGTIDE.

HIGHLANDS, May 7.—Such a beautiful springtime earth as it is, dear Polly mine, up here in this top-bough country under the open sky. Everywhere, new-feathered with spic-and-span The country roads skirted in lupin, creamy mountain iris, redIndian paint-brush. Yellow daffodilly chicks just budded out of the A baby-blue-eyes kitten clinging to skirts like an amiable burr. All the in the kingdom a blur of music in the orchard, its trees at full flush of and dear pinky buds.

the front porch of the ranch house look down across the valley all the way to Santa Cruz and the surfMonterey bay—the betweens filled in vineyards, the first peep-of-day green winter vines; with trim hillside orthe sturdy legs of the trees whitewith whitewash; with winding, stretches of country road and wild of canyon.

Incidentally, I am visiting Camille—Lathrop's cousin, you know. You her, of course, and the jolly six we all spent at Laura's when the were living in Santa Barbara. Dickie Lathrop crazy about her? was every other man whom Camille and dimpled at. That was seven and Camille is smiling and dim—even now when she speaks of "an old married woman."

Camille has a husband. A college of Greek, if you please. And to climax of the unexpected, the proharing had a nervous breakdown, came up here on this ranch tucked the mountain wilds to earn a living sweat of their brow. I mean the as I wrote it. Their. Eve toils as ceaselessly as Adam delves. magic of marriage! Camille cooking, churning butter—and smiling still. No wonder Diogenes, as names Adam, worships the ground on.

May 8.

"In the midst of life we are in death." the midst of the warm, spring flood nest and field and orchard. The wings only brushed against our hearts, but I can feel the chill of shadow yet.

Peters, the hired man's little son, very ill in the middle of the the distracted mother sent for

Peters's cottage is just across the while Diogenes was at the telegraphing to get the doctor at Manzaaroused and hurried over to see if Cawanted my help.

shall I forget that endless night of and waiting, for the doctor had called to the bedside of a dying man Pine Ridge, his return uncertain.

the dawn stole softly into the sick-Camille had run over to the ranch a few minutes. Peters gone after wood. Joey's mother tiptoed about the kitchen refilling a hot-water bag. I was alone, seated beside the child, a hot little hand held in mine, when the door opened and the doctor came in—with a flood of the new morning sunshine.

You cannot understand. To understand that moment's sense of radiance you had first to pass through the night with its fears, its helplessness. And as he bent over the child there was an indescribable something—the gentleness of his touch, the tenderness of his voice—that made you know it was no mere case to him. He cared. The blood leaped in my veins. I was thrilled—uplifted. You cannot understand. To understand you had first to pass through the night with its fears, its helplessness—and the tightening hold of a child's hot little hand.

May 12.

Dear Polly: Joey is convalescent. The operation that we dreaded will not be necessary. Were the child heir to a throne he could not be more carefully watched.

By Camille's urgent invitation the doctor is spending his nights at the ranch house until the end of the week.

Some evenings he comes in from the cottage as we are sitting down to supper. On others, at the candle-light hour, after the dishes are washed. For Camille always turns out the lamp and stands lighted candles on the piano when I play. She says my tortoiseshell hair and the golden-brown gowns I wear go with candle light and that half the charm of music is its setting. I play every night because Camille insists that the piano needs "exercising" and that it is up to me who have no responsibilities of husband or prunes on my care-free hands to put it through its paces.

After the music, we blow out even the candles and gather round the open fire with its happy-hearted crackling blaze, and talk far into the night—which means till 9:30, a wildly dissipated hour when Diogenes never fails to get up at 5.

May 18.

Every Eden has its snake in the grass, my Polly. Hidden in the beauty and promise of the May orchard the slimy fear of insect pests. Each individual tree of our sixty acres of prunes must be sprayed.

Peters drives the wagon with the tank, and Diogenes, his long hose in hand, squirts a shower-bath of Paris green insecticide into the topmost boughs, a large sombrero shielding his face, a pair of goggles protecting his eyes from any chance splatter.

The sleight-of-hand wonders of every-day life! A green marble transformed into a purple plum. A professor of Greek changed into a practical rancher. And the son of plain farmer folk—with a tow-headed, freckle-faced little boy beginning like Joey Peters—working his way through a medical college, winning a scholarship for a year's study in Europe, becoming a physician and surgeon whose skill is the talk of the whole mountainside.

I wish I could give you an idea of what the doctor is like. He is so different from the type of man you and I are accustomed to. As different as a rugged mountain pine from a carefully-trimmed little box-tree in an ornamental pot. But you mustn't hang up any daredevil, cowboy picture of him in your mind. He is very quiet and reserved—in his manner, in his speech, in his neckties. A gentleman to his finger tips—and yet he might be "fussed" as to which fork came next at a dinner.

With his country neighbors he is perfectly at ease, but I embarrass him almost as much as the forks. Dear knows on what ridiculous pinnacle of family, old mahogany, and social prestige Camille has set me! It is only too evident that he regards me as a being that belongs to a world apart from his own. A sort of hot-house orchid to be put in the best vase. By no human possibility one of the comfortable flowers of the field that a man would enjoy wearing in friendly fashion in his buttonhole.

May 23.

My Dear Polly: Who says that a woman cannot keep a secret? The chicken-house quiver being full of little chicks, Camille has been frowning down all setting activities among her hens. But lo and behold, this morning Hedda Gabler suddenly appears with thirteen animated fuzzy balls stepping on her proud heels. Three weeks on a stolen nest and not a chirp about it to anyone!

While Camille and I were fixing a coop to set the family up at housekeeping, from down the road came the sound of a Klaxton horn.

"Talk of angels," laughed Camille, who had been chattering about the doctor for the past hour," and you hear the honk-honk of their automobiles!"

But how did she know it was the doctor? Several of the neighbors have Klaxton machines. I cannot tell you why, but as I watched Camille turn her flushed face smiling and dimpling with pleasure toward the road, a little somebody-stepped-on-my-grave shiver ran through me.

May 25.

I can tell you the "why" now, Polly, though it almost breaks my heart to write it out.

This afternoon as I came up the short-cut path with a bunch of wild flowers from the other side of the ridge I was surprised to see the doctor and Camille standing together in the shelter of the vine-hung porch.

They were too absorbed in each other to notice my approach, and I never thought of running out a danger signal.

"Do not regret that you have told me"—it was the caressing sweetness of Camille's voice that first startled me. "And oh, my dear friend," she continued, lifting shining eyes to his, "believe me, such a love as yours honors any woman, and——"

They heard the crunch of gravel on the path and looked guiltily up.

I do not know what awkward words were said. Not many on anyone's part. For the doctor snatched out his watch, mumbled something about having stayed too long already, and was gone.

Camille followed me into the house.

"You heard?" she asked.

"Yes."

"And you are angry? You had not guessed? You did not see from the first that he——"

"Stop!" I cried. "Don't say it! Don't you dare!"

The flush on Camille's face blazed crimson.

"I am disappointed in you," she said coldly. "I thought you were big enough to understand."

"To understand?"

"Yes," she answered scathingly, "to understand that when a woman has won the love of a man like the doctor, little things, the petty, conventional little things that it is evident you set such store by, simply do not exist!"

In my astonishment I stood and stared.

"I do not want—I cannot talk about it, Camille." My voice shook with anger and scorn and tears. "And of course since I know, I cannot stay here. I shall go home—Monday. I wish it were not too late to go today."

May 27.

My Dear Polly: Let me hurry and tell you a secret—the secret that belongs to the spring and this dear top-bough country right under the open sky.

Yesterday to get away from Camille I went to church—little hypocrite that I was with hate and anger and all uncharitableness in my heart.

During the singing of the first hymn I heard a step in the open doorway, and, although I did not turn, although the doctor rarely came to service, I knew that he had entered, that he was coming up the aisle, that he would sit down beside me.

As he took his seat, his eyes met mine in a smiling glance—and what I had seen, what Camille had told me, the hundred little dark things that had come to me in the night between, meant nothing. For the eyes had said that black was white. I believed them. No power in heaven or earth could shake my faith.

After service was over, we took the path through the fields to the ranch house.

We walked together in silence, then I fumbled out the first absurd commonplace that came into my head—the last thing I wanted to say.

"Your coming over today will be a surprise to Camille."

His face slowly reddened and his eyes shifted.

"It is a surprise to myself." His voice was almost a whisper. "I did not intend to come again. In spite of what kind-hearted little Camille said to encourage me, I felt it was too hopeless. But I—I couldn't keep away. You know why I came, don't you, dear?"

"Yes," I whispered back.

For I knew—at last.

And that is the secret that belongs to the spring and this dear top-bough country right under the open sky.

Common Language.

NEIGHBORS COME TO AN AGREEMENT.

By F. H. Mason.

goodness sakes! If that old Mexican ain't been and gone and et my Lisbon rose."

looked up from my gardening and saw next door neighbor—usually the most of women—literally shaking with on her front porch, while a cow the grass plot below, contentedly the last of the Gloire de Dijon.

Farleigh took a pot containing a withered palm from the porch rail, at the cow, and exclaimed: "Drat

broke innocently some way from and the animal went over to it behind the palm. It was too dry for however. She evidently preferred, succulent rose bushes.

Mrs. Farleigh followed the excitedly down the steps, shaking her apron at as she went. The cow walked away, notwithstanding the pieces flower pot that my neighbor sent "Ain't that the limit?"

intended to keep out of the controand had busied myself behind a hakea, but a hakea forms a poor shelter, and this last remark was evidently intended for me.

"It's hard," I replied sympathetically. Of course I said just the wrong thing. Anything I might have replied would have been wrong to one in Mrs. Farleigh's mood.

"Hard! Hard!" she shouted in disgust. "I wasn't thinking of the cow's digestion. It's my glory-de-John rose that worries me. I've tended it all winter, like a mother, and it was just coming into bloom. Them Mexicans have no right to keep cows in a respectable neighborhood."

The Mexican was a bete noir to the neighbors. He had arrived recently, and bought four lots. On these he was keeping half a dozen cows, and running a small dairy farm. He seemed to be circumventing the city ordinance, which prohibited one person keeping more than one cow, by distributing the ownership of the animals among his children. The bad feature about the affair was that the family were casual about letting the cows roam off the premises. They had owned a large ranch in Mexico, before the revolution, and did not understand being confined to four city lots.

"It's too bad. Why don't you go over and see them about it?" I suggested mischieviously, for I knew the Mexicans understood little or no English.

"I will," Mrs. Farleigh said decidedly. "I have just cause for complaint."

"You surely have," I agreed. "It's the proper thing to do."

Mrs. Farleigh trotted across the street, her anger rising as she went, and pushed the button beside the Mexican's front door.

I was bad enough to take up a point of vantage behind a large leptospermum, to watch the burlesque, for I imagined my neighbor had not the Spanish.

The Mexican woman appeared, and my neighbor started the attack. "Your old cow has been and et my glory-de-John rose," Mrs. Farleigh shouted.

"Gloria de Juan, Senora!" the Mexican woman exclaimed, in surprise. Juan was her eldest son.

"De waun seniora nothing. Your cow, cow, cow," each time she spoke the word, Mrs. Farleigh pointed a finger viciously at the offending animal, which was contentedly ruminating over the flavor of rose bushes near by, "your cow has been et my glory-de-John rose."

The Mexican woman was clearly puzzled. "La vaca gloria de Juan! No, no. Ordena la vaca."

"Can't you savy English?" Mrs. Farleigh asked indignantly.

"No hablo ingles."

"You have no English, eh?" Mrs. Farleigh resorted to pigeon English. Tapping the Mexican woman on the chest with a finger, Mrs. Farleigh demanded: "You no savy?"

"No sabo."

"For the land's sake. And I've been and left my housework to come over here and give you a bit of my mind." The humor of the situation dawned on Mrs. Farleigh. She placed her hands on her hips, and, with arms akimbo, laughed uproariously.

The Mexican woman stared in astonishment; then she caught the infection, and joined in the laugh. There, on the Mexican's porch, the two women stood, each seeming to try to outdo the other in her hilariousness. After a time, they became weak-kneed from the effort, and sat on the top step and continued to laugh, wiping the tears that ran down their cheeks with the corners of their aprons. They had found a common language.

Pat Knew How.

[Cooper's Journal:] Pat, the hod carrier (to the carpenter who is vigorously sucking his thumb, cursing at the same time:) Don't you know how to drive a nail yit, without smashin' yer finger?

Carpenter: No; you blamed fool, and neither do you.

Pat: Shure, I do. Hold the hammer in both hands.

who depend for livelihood on the sea commerce of the port. Admiral Fletcher exerted extreme efforts toward the resumption of work along the wharves, not only as vital in the restoration of public confidence, but to prevent privation among the laborers and their families, who were in danger of actual want.

thus force him out the President will do so, but he will not take any aggressive action in that direction.

WEALTHY MEXICAN, CAUGHT SNIPING, SHOT.

The City and the House Beautiful.

Gardens, Grounds, Streets, Parks, Lakes.

By Ernest Braunton.

Dutch Bulbs.

CONDITIONS THAT ARE ESSENTIAL TO SUCCESS.

THE permanency of Dutch bulbs for flower crops in Southern California has been a subject for much controversy and doubtless little argument on either side has been based on reasonable use of or experiment with this class of bulbs. Planting these bulbs in any sort of soil and but an inch or two below the surface certainly does not give them a fair trial, for even in Holland they would prove well-nigh a failure under such hard conditions. Give them as near the Dutch treatment as is possible and we may nearly approach the results obtained by the Dutch. A very large part of the bulb-growing territory in Holland has been reclaimed from the ocean; dikes built around an area and the water pumped out. This leaves a soil that is largely sand. On this soil are placed large quantities of manure from the dairy districts and all manner of nitrogenous material is incorporated with the soil. When the process of decay has added humus to the sand, enriched by liberal quantities of the animal manure, we find a soil closely approaching the ideal so far as the demands of bulb-growing are concerned. Further, this soil holds moisture splendidly yet quickly and easily releases an excess of water. If similar conditions are given in local gardens the results will prove satisfactory, for the writer has tried the experiment.

In the autumn of 1911 the writer prepared several small beds for bulbs with a view to testing their flowering capacity under reasonably good garden conditions. The soil was mixed with a goodly portion of sand so that drainage was good for about eighteen inches. The soil to the depth of one foot was taken out and, being of a heavy, clayey nature, was mixed with one-third its bulk of clear sand. Six inches of this was replaced in the beds and settled with water. This left the surface six inches below that of the garden. A slight sprinkling of sand was given and on top of this bulbs were placed. On top of the bulbs was placed a soil composed of one-half of the local material, one-fourth sand and one-fourth of high-grade, thoroughly-decayed stable manure. This left the tops of bulbs five inches below the surface. A little dike was built around the beds to insure an abundance of water. After the plants were showing above the soil the latter was kept rather wet at all times.

The flower crops were all that one could wish; none finer were to be found in the city. All bulbs were left in the soil throughout the next two seasons following, and though no fertilizer has been given since planting in 1911 the flowers are as fine as they were the first season but are each year somewhat reduced in number. No doubt this is partly accounted for by the fact that some bulbs rot each year, for other plants surround the beds and the soil is in constant use. The per cent. of bulbs flowering in 1914 warrants a still further continuance of the beds. In this lot were several hundred tulip bulbs and these are generally considered as temporary and inconstant as any Dutch bulbs grown in Southern California. The beds noted are not exposed to full sunshine all day as in our arid clime partial shade, but full light, are desirable. The main point to be noted is that deep planting is believed to be the chief factor contributing to success. A light, well-drained soil with some fertilizer completes the necessities. In the beds herein described were grown tulips and narcissi with as large flowers on long, stout stems as any the writer has ever grown.

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The Japan Cedar.

THE most important ornamental tree in Japan is Cryptomeria Japonica, commonly known here as Japanese Cedar. In its native country it is held in almost sacred esteem, but in the dry climate of California its use is limited to coastal sections. In Los Angeles it does fairly well if given good soil and an abundance of water, the better specimens standing in well-drained lawns. The one we illustrate is growing



in Prospect Park, Brooklyn Heights, Los Angeles, and is among the larger and better of local trees of this species. With neglect this tree becomes too sparse in foliage to be accounted beautiful, and when surrounded by hot, dry soil the foliage "burns" to a rusty color. Some atmospheric humidity is desirable.

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Asparagus for Decoration.

AMONG decorative sprays for mixing with cut flowers none stand higher than those of the various species of asparagus. They are all of finely cut leaves, a pleasing tint of green, tough and unharmed by rough treatment, and for lasting quality are unsurpassed. Then, too, all are easily grown. Someone may ask: "What species would you recommend?" And experience and observation answer: Any sort you choose or easily obtain or happen to have in pot or garden; for all are of nearly equal value. That of the edible garden asparagus is equally as valuable as the most pampered greenhouse plant. Such is the variability or perversity of human taste that nearly every one who has one will want some other. This range of preferment is what makes the spice of life; but the fundamental fact remains that all asparagus tops are highly decorative.

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Desirable Deutzias.

DEUTZIA candidissima crenulata may look and sound rather forbidding but that is the only name found in the plant catalogues for one of the daintiest, most graceful free-flowering deciduous shrubs found in local gardens. The flowers are white, very, very double, a rosy-pink on the outer side of the encasing petals and are borne in profusion along slender, graceful stems. This shrub appears to thrive in the south, for aside from those in the writer's garden several have been found, in various localities, and all are much valued by their possessors. This is but one of several species and varieties of deutzias of good value; shrubs which should find freer use over all of California.

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Inclosed Gardens.

WE DO not have enough strictly private gardens in California, without which no real home life is to be had. In song and story we have heard of the charms of the "cottage homes of England," likewise the praises of private gardens of other lands. None have been so bold as to put forward any claims for American gardens and the only ones worthy of note are inclosed by hedge, fence, or wall. Nor will it ever be otherwise; neither has it ever been otherwise. We should sharply distinguish between a mere "yard" or lawn and a garden. The front lawn or front yard may, where surrounding conditions demand, be left uninclosed, but this need not deter one from having a strictly private garden. Of course if one has nothing worthy of preservation from a public noted among all civilized nations for its trespass and vandalism, fences and walls are not necessary; but gardens really worth while cannot be maintained without protecting inclosures.

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Clean-up Week.

NOW that "clean-up week" has passed, are there not still some places in your neighborhood uncared for? It is not enough that all is now neat and tidy; we must have such conditions prevail for all time. Having attained a little higher standard of civic cleanliness than ever before let us remain proud enough to raise it still higher, for next year we are to be on dress parade for 365 days and the remaining months of the present year are for practice drills in civic beautification. Manifestations of a high standard of citizenship will aid the State much in the accretion of population and wealth during and following the year 1915.

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Cut-Worms Active.

COMPLAINTS begin to reach us of extensive depredations of cut-worms, for they have been growing active for a month past. A warning and remedies were given in this department but four weeks ago and yet inquiries are now coming in asking for just such information. Inquirers are referred to past issues for remedies, for they cannot be reprinted for the enlightenment of a careless few.

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A Time for Pruning.

THE best time for pruning of nearly all plants is immediately after flowering. For example, the acacias form new wood and set buds for the next year's flowers soon after the present season's blossoms have passed away. If pruned now you will get flowers in abundance next year, but if pruning is long delayed you will cut away next year's crop almost in its entirety. This rule holds good with nearly all spring-flowering material and therefore autumnal pruning is almost vandalism for we all are desirous of retaining and protecting our good name as "a land of sunshine and flowers."

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Growing Gladioli.

A CORRESPONDENT from Oak Knoll, Pasadena, requests an article on the growing of gladioli. As this flower is a particular favorite of the writer's, [illegible] space has been given to its consideration than to any other one flower, and we [illegible] not continually reprint matter for the information of newcomers or those who [illegible] not preserve copies of this magazine, at least articles in this department devoted to care and culture of common flowers.

Bulbs of the gladiolus should be [illegible] now, at least four inches deep and [illegible] distance apart. While they do well in garden soil, the best results are obtained in a rich, sandy loam. Fresh manure is injurious, though a rich soil is to be preferred. Plenty of water should be given at all times and the surface soil frequently stirred. No further directions are necessary for these bulbs are among the easiest all to grow.

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…t Linen Properly.

…e linen into a clean bathtub just as …ed. Allow lukewarm water to run …ering it well, then press the linen …l that the water soaks through, turn …ides over one another to allow the …e thoroughly wet. After the linen …n the tub for an hour, run off the …r hang the linen over a clothes …y. If the linen is colored it …better to put the linen into a gal…er into which has been dissolved …nful of powdered alum, which …alum prevents the color from …t.

…ACKING THE TRUNK.

…ng Close.

…phin Gazette:] Most people are …rushing their clothes by packing …ightly, yet this is the secret of …packing. If they are allowed …ide and slip, they will come forth …and mussed, whereas if they are …d in place in a trunk which is not …for its contents, you will get far …. A hostess shudders, too, on …the arrival of a mammoth trunk. …inconsiderate to incumber her …h luggage, and this is a point …if you would be a welcome …

…s in Arrangement.

…ing for a summer tour, you should …nge your packing, so that the …need most and first will be near …The heavier garments, which you …you for emergencies in case of …er, may be neatly packed at the …m, and if covered securely with …cloth and held in place either by …ers, will act as a false bottom and …interfere with the lighter clothes.

…N THE SEWING ROOM.

…Seams.

…News:] A small hammer, kept …wing machine, will prove invalu…for smart taps on the thick seam …ns to go under the machine foot …and makes it easy to sew through. …olled and creased by passing the …moothly and firmly over the …requires no basting. Gathers …htly with this handy helper do …e lunch up while being sewed.

…e Worn Places.

…way to strengthen the worn places …rments is to stitch them with the …achine back and forth in parallel …s from turn the goods and run …right angles to those already …

…Tuck.

…g children's dresses, writes a con…the St. Louis Star, I find it quite …to make a large hem at the bot…g a tuck underneath in the hem, …as needed.

…N THE LAUNDRY.

…e Clean.

…st Sun:] First of all, the irons …aculately clean and suited to …to be ironed. Irons come now …for all purposes.

…irons slowly, but have them very …starting, even if they must be …. Try them on a soft clean …

…ing sheet also must be clean. …eries cover the ordinary ironing …this material; for embroidery …a Turkish towel, pinned tightly …board. To stiffen articles slightly without starch rub them on the wrong side with warm water and borax.

To clean the irons if starch sticks rub them over fine emery paper, then with a little paraffin wrapped in muslin. If an iron becomes rusty scrub it with hot water and soap, then rub it very lightly with lard. Wipe it carefully with absorbent cotton to remove all traces of the lard.

Avoid Red Heat.

Never allow irons to get red hot, as it takes the temper out. Do not put a hot iron in water to cool it; stand it on one side for a few minutes.

It is unwise to put irons directly over the gas flame, as it spoils the iron. In the absence of a special device for holding them use an asbestos mat.

When possible colored goods should be ironed on the wrong side, then pressed on the right. This brings out the coloring. All wool underwear ought not to be ironed, as ironing causes it to shrink.

CLEANSING PROBLEMS.

Infallible for Gloves.

[Washington Star:] And now for soiled gloves. The best way to clean them is to make a naphtha soapsuds—which is no different from a water soapsuds, save that the naphtha is not warmed as the water generally is. But rub a cake of soap about in naphtha until a foamy suds results, and in this suds wash the gloves. Rinse them in clear naphtha. The professional cleaners use chloroform in a third rinsing naphtha, but it is troublesome for most of us to go to that trouble, and gloves washed first in soap and naphtha, then in clear naphtha, will be spotless, if anything can make them so.

Wood Ashes and Lemon Juice.

Here is a southern housewife's method of cleaning brass. She mixes fine wood ashes with lemon juice to make a paste, just thin enough to handle on a soft flannel cloth. With this paste she rubs the stained brass until it shines clean and untarnished. She then rubs it with a chamois or another flannel cloth, and the work is finished.

KINKS IN THE KITCHEN.

Some Dont's.

[Philadelphia Press:] Don't throw out fat after frying or boiling pork or bacon, but keep until there is a quart or more, then simmer over slow fire till fat ceases to bubble. Turn off clear fat from the sediment. The fat makes excellent shortening.

Don't forget, a dirty oven is liable to spoil the flavor of anything cooked in it.

Don't put pastry into slow oven; the fat will melt out and the pastry will be hard.

Don't throw away sour milk; it will make sweet light bread, griddle cakes, tea cakes and pastry.

Don't waste cold vegetables; fritters, purees and salads can be excellently made from them.

When Boiling Ham.

[Philadelphia Telegraph:] When boiling a ham or piece of bacon put in the saucepan any bones which you may have, and the liquor when cold sets in a jelly which is very useful and nourishing for making soup or gravy. It is surprising how much goodness can be boiled out of bones, and cooking them with the ham saves extra trouble and fuel.

FOR THE LARDER.

Outdoor Cupboard.

[Ladies' Home Journal:] An outdoor cupboardwill be found especially useful and economical before and after the regular season for buying ice. Indeed, it may save one from taking ice for a good while. Such a cupboard should be set up outside a kitchen window. It may be made of boards a foot wide, with lighter boards inserted for shelves. The window will serve as the door of the cupboard.

To Preserve Butter.

For packing butter for keeping the following plan is a very reliable one, says a contributor to the Commoner: To every twenty pounds of butter take three pounds of salt, one pound of loaf sugar, one-fourth pounds of pulverized saltpeter, and mix thoroughly. Put a layer of butter, about eight inches thick, then sprinkle on a light covering of the mixture, then a layer of butter, then the mixture, alternating in this way until your cask is full. Pack the butter tightly in air-tight casks. Butter put up in this way will last a year, retaining its sweetness.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

[Dallas News:] Nowadays, physicians advise a good bedtime meal for people who are nervous and emaciated.

In cooking very sour fruits, put in a very little salt, and much less sugar will be necessary.

To make fudge smooth and creamy, add to it (while making) a level teaspoonful of cornstarch.

Each child should possess a laundry bag and put its soiled clothes in it as soon as they are taken off.

Fountain Pen.—Rub paraffin on the thread of a fountain pen before screwing on the head and it will prevent leaking.

Toast.—Use a sheet of asbestos laid over the top of the stove if you wish to make a large quantity of toast at once.

A galvanized tub should be cleaned with gasoline or kerosene and then scrubbed with hot water and soap.

To remove coffee stains, stretch the napkin or the tablecloth over a basin and pour hot water through the cloth.

If you are mixing a cake with a wooden spoon, beat the mixture with the back of the spoon. It is far easier and becomes beautifully light in half the time.

If bright saucepans and kettles have to be used over a smoky fire, smearing a little grease over the bright part will prevent the smoke from blackening the metal. If washed after use in hot water, the pan will be as bright as ever.

HEARTSEASE.

Direct Healing.

[Nautilus:] Why do New Thought healers and metaphysicians generally object to the use of medicine in its other phase as a chemical stimulant to vital reaction? For a multitude of reasons, but one will suffice; the only cause of disease is abnormal thought or emotion—back of every attack, acute or chronic, lies a false belief of an intense and wrongly directed desire or emotion. As long as these corrosive vibrations are turned into the organism it is impossible for permanent health to exist; and on the other hand, as soon as they are reversed, the life power which originally built the body is perfectly capable of rebuilding and setting it to rights. To strive to force it to do so by the use of chemical irritants, while at the same time destructive thought is allowed to continue its work, is absurd.

Friend Trouble.

We try to shy trouble and duck when it comes,
Friend Trouble, that's always on hand;
But I've learned that to meet him face
front is the best,
So he'll feel the first blow where you land.
It's so much more human and honest and
true
To stand to the strife, if you can,
And in spite of the things that you may
have to rue—
It brings out the stuff in a man.

It brings out the stuff that is finest and
best,
It brings out life's courage and zeal;
A new-born devotion and service and zest
For the things that are righteous and
real.
Friend Trouble knows it before you have
learned,
And he'll weaken and waver and run,
And you'll rise from the struggle so glad
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Exploded Notions on Poultry Raising.

By Michael K. Boyer.

Scientific Methods.

THOSE OF TODAY HAVE UPSET ANTIQUATED IDEAS.

[Hundreds of pet theories of old have been exploded by recent years of experimentation and research. Many poultry raisers recall the beliefs that the position of the egg during setting or the shape of the egg had a direct connection with sex.

Such ideas date back to Roman days, but through all the centuries Nature has guarded her secrets jealously, and not even today is one iota more known about the subject than 2000 years ago, except that man cannot influence or foretell sex.

The writer of the following article has compiled some highly interesting matter on the subject.

The illustration shows the beautifully feathered Single Comb Buff Orpingtons.]

DURING the thirty or more years that I have been engaged in poultry culture as a business, I have witnessed the death of hundreds of pet theories, such as the egg type, the nest egg, controlling sex in eggs, thunder storms destroying hatches, the presence of the male for egg production, etc. In those days nothing could have destroyed those theories, but subsequent experimenting and investigation have turned the pet ideas of our forefathers into jokes.

I well remember a theory my father held firmly to regarding the cause of the gape worm. He was engaged in poultry work on quite an extensive scale, about 1870. He contended that lice produced gapes. When a chick was infested with vermin they gradually crawled up to the head of the bird, entered its nostrils and got down into the throat! This caused the chick to gape—hence the name!

Another theory that is even hard to down at the present day is the nest egg. It has been contended for years, and, as I said, still upheld by certain classes, that unless there are eggs in a nest the hen will not lay. One old lady once told me that the way she induces her hens to lay plentifully is to put a half-dozen china nest eggs in the nest. Old Biddy, seeing the collection, grows enthusiastic and adds another, and so on. It was not until the trap nest came into general use that this theory began to totter. Nest eggs are not used in trap nests, and our phenomenal records all come from trap-nested stock.

Males Don't Help Egg Laying.

An equally popular theory was that the presence of the male is necessary in the pen to encourage egg production. On some of the largest poultry egg farms in the country no males are kept, except in the breeding pens. If the attentions of the male are necessary for egg laying, these large farms would have failed. The mission of the male is to fertilize and not make eggs.

We have a theory today that is equally as bad as any just mentioned, namely, the theory that the color of the shell indicates the richness of the contents of the egg. In some sections the demand is heavy for brown eggs, and in others for white eggs. Each champion will declare his choice is one of fine flavor. The truth is, nothing flavors the egg but food. Would a brown egg laid by a hen that had been feasting heavily on fish, or onions, be superior to a white egg laid by a hen that was given pure, sound grain, and vice versa?

The egg-type theory received a severe knock-out when the trap nest gave the phenomenal record to a Brahma hen, and subsequently to birds of the American class, and yet the famous "egg type" was a hen in shape and style much of the Leghorn order.

For years there existed a theory that in case a heavy thunder storm arose toward the end of a hatch, all life in those eggs would be destroyed. Repeated experiments proved that such ideas were without foundation, and one of the best tests I ever knew happened while I was one year visiting poultry farms in New England. A very heavy thunder and lightning storm came up one afternoon. The thunder fairly shook the buildings. Up in the hay loft a hen had stolen a nest, and being very determined to set, the farmer had given her some eggs. The hatch was about due when this storm arose. The lightning came down and struck the barn, and within a short distance of her tore off the weather boarding, but, fortunately, did not set fire to the building. After the storm was over the farmer crept up to the loft, expecting to find Biddy dead. Instead she was peacefully setting on her eggs, and in a day or two afterward brought out a good hatch.

As to Broody Mated Hens.

There are still many who believe that mated hens will become broody before unmated ones. I have had occasion to watch this theory for the past ten years, and have found that there is nothing to it. Each year we have quite a number of hens unmated, selling these eggs for table purposes. Carefully-kept records show that we get as many broodies from our unmated flocks as we do from our breeding pens. We have also learned (we use trap nests) that the early broodies are those that have given us the heaviest egg production during the winter months.

Another old theory is that the small, or "pigeon"-sized egg, is the last of the litter. It was generally believed that that particular hen had wound up her laying for the season. On the contrary, our records show that two days after laying these eggs the normal size is again produced. I remember how some of the farmers looked upon such eggs with suspicion. They were declared "unlucky" and must not be brought into the house. In order to break the spell the command was to throw them over the house chimney.

Another theory was that when the egg is smooth on the end it will produce a pullet, and when it had a zig-zag mark or quirl on one end it was sure to produce a rooster. Repeated experiments have proved that there is nothing whatever in such a belief.

No Way to Foretell Sex.

There is no method known to foretell the sex of eggs, and yet this theory dates back to the early ages. Even Columella, the grand source of poultry antiquity, wrote: "If all males are desired, set only the pointed eggs; if all females, set the rounded ones."

Another version was that eggs long and thin will produce cockerels, while the short, dumpy ones pullets. Again, it used to be claimed that eggs produced before noon are responsible for a certain sex, while those laid after noon will be of the opposite gender. Also, many formerly believed if the newly-laid egg is at once placed under incubation it will hatch a cockerel; but if held for four or five days the result will be pullet.

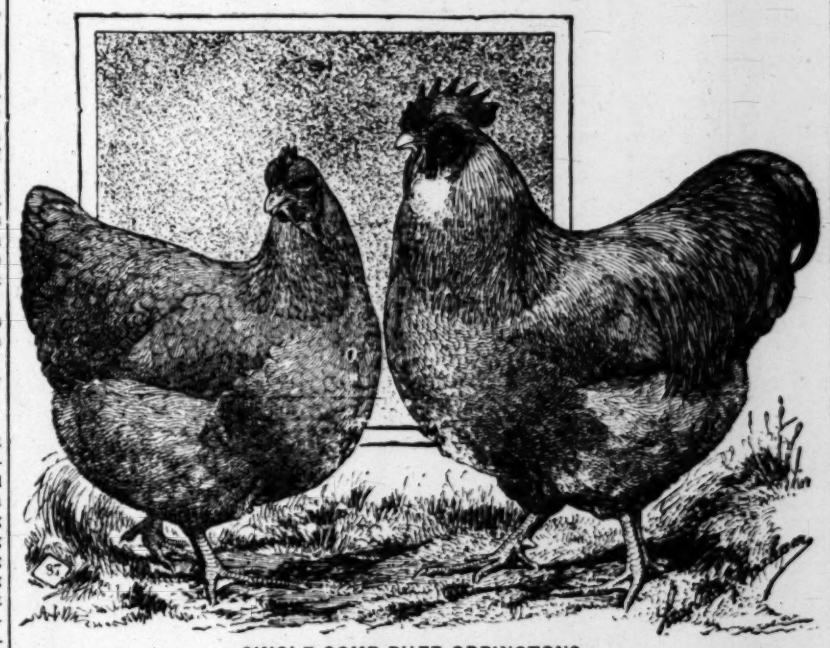
Also the position of the eggs in the nest determines the sex, according to old notions. Should the end of the egg point south the result will be a pullet, and if to the north, a cockerel, was another old-fashioned idea.

Ancient Roman writers asserted that the males, but Aristotle believed the contrary to be the case.

Any student of embryology knows that for the first few days the chicken in embryo is sexless, and at a week old distinctly hermaphroditic—containing within itself rudimentary organs pertaining to both sexes. After this stage it goes in either direction or another, one set of organs growing less while the other growing greater.

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the august person of the newly-elected guardian of our civic interests, Mr. H. Mellus, the Lord Mayor. Around were the less dignitaries of the body corporate, whose 'ineffectual fire' paled before the effulgence of the great lord of the day. Thus in majesty triumphant—" and so on, with all of the humorous irony of political pea-shooting, finishing with, "We did not observe the cap and bells, but the character was successfully maintained without the dress and decoration." It was in this administration that the telegraph line between San Francisco and the East was extended to Los Angeles, and $100 a month subscribed by citizens for daily dispatches to keep in touch with the war news.

Marchessault was again elected Mayor in 1861 to 1864, Jose Mascarel in 1865, followed by C. Aguilar, D. Marchessault, C. Aguilar—two years—Joel Turner, at which point the specified term of one year was lengthened to two. A considerable amount of building was now under way, there having been up to this time no three-story structures, and only a few of two stories. The first bank was instituted, the manufacture of gas was begun, and the building of railroads agitated, the railway going into operation between Los Angeles and San Pedro in November, 1869.

C. Aguilar was again elected in 1868, and succeeded by Maj. J. R. Toberman, a man whose position of trust in this region, as United States Revenue Assessor under Lincoln, agent of Wells Fargo & Co. Express, secretary of the newly organized gas company, one of the organizers of the first bank, Councilman from his ward—had proven him the man for the place. He was twice re-elected, serving from 1879 through 1882, in his third administration materially reducing taxes, and signing a contract with a St. Louis man for our first electric light plant. He was a strong advocate of the Southern Pacific Railroad, securing its admission by voting a tax of $500,000.

Prudent Beaudry went into office, after a sharp skirmish, in 1875. He had previously served as Councilman, and had performed wonders in developing the northwestern hill section of the city, perfecting a high-water-service system, and thereby making a charming residence section of the previously barren hills. He inaugurated the canal and reservoir system, and his real estate operations gave to the public at least fifty miles of street. He graded the hill west of New High street, and constructed a retaining wall 565 feet long and fifty feet high at a cost of $100,000. He blockaded the diversion of the public funds to private uses, and it was he who drove the gold spike that completed the first railroad connection between San Francisco and Los Angeles. Later he started the Temple street cable road. He made and lost several fortunes in his operations, being a venturesome spirit, and sparing nothing in his zeal for the city's development.

A. F. McDougall, J. B. Toberman, C. E. Thom, and E. F. Spence successively held the office of Mayor, the first telephones being installed in Spence's administration. Then came the administration of W. H. Workman during 1887 and 1888. Workman has done for the Boyle Heights section what Beaudry did for the west hills—transformed them from a barren, unirrigated, tenantless tract to what they have become now—popular, fertile residence sections. Mayor Workman made a sturdy fight against every manner of graft, with the great representative daily behind him. He discovered that protection money was being received from gamblers by officials, and kept at this, and other violations, finally breaking them up before he went out of office. He initiated the paving of the Los Angeles streets. He tells how upon a trip to Portland he was near when some denizens of Los Angeles met some friends who were thinking of going thither. "Don't!" shouted the Angeleno; "for the town is nothing but mud—mud several feet deep everywhere!" And this is one of the things that "Uncle Billy" cleaned up. He brought about the building of the City Hall, at an expenditure of $280,000. "And not a cent of graft!" declares Uncle Billy proudly. Viaducts were built across the river at very small cost to the city, the Santa Fe contributing $30,000, the cable road $25,000, the Salt Lake Road $10,000, leaving but $20,000 for the city to assume. Mr. Workman also applied to the Council for the cleaning up of the pest-houses, making great reforms in this direction. In his capacity of ex-officio police judge, at the same time he was Mayor, a vagrant was brought before him. Looking at the man closely he saw that he was afflicted with smallpox. Uncle Billy's first thought was to isolate the poor wretch. He had him conveyed hastily to the big cellar scooped out where the Bryson block now stands, and placed in a far corner by himself while the ambulance was sent for.

Mr. Workman donated Hollenbeck Park to the city, and was instrumental in founding Westlake Park. When property in the northwest section was selling for $8 to $10 an acre, the section of thirty-five acres comprising the present park was put up at auction. The auctioneer tried to start the bidding at $10 per acre, gradually coming down without a single bid, until it was finally offered for 25 cents! But no one would have the land even at that figure. Add that is the reason that the city retained it. He persuaded the city to put up half and the members of the Council half of the expense to make a park of the discouraging little alkali hollow, with what result the present Westlake Park bears evidence.

Henry T. Hazard, elected in 1889, continued the work of paving so well commenced. He also made Elysian Park accessible to the public, turning the laugh at "Hazard's burro trail" into admiration.

T. E. Rowan, Frank Rader, M. P. Snyder, Fred Eaton, M. P. Snyder again, Owen McAleer, A. C. Harper, W. D. Stephens, George Alexander, Mayor Rose—and we are down to the present date. It would be impossible to tell outside of a volume of the important work done in each and every administration toward the city's development. The Mayor may be but the servant of the people, but he is in a position of great power for good or ill in a city's development; and Los Angeles has been fortunate.

Altitude and Energy.

[Youth's Companion:] Two members of the Academie des Sciences have made an interesting study of the effect of high altitude upon muscular effort. By repeated observations, they found that at sea level a squirrel confined in a rotary cage made 6700 turns of the wheel a day. They then took the animal to the summit of Mont Blanc, at which height (15,782 feet) it made only 900 turns. When they brought it down to sea level again, it made 5000 turns. The experiment shows that the fatigue felt by mountain climbers is not caused wholly by the exertion of climbing, although that is important. The case of the squirrel, which was carried without any exertion of its own to the summit of a lofty mountain, shows that the lessened atmospheric pressure and the smaller supply of oxygen are enough in themselves to diminish muscular energy. Observations on men, horses and mules in the Cordilleras of the Andes support this conclusion.

Eve's Daughter.

I waited in the little sunny room;
The cool breeze waved the window lace at play;
The white rose on the porch was all in bloom,
And out upon the bay
I watched the wheeling sea birds go and come.

"Such an old friend, she would not make me stay
While she bound up her hair." I turned, and lo,
Danae in her shower! And fit to slay
All a man's hoarded prudence at a blow;
Gold hair that streamed away.

As round a nymph a sunlit fountain's flow,
"She would not make me wait!" But well I know
She took a good half-hour to loose and lay
Those locks in dazzling disarrangement so!
—[E. R. Sill, in Kansas City Star.

"Prunella."

I shall drink starlight for one night,
One perfect night of bliss, and dream
In sleeping gardens of delight,
Where moonshine falls and lilies gleam;
Where the red rose tells passion's birth,
And love is mystical and high,
Enfolding all the somber earth,
Illumining the farthest sky.
Oh, lyric voice that sobs and sings
Life's fullest rapture and regret,
You bid me leave the lesser things—
I hear you—and forget!
—[Leolyn Louise Everett, in Life.

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Diarrhoea	Nervousness
Constipation	Pimples
Indigestion	Asthma
Headache	Stomach Trouble
Dizziness	Chronic Cough
Poor Circulation	Anemia
Obesity	Hay Fever

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...thus force him out the President will do so, but he will not take any aggressive action in that direction.

WEALTHY MEXICAN, CAUGHT SNIPING, SHOT.

This Human Body of Ours. Plain Truths and Simple.

Drug Versus Drugless Healing.

THE JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, like the members of the medical school it represents, does not like the new methods of drugless healing, and in this respect the Journal is not up to date. It does not represent modern conditions. The fact is that the people are becoming tired of drugs, and more thorough study of the human system has developed the methods now practiced by the numerous representatives of the drugless systems, whereby nature is given a chance to effect a cure. The "regular" physicians seek to cure disease by treating symptoms, using such drugs as will neutralize the symptoms exhibited by the patient. The recuperative powers of nature are practically ignored. The drugless healers recognize nature, and by removing the impingement of nerves, the contracted condition of muscles, etc., give nature the opportunity to cure without having to overcome the additional effect of drugs poured into the system to neutralize the symptoms of disease. "Chiropractic is a freak offshoot from osteopathy," says the Journal. "Its followers assert that disease is caused by pressure on spinal nerves and can be eradicated by adjusting the vertebrae. It is the sheerest kind of quackery." The same thing used to be said of osteopathy by the Journal of the American Medical Association, but the allopaths have been compelled to recognize the drugless system practiced by the followers of Dr. Still and the men who were associated with him in the development of osteopathy. The same conditions existed when homeopathy came into the field as a competitor with the allopathic system. The same snub is given Christian Science. The time is coming when the Journal and its followers will have to recognize the superior advantages of drugless-healing methods. In fact, they exist today because of the backwardness of the allopathic physicians in recognizing that there could be other ways of helping nature than by the use of drugs.

In the Journal of the American Medical Association of August 23, 1913, Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur of San Francisco, in speaking of the teaching of therapeutics, said students should be given to understand "that the osteopath, the masseur, the hydrotherapeutist, all may obtain therapeutic results even if their knowledge is crude, their logic poor, their theory unscientific," and he warns physicians that "they will find their superior knowledge is not a sufficient magnet to draw patients to them from the hands of the drugless healer and the faddist. Drugless healing," he continues, "is a reproach to medicine." Drugs are nauseating, and the people are becoming tired of being nauseated, and once having experienced the greater pleasure of the drugless methods they are done with drugs forever.

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The "Blind Spot" in Diagnosis.

[Chicago Tribune:] There is a certain area of the retina called the blind spot. Any image thrown by the lens on that spot alone is unseen. Cabot says that most doctors develop retinal blind spotism when they get a notion that a person is neurasthenic or hysteric. At once they become unseeing.

To prove it he cites the details in six cases. A girl had pain scattered throughout her body and a lot of miscellaneous feelings and oppressions. She had diabetes. A hard-working Irish woman had all the signs of nervousness from overwork and nothing more. She had consumption in an early stage.

A hysterical telephone girl had hysterics all right enough, but she also had a fatal suppurative inflammation of the kidney. Another had a tumor in the chest. The sixth case who felt "all smashed up" had insomnia due to nervousness, and was found to have Bright's disease.

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Do We Need to Eat Meat?

The high cost of meat, and the probability that it will remain high, naturally raises the question of the actual need of meat for the preservation of our health and strength. There are advocates both for and against the use of meat, but neither one is conclusive. In Health Culture for April human beings are compared with the ape which has the same blood characteristic and possesses the same organs we do; sees, tastes, feels as we do, and under civilized conditions is affected by drugs the same way as we are. The conclusion is that food suited to the ape should be also suited to his higher neighbor, man. The ape is not an eater of flesh; his diet is grains, nuts, green plants, birds' eggs, etc. The enormous physical strength of the ape family proves the efficiency of his diet.

It is of little use to say that we have always eaten meat, and cannot do without it. It is by consideration of all points bearing upon human welfare and improvement that we are to arrive at normal diet conditions, and while we have made improvements there are many subjects in which we are still lacking, one of which is diet. In Brain and Brawn we are told that "one of the absurd claims put forth in behalf of flesh food by those who are ignorant of food values—including many physicians—is that it is necessary to furnish the protein or muscle-forming element of food. Let us see: Here are the average amounts, in ounces, of protein contained in one pound of various foods. Beefsteak, 3¼; dried beans, 5; cream cheese, 4½; peanuts, 3; oatmeal, 2. So you see that even oatmeal contains two-thirds as much, and beans 50 per cent. more protein than beefsteak."

The Journal of the American Medical Association commenting on the availability of nutrients from plant sources says it has long been believed that it may be possible to utilize green vegetables so as to make them more available for digestion and assimilation by man. In Germany it has been found that bean powder fed to man in the form of a puree contains far more nourishment than beans served in the usual form. Spinach, carrots and cabbage, similarly prepared, were enjoyed with singular freedom from the troublesome intestinal symptoms which so often follow their use. The usefulness of these plant products appears to have been augmented by their preliminary treatment. A group of vegetable products has thus been converted into a source of nutriment. The report of the Altona clinic shows that ten ounces a day of vegetable powder, equivalent to six pounds of fresh plant, may easily be assimilated—an amount which in the natural state could not be tolerated. Without discussing the advantages and disadvantages of the use of foods of animal and vegetable origin, we are bound to admit that man and animal alike are dependent on plants for nutrition, and with improved processes of preparing plants as food there will be less demand for meat, as it is just as well to absorb food values of plants directly as indirectly after they have been turned into meat by animals.

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Look Out for Ptomaine Poisoning.

As the warm weather comes on it is necessary that care be taken to avoid ptomaine poisoning. This danger is supposed to come from eating meat of diseased animals, but it may come from canned goods that have been imperfectly sealed. It is impossible to detect the poisonous bacteria without bacteriological examination, owing to the fact that they do not cause putrefaction. In the great majority of cases cooking renders such articles of food harmless, but there are many articles of canned food that are eaten without cooking beyond what is done when they are put up at the factory; then again, there are cases on record where the bacteria have survived though the food has been cooked after taken from its receptacle, and illness and death have resulted. A few don'ts are therefore in order:

Don't keep meat in the refrigerator unless it is properly iced.

Don't omit to clean the refrigerator frequently, using strong hot soda solution.

Don't use meat unless it is absolutely fresh; never attempt to freshen it by washing with salt, soda, etc.

Don't buy chopped meats or sausage unless absolutely sure that it is fresh.

Finally, don't buy from any butcher unless sure that his meats are fresh and handled in a sanitary manner.

Symptoms of ptomaine poisoning are vomiting, severe abdominal pains, diarrhoea, fever, and prostration, oftentimes resulting in death. Canned foods are more universally used in summer than at any other time of the year, though here in Southern California they are much used at all seasons, and it is well to keep in mind the importance of looking at the can before opening it to see if it has bulged any at the ends, indicating the presence of gas in the can. Unless absolutely sure that the food is good it is better to throw it away, as a few cents lost in that way might save many dollars from illness.

If any of the symptoms of ptomaine poisoning should be felt, a prompt emetic should be taken that the stomach may be emptied of its contents. Do not wait to call the doctor. Swallow a spoonful of salt and at the same time mix a spoonful of mustard in either hot or cold water, and swallow it as soon as possible. Don't wait upon the order of doing it, but do it at once. Then if you want to send for the doctor to have him end up the case, it may be done, but don't forget that there are things to do before he can get there.

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Some Uses of Sugar.

There are many more uses for sugar than as food for man. It has been used for many years as a component of high-grade cement, giving it additional strength. It is a good fattening substance for cattle. It is of value in many industries because of the fact that it is a cheap carbohydrate containing a large proportion of carbon and has properties analogous to those of the acids in forming definite and soluble compounds with some bases. Old-fashioned blacking containing sugar is regarded by many people as superior in its properties of polishing and preserving leather to the modern wax and fluid polishes. Sugar finds extended application in the printing industry, entering into the composition of printers' ink and printers' rollers are made of a mixture of glue and glycerin or sugar. As a cheap substitute for glycerin or alcohol, it enters into the composition of transparent soaps, and a combination with nitric acid yields a series of explosives. In leather manufacture it is said to be used to remove the lime "used as a scourer of the hides."

As a component of chewing tobacco the American Tobacco Company is said to be contracting for a large proportion of the maple sugar produced in Northern New York the present season.

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A Good Physical Condition.

When the back muscles and the abdominal muscles are in good tone, when there is just enough fat and not too much, when the abdomen measures less than the chest, the organs of the abdomen are in the position where they were placed when Nature started us out. The stomach is above the navel and on the left side. The emptying end of the stomach is in the middle line above the navel, and the small and large intestines are properly coiled up below it. The liver is on the right side, the spleen on the left side, and behind and below are the kidneys and the organs of generation. The organs are held in position by three structures, firm holding ligaments, muscles and fat. As the result of flabby muscles, of being too thin, of being too fat and then suddenly becoming thin, of insufficient chewing of the food, of improper eating, of wearing corsets and perhaps of other causes, the organs sometimes get out of position and do not work right. The stomach may have slouched down until it reaches well into the pelvis, or the large intestine, instead of crossing the abdomen above the navel, sags down three or four inches below the navel. The stomach tires itself out trying to lift food from the pelvis back up to the region of the liver; the large intestine does not do its work properly, and there is constipation.

The first thing to do is to arrange for some setting-up process to develop both tissue and muscle tone. A good developer of both the abdominal and back muscles is to lie on the floor, and practice raising the feet to a vertical position and then raising the body to a vertical position. Rolling on the floor so as to twist the abdominal muscles is a good exerciser for them, and as the muscles recover their strength the organs of the body will be drawn back into position. There is not much hope for a person with a sagged abdomen. He is to complain of one thing after long as he lives. When such a condition is discovered it is time for him to change his habits, and change a thorough one.

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...adium Cure Doubted.

...Minneapolis Star:] "It is doubtful if ...the results resulting from the social evil can ...be cured, only the test of time will tell," ...Dr. Charles P. Emerson, president of ...Indiana University School of Medicine, ...in an address before 100 students and the ...faculty of Butler College yesterday.

...The statement caused surprise, coming ...as it did from one of the leading medical authorities ...of the country and after the circulation of a ...report that a recently-discovered process ...had cured cure.

...The treatment recently introduced here ...has been a success, but there is no assur... ...Dr. Emerson said. "Certainly it is ...a wonderful discovery, and the results ...have been gratifying, but it must ...stand the test of years.

...Twenty-five years must elapse before ...the treatment has been thoroughly tested, ...to reflect on the next generation noted. ...Only the victims recover, but we are ...unable to tell whether or not the result is ...harmful."

...It is an established fact, Dr. Emerson ...said, that 50 per cent. of all cases of rheu... ...tism come from these diseases. A large ...number of the operations on women re... ...from the same source as well as many ...cases of blindness, he said.

...The moral deficiency is increasing at a rapid ...rate, because of the followers of social evil," ...Dr. Emerson said, "and if some method of ...curing the plague is not discovered soon ...the number of insane will form no small ...part of our population before three genera... ...have passed."

Very Simple.

[Satisfied:] "My dear," said Mrs. ... to her husband, "what is a canard?"

"Do you know what a canard is?" que... ...Mrs. "Why, the word itself con... ...its own meaning."

"It is? Well, really, what does it ...mean?"

"A canard is something which one ...doesn't believe, of course."

"To be sure! Why couldn't I think

Vocal Physiology.

THROAT AND LUNGS STRENGTHENED BY PROPER USE.

By Edward B. Warman. A. M.

It is an acknowledged fact and one in which our leading physicians will concur, that ignorance of the right use of the lungs and larynx is the cause of much of the bronchitis and pulmonary consumption among students, teachers, clergymen, vocalists and other public and professional men and women.

The difficulty arises not in using the voice too much, but in not using it correctly. Under a skilful teacher there is no danger of the most delicate and sensitive throat being injured, but on the contrary, all of the vocal organs will be strengthened, and weak lungs will become strong and healthful in their action. I speak of a skilful teacher because many voices have been seriously injured through the ignorance of persons undertaking to teach vocal training, while they themselves know little or nothing of the mechanism of the human voice, of its wonderful possibilities, and of the anatomy and physiology of the vocal apparatus.

It will always be found that a little showing —personal work — is worth volumes of written instruction, but there are thousands who may be reached by the pen who cannot avail themselves of the advantages gained by coming under the direct supervision of the teacher.

The training of the voice is a health proposition.

Some years ago a young lady came to me for physical exercises. The doctor pronounced her condition tubercular and decreed that she would "pass over when the leaves fall," unless some means other than medicine were employed. At this juncture she came to me and I realized that immediate attention was necessary, but I was impressed that in her case vocal treatment was indicated. Anyhow, the basis of all physical and vocal work is identical: viz: the correct position and carriage of the body and the necessity of correct breathing. Acting on this hypothesis, I began. At the end of five weeks—taking three lessons a week—she had gained twenty-five pounds in weight, and every vestige of the cough had disappeared; in fact she had obtained a new lease on life. When I saw her again "the leaves had fallen" for eight consecutive seasons and she was the very picture of health.

This, and hundreds of other cases, furnish conclusive proof that no better exercise can be given for throat, bronchia and lungs than proper voice training.

As a rule avoid the various nostrums for the voice—troches, cough drops, expectorants, etc.—they may appear to improve the voice but they will ultimately prove a detriment, the tone of the mucus membrane becoming more or less affected; in fact, so perverted that serious results may follow. Keep the throat, especially the pharyngeal cavity, as clear and clean as possible, as its lining requires the same care in the matter of cleanliness as does the lining of a flute. Gargle the throat night and morning with salt and water, and there will be no need of nostrums of any kind and no fear of throat trouble. As it is not always convenient to have fresh water the first thing in the morning and the last thing at night, I would suggest that a pint or quart bottle of a saturated solution (of salt and water)—or nearly so—be kept on hand, otherwise you are likely to neglect it. While you are gargling give the vocal organs exercise by singing "Ah" through all the variations—now high, now low, now loud, now soft.

Avoid tight collars, tight neckties or tight neckbands of any kind, as they interfere with the free circulation of the blood, also causing headache and vertigo. Avoid clearing(?) the throat and coughing. Continued coughing is like trying to heal a wound by scratching it. When tempted to cough, draw a long breath (through the nostrils) and check it a moment—until it warms and soothes every cell, then emit it slowly through the mouth. The nitrogen, which is held momentarily, acts as an anodyne to the irritated mucous membrane, allaying the desire to cough, thus giving the throat and bronchia a chance to heal.

In case of hoarseness resulting from a "cold," if it makes itself felt at the very inopportune time of just before speaking or singing, immediate relief may be had by allowing a little crumb of muriate of ammonia to slowly dissolve in the mouth. This may be had in convenient tablet form at druggists, or you can get a lump of it for a nickel—enough to last you a lifetime. It is not intended that you should make a meal of it—nor will you want to after you have tasted it. I have known it to restore the voice in a few minutes in case of one who could not speak above a whisper; but it should be used in the manner designated—only an occasional nibble from the lump or an occasional tablet. There is no danger, you understand, but you can have too much of a good thing. Any unpleasantness in the stomach will affect the voice.

As "prevention is better than cure," I would suggest that you do not "catch cold," and then you will escape the unpleasant concomitants—sore throat, hoarseness, swollen tonsils, elongated uvula, etc., etc. But how? Five things observe with care—what you eat, how you eat, when you eat, what you breathe and what you wear.

The health of the speaker or singer may be more or less impaired by insufficient ventilation of the church or hall. This, as well as the acoustics, is of the utmost importance. It is a well-known fact that sound is audible, in a greater or lesser degree, according to the density or resistance of the aerial fluid. When that fluid is thin the sound of the voice is diminished; whereas, if that fluid be wholly removed—as in an empty receiver—no sound whatever will result. This explains why the voice is more easily heard in a room when it is empty than when it is full. Another cause is that the clothing of the audience and the carpets and upholstering have a tendency to deaden the sound. Churches and all public halls should be thoroughly ventilated not only previous to their use, but during the time, as the internal heat rarefies the air, thereby forming an obstruction to the voice and interfering with its carrying power.

Be careful regarding the pitch of the voice if you wish to preserve a healthful condition of the throat and vocal chords. Because today you speak to an audience of 500 and on the morrow to 5000, it is not necessary to raise the pitch to reach the multitude. This is a very common error. I could cite you cases in my own experience in which I have been heard by indoor and outdoor audiences ranging from 5000 to 25,000. This should be done without either hoarseness, weariness or effort, but with voice and manner that will command attention. The physiological principle that is involved is: first, the voice must be well placed against the hard palate; second, it must be sustained by the correct use of the diaphragm and the waist muscles; third, the words must be carved (not clipped,) firm and well rounded, giving to every element its due quantity and quality.

The vowels, naturally, are full and open and when properly given will carry a great distance without effort. Distinctness, however, is due to the consonants—the hinges, joints, articulations between the vowels. Special care should be given to the final consonants; that is, the voice should be projected beyond the shut positions without opening the position—thus avoiding the explosive voice and puff of breath so frequently heard in speaking and singing. Ninety-nine out of every 100 speakers and singers swallow, so to speak, the final consonants, and even the final syllables, instead of projecting them.

Instead of raising the pitch the words should be magnified in proportion to the distance they are to cover. The great difficulty, physiologically speaking, is the rasping of the throat—too great contraction for the volume of voice sent through it.

A good rule to follow in addressing very large audiences is to speak to those in the last row of seats in such a tone of voice, quantity and quality, as will not be unpleasant to those who are near. Be distinct without being pedantic. In the most impassioned discourse the same rule holds good, and the orator in his flights of eloquence gets what is termed a "swing to his sentences." There should be a continuity of the flow of words together with that of the voice.

Avoid monotony (except when singing a baby to sleep.) Choose the best tone for ease and strength, then play above and below it. Do not begin on a high key, do not strain the vocal organs, do not attempt that which you are unprepared to give. For health-sake study the voice from a physical viewpoint as a basis, and then add the soul element as a capstone to the structure.

[Cincinnati Enquirer:] "What are you wearing that thing for?" asked Mrs. Gabb, when her husband came home with a band of crepe around his hat.

"For your first husband," replied Mr. Gabb. "I'm sorry he died."

BROOK AND BROOKLETS.

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Woman's Sense.

Some women have a sixth sense. Some have none.

The Man With the Hoe.

It is nobler and more useful to hoe beans than to paint a picture of a man hoeing beans.

Why?

Why is it that so many good people are bores, and so many bad people interesting?

Proper Habit of Hens.

Chickens are a frequent cause of neighborhood quarrels. Chickens belong in the country.

Preaching and Practice.

It is surely well for a man to practice what he preaches, but failure to do so does not affect the truth or falsity of what he says.

"Watch the Breaks."

Have you ever seen a small break in a levee? That is like the beginning of a habit. Watch the breaks.

Thinking for Themselves.

The trouble with the business of physicians, parsons and politicians is that people are beginning to think.

Punishment to Fit the Crime.

Persons who drop orange or banana peel on the sidewalk should serve a term in the chain gang.

The Hindrance of a Conscience.

What the world calls success is hard to achieve by those who are burdened with a conscience.

Cocky Youth.

Young scientists are inclined to be arrogant, and to think they know it all. As they grow older—if they are not altogether hopeless, but are able to think—they begin to find out how little they really know, like Sir Isaac Newton, who, on his deathbed, when congratulated by a student on his attainments, replied: "I feel like a child picking up shells on the shore of the Ocean of Knowledge."

Too Much Talk.

Constant talking exhausts the vitality. Meaningless society phrases are an unnecessary tax on the nervous system. Constant talking prevents one from thinking. Some cannot, or will not, think. They are lost and miserable without someone to talk to. You, my reader, I presume are not one of these. Talk less and think more. Do not "make talk." Talk when you have something to say.

No Use Thinking a Lie.

It is foolish and futile to affirm that you are healthy and wealthy and happy, when you know that you are sick, and poor, and miserable. As I have said, I do not see how anyone with a sense of humor can do this and look in the mirror without laughing at himself. On the other hand, it is well to affirm not that you are, but that you will be healthy, wealthy and happy, provided you follow up that affirmation by taking rational steps to secure what you desire, for there is scarcely any limit to what may be accomplished by determination and perseverance, backed by a strong will. Do not, however, permit yourself to be deluded into the belief that by taking "thot," new or old, you may either "add a cubit to your stature," or sit down and have things brought to you.

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thus force him out the President will do so, but he will not take any aggressive action in that direction.

WEALTHY MEXICAN, CAUGHT SNIPING, SHOT.

The Metropolis of Peru.

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separating them from the plaza. On the other side of the corridors is a wall of cave-like vaults, lighted only from the front and the roof. The stores are fifteen or twenty feet wide and twenty or thirty or more feet deep, and their ceilings are arched, so that the whole looks like one long vault. The goods are hung from the ceilings and piled up on the floors. The market seems to be a good one, and I saw many American articles.

Nearly all the houses of Arequipa have vaulted roofs and on some of the one-story structures the roofs extend up in oval domes or hoods. The city is under the shadow of the volcano Mt. Misti and in the past has had serious earthquakes. For this reason the skyscraper will never be known, and today a five-story building would be the talk of the town.

The city is one of the oldest towns in America and it dates back almost to the days of Pizarro. It is a place of old families, and of considerable culture. It is an ecclesiastical and political center. It has a university and several colleges, and also a school of arts and an agricultural institute. Moreover, it boasts of having the finest hospital in all South America, and that although its climate is one of the finest on earth.

In fact, I doubt whether you will find many places that have finer weather all the year around than Arequipa. The sky is almost always blue, and the sun almost always shines. At least this has been the case until lately. The people tell me there are more clouds in the sky now than ever before, and I understand that this cloudy condition is so increasing that Harvard University is seriously considering the removal of its observatory from here to some other place.

I doubt not, many of you have heard of the Harvard Observatory. It is one of the most noted astronomical stations of the whole world. It is situated on the slope of Mt. Misti, 500 feet above Arequipa, at such a place that its telescropes have an unobstructed view of the heavens. The institution has a fine plant, and it is equipped with great telescopes, one of which has a lens two feet in diameter enabling them to take photographs on plates fourteen by seventeen inches in size. The tube of that instrument must weigh a ton, but it is so delicately hung that a child could move it. There are other telescopes for taking the portraits of the stars, and for the past two or three decades these scientists of Harvard have been making heavenly records of this southern hemisphere. They have taken as many as fifty a night and thousands a year. The negatives after having been developed are shipped to Cambridge, where they are kept on file for scientific work. There is no such collection anywhere else and astronomers have to go there if they would make certain classes of study.

The Southern Cross.

There is, I am told, nothing duplicated in the sky. Each half of the world has its own stars and constellations, and there are some here that we never see in the north. One of these is the Southern Cross, but it seems to me that its beauty has been greatly exaggerated. There are only four stars in it, and they are so small that you have to look hard to find them. They do not compare with the Great Dipper. Many of the other stars are far more brilliant than in the north. This is so of the Milky Way, and of the most of the planets. I have been on the equator when the path of a planet on the still waters of the ocean was almost as well marked as that of the moon; and in riding at night up the Amazon River the stars were so close it seemed as though I could almost reach out and grasp them. Another reason for moving the Harvard Observatory is that its work has resulted in the southern heavens having been pretty thoroughly studied and mapped, and that reason for its existence has to some extent passed away.

The story of the establishment of this observatory is interesting. It is now about thirty-five years since Uriah H. Borden died and left $200,000 to Harvard University, with the understanding that the money was to be used to build an observatory at the best place upon earth for the study of the stars. The college authorities first tried Colorado and California, and then came to South America. Their first work was done back of Lima, at an altitude of about that of Mt. Washington on what is now called Mt. Harvard; but in 1890 they changed their station to Arequipa. The change was made because this place was thought to have more clear days and clear nights than any other locality on earth. Since then the astronomers of the university have been working here right along, and that not only at the observatory, but at the automatic meteorological station, which they have placed on the top of Mt. Misti.

Mt. Misti is 19,200 feet high, and this station is said to be the highest of its kind in the world. It is higher than any point in America outside Alaska, and it is fully a mile higher than our observatory on the top of Pike's Peak. The site of the station is on the edge of a huge crater, which until lately has been sending out clouds of yellow sulphurous vapor a thousand feet into the air. These clouds have now stopped and I am told that the volcano has been spitting out water and steam. No one knows what this may portend. The automatic instruments on the mountain are keeping a record of meteorological movements and the scientists visit them at intervals and bring back the results. The machines work with great regularity, but sometimes the mountain is so covered with snow and at other times visited by terrible winds, so that there may now and then be a break. Prof. Bailey, who established the stations, had great trouble in getting the Indians to help him up the volcano with the instruments, and it took a large number of mules to carry the material. At the top he found an iron cross standing and at this the Indians fell down and worshiped.

From Mollendo to Arequipa.

I wish I could take you over the trip I made up the Andes from Mollendo to Arequipa. The country is more dreary and wilder in aspect than that above Lima. We rode for miles without seeing a blade of grass or anything green. We passed over great beds of sand, walled with bluffs that had been ground so smooth by the winds that the strata showed forth. We passed traveling sand hills, great crescents or dunes, made by the grains of sand rolling over and over up the hill until they reached the top of the crest and rolled down the inside. Further on the sand had cut into the rock of the mountains, making great cracks in it like the wrinkles on an old woman's face. All the erosion here comes from the winds. There is no rain whatever and nevertheless the rocks in many places are ground to a powder.

Further on up the railroad the Andes grew wilder, and we seemed to have reached the very heart of old Mother Earth. Everything was rock, and there was not a bit of green to be seen. There was no soil. Indeed, it seemed as though the skin of vegetation and life had been peeled from the earth, and that we had our great rocky ball before us as it was before plant life or animal life had sprung into being.

At the same time, the scenery was magnificent. The air is so clear here that you can see for miles, and the clouds painted velvet spots on the hills. Toward evening the sun tinted the mountains with the most delicate blues, pinks, lavenders and mauves, and the whole looked like a mighty picture in colors, instantaneously sketched by the hands of the gods. As we started out we could see the ocean rolling its spray high on the beach, and at the close of our journey the moon was just rising over the snow of the mountains above old Arequipa. The whole formed a panorama such as I have seen nowhere else, and such as I venture can be seen nowhere else in the world.

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Our Manner of Speech.

[Indianapolis News:] Wu Ting-Fang, who was Minister to this country from China, has written a book about us. His observations, like himself, are interesting, and will be instructive to those who can receive them. But here, as in so many things, there will be much that we cannot receive, simply because we cannot. We are not able to recognize their truth and opposite-ness. One may be illustrated in his criticism of our drawling speech. He recognizes with acuteness that we speak with directness, and this makes him wonder the more that we should drawl our words and sentences to such a degree sometimes as to allow a story to grow "cold." He thinks we would much improve our speech if we would speed it up.

We are the folk that drawl, we and the southerners, far more than the easterners. Speech on the Atlantic Coast, at least from New York north, is noticeably faster than with us. Speech in Canada is still faster. It is there given with a jerk and rush that is not agreeable to us drawling folk; but as to its speed there is no doubt. We all of us drawl our speech, but more in the West than in the East; we give full force to every syllable, and in the last syllable generally give it more than full value by "sitting down on it," as the descriptive saying is. We drawl out Mi-lan and Ber-lin with a long rest on the last syllable, while the true accent is on the first syllable, quickly given, with the last slurred. So we tend generally to throw accents toward the end of words, whereas the genius of the language is to throw them at the beginning. It was by this means that the English gained two hours a day in their speech, as Voltaire said.

Thus we call the great English playwright Pi-nee-ro, with the accent on the second syllable, instead of Pin-e-ro, accent first. But how much of all this shall we be able to recognize? Not a great deal. Otherwise we should correct our speech, while the patent fact is that our common schools go on year after year, teaching our drawl, as well as our flattened vowels. Climate is supposed to be the great factor in things of this kind. It educates ear, as well as vocal organs, and this is one of the reasons that reformation is so difficult. People of the region of Philadelphia, for example, often cannot distinguish an "h," saying "wy" for "why," and not being able to aspirate the word when it is called for, because their ears do not guide them. The whole subject is an interesting one.

Wood Oil for Varnish.

[Indianapolis News:] Five million gallons of wood oil (also known as tung oil,) made from the seeds of the wood oil tree, was imported from China last year, and the product is said to have had a revolutionary effect on the varnish industry of the United States. It has largely taken the place of kauri gum and has made possible the manufacture of a quicker drying varnish, which is less liable to crack than that made from kauri gum, and has been found of special value in waterproof priming for cement. The tree is climatically adapted for cultivation in the Southern States, and the Department of Agriculture is distributing one-year-old specimens to bona fide experimenters.

Italy's Telephone Service.

[Indianapolis News:] Under an act of the Italian Parliament of July 15, 1907, the telephone service in the larger cities of the kingdom was taken over by the government through the purchase of the plants of the largest two operating companies. Several smaller companies were allowed to continue operations for ten years before being taken over. The government operates the principal long-distance lines and has exchanges in sixty-nine cities. On June 30, 1913, the number of government subscribers was 51,828, and of subscribers to private lines 24,233.

Bertillon's Heavy Brain.

[Indianapolis News:] Dr. Alphonse Bertillon, head of the criminal identification bureau of the Paris prefecture of police, left his skull by will to the Academy of Medicine. Dr. Manouvrier has dissected the bequest and finds that the brain weighs 1525 grams, as against the weight of the normal brain of 1300 grams. The weight is regarded as all the more remarkable when it is remembered that Dr. Bertillon had for a long time suffered from pernicious anaemia.

Memorie, of Many Gen

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with the presence of a god and s... life in adoration, in offering ... to. Perspiration? No, 100 per cent. ... ration! There was never a ... made on canvas, nor a line ... has lived—that was produced by ... tion. Perspiration is animal, and ... spiration is frequently all the ... see. "He perspires," they say, and ... the god he is down before in pure ...

Yet the average man and ... nothing of this side of Bohemia. ... know only of the grisettes, and ... absinthe, and of the riotous ... the authors of best sellers. ... would be quite impossible for them ... The child of the golden calf ... Latin Quarter, and what does he ... grinning mask. Giftless child, ... never see more, but do not ... grinning mask—for Bohemia.

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...ms that dance and quiver, like
...eams on a river,
...through the misty shadows of the
...s of the past;
...d argosies of gold, freighted in the
...of old,
...ing down the ocean surges with
...ail and towering mast;
...ms in the sail, gilding lavished
...e rail,
...g decks upon the ocean 'neath the
...ld flag of Spain;
...ished with smiles and tears,
...dy decks and buccaneers;
...s of the long-dead voyages that
...ll never go again.

...e here or did we dream? Does
...ersant fancy scheme?
...e really see her flying on that wan-
...manner day?
...rowded to the mast, while we
...anted her fast,
...er shot stormed hard behind her
...he backed her yard and lay.
...r memory serve us clear, that we
...her stark and drear—
...and yards a sheet of flame against
...darkened western sky?
...ested of their gold, cargo gutted
...her hold,
...e godly crew that manned her all
...own or left to die.

...vision serve us right; by the blaz-
...ay's light?—
...swords and smoking torches—
...we plundered Panama.
...eel and tramp of feet; swirling
...and stifling heat—
...men of many nations, drawn to
...from afar.
...awry, heaving brine, in the heat
...the line;
...ds of calms upon us, topmasts
...'gainst the sky.
...along the side, where the grim
...s glide,
...waiting, ever waiting, for the
...and frightened cry.

...pic isles that rise, thrashing
...ups 'gainst the skies;
...reefs and fighting breakers in
...of foam and spray;
...so still and wide, where a ship
...safely ride,
...gleam of branching coral deep
...h us as we lay.
...remembered fight—full a day
...half a night—
...fought and sunk the "Trinity"
...apulco Bay.
...bellowed blistering hot; air that
...with humming shot;
...sent her to the bottom long be-
...the break of day.

...memories of the Main, days that
...will come again,
...fancy, truth or vision—who may
...or who may say?
...force the vanished years; bridge
...the hopes and fears;
...or live again the lifetimes that
...has swept away?
...sunlight and of shade, misty
...that wax and fade—
...and battle, tears and laughter,
...suns and driving rain;
...pectres of the past; misty, misty
...that haunt and last—
...years have slipped behind us and
...ages call in vain.

MARSHAL SOUTH.

Supplication.

...ord or deed each day
...a brother on his way;
...a prayer; O Lord, I ask
...and strength to do a task
...some living thing!
...sunshine, let me light
...some way of another's night;
...least may I be kind,
...my thoughts of the poor dumb
...all not lived in vain!

JO HARTMAN.

The Old Tract Gang.

'Twas just an ould photograph, faded an' yellow,
Long treasured in somebody's album, Oi know,
But from it came mimories, sacred an' mellow,
Thot gave me back fri'nds av a glad long ago.

It brought to me moind th' ould thrack gang, begorra,
Thim b'ys as well knew how a rail should be laid;
Thim lads as could work all tonoight an' tomorrow,
Thin shpit on their hands an' go livel a grade.

Though humble an' poor, they were min, let me tell ye,
Wid gintlemen's proide in their sinew an' bone;
Their hearts were as babes if a sorrow befell ye,
But pity they'd not for a blackgyard or drone.

Down there on th' thrack wid their shovels an' gauges,
Their picks an' their crowbars av hefty desoign.
Ye heard not a word about history's pages,
But: "Squint at thot rail, lads, an' get it in loine."

Shure they had no derricks or fancy invintions
For liftin' the rails from th' top av th' car;
They used Oirish muscles av Trojan diminsions
An' tumbled thim off wid th' aid av a bar.

They tamped ties an' laughed av their own youthful glory
Whin they wint a-sparkin' on Erin's ould sod;
They paused now an' thin for th' joke av a shtory
An' pitied poor divils thot carried th' hod.

At noon, whin th' boss sounded truce for an hour,
Their dinner pails filled iv'ry innermost nade;
Thin, peaceful an' calm as a midsummer shower,
They smoked their dudeens in th' cool av th' shade.

But thim was th' ould days, days sacred an' mellow,
Whin thracklayin' shkill was a virtue, begob,
So take off yer hat to ould ganius, young fellow;
Thim b'ys could build railroad—an' loaf on th' job!

—[Indianapolis News.

The Sea.

In you are all the little streams
That came so far to reach your breast.
You were the center of their dreams,
Where now they lie at rest.

They lie like chords across your heart,
Invisible to mortal eye,
But the wind knows them all apart,
And as he passes by

He touches them with careful hands,
He plays the harp of the great sea,
An instrument none understands
Nor loves so well as he.

II.

At midnight when on land the dead arise,
Creeping through the long grass like fireflies,
The drowned come up and walk upon the sea,
And live a little while in memory.

And it is strange to see them walking there,
With shells and seaweed tangled in their hair.

I heard one speak in that immensity.
He said: "The sea does not seem strange to me,
"But as a friend that I have known for years
Its salt is like the savor of my tears."

—[Louise Driscoll in May Smart Set.

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HUMOR.

[Judge:] Hostess: I am glad you children decided to come for dinner.

Little Josie: We didn't tum for dinner; we tum to hear Willie's grandpa eat his soup.

[Boston Transcript:] Mrs. Youngbride: I'd like some fish, please. What are these in the barrel?

Clerk: Salt mackerel, ma'am.

Mrs. Youngbride: Are they quite fresh?

[Yonkers Statesman:] Professor: Now, have I proved anything to you by these statistics?"

Student: Yes, professor, you have proved to me that statistics are a bore.

[Chicago News:] Reporter: I hear a wild man was seen roaming about in a swamp here.

Native: Yes; be was a city man, trying to locate a choice building lot he's just bought!

[Madrid Blanco y Negro:] "Have no doubt about it; where there is most danger in case of accident is in the rear cars."

"Then why do you put such cars on the trains?"

[Philadelphia Record:] She: Don't you think secrets are lots of fun?

He: Sure. A man gets almost as much pleasure out of keeping a secret as a woman gets from telling one.

[London Opinion:] Grannie: Why should I take another chair, Gerald? Don't you think I'm comfortable here?

Gerald: Yes, gran'ma; but I'm afraid my little kitten isn't—she's there, too.

[London Tit-Bits:] The young man, leading a dog by a string, lounged up to the ticket office of a railway station and inquired: "Must I—aw—take a ticket for a puppy?"

"No; you can travel as an ordinary passenger," was the reply.

[Detroit Free Press:] "She's head over heels in love with him."

"That so?"

"Yes, she's got to the point where she can't see how she can possibly live without the automobile he owns.

[Washington Star:] "With telephones and automobiles," said the economist, "the farmer will soon be entirely independent of the city."

"Never," replied Mrs. Corntossel. "We'll always have to be going to town—unless they discover some way of sending moving pictures by mail."

[Florida Times Union:] "Oh, Clara, we will have to say good-by. I am called out of town on urgent business."

"Oh, George——"

"But before I go, dear, I want to take a lock of your hair with me."

"Why, of course, George—here is a lock from my new green wig."

[Louisville Courier-Journal:] "Here's a critic says the drama is in its second childhood."

"I notice it has taken to playing in the mud."

[Boston Transcript:] "Bobbie, why did you take your little sister's candy and eat it? Why didn't you ask her if you could have it?"

"Why, I did, mamma, and she said I couldn't."

[Judge:] "What are you making such a fuss about? I thought being executor of an estate was a soft thing."

"Perhaps it is sometimes. But I have to wind up the affairs of a clockmaker."

[Puck:] "Why won't Miss Wombat dance with you? She seems to avoid you. Is she angry with you?"

"No; but I'm trying to get a chance to propose and it looks as if she knows it."

[Yonkers Statesman:] Bill: I see a Philadelphia scientist is on his way to the Hawaiian Islands to spend three months studying the habits, evolution and variations of tree snails.

Jill: Oh, well, they'll wait for him.

[Kansas City Journal:] "Then your Arctic expedition was a fizzle?"

"Not absolutely. I didn't get enough material for a two-hour lecture, it is true. But I think I can break into vaudeville with a twenty-minute talk."

[Detroit Free Press:] "I thought yo" women met to study history, not to gossip."

"Well, after discussing Henry VIII and his numerous divorces, it seemed squeamish to balk at the details of a few divorces in our more immediate circle."

LOS ANGELES WEATHER.

[From The Times of April 22, 1914.]

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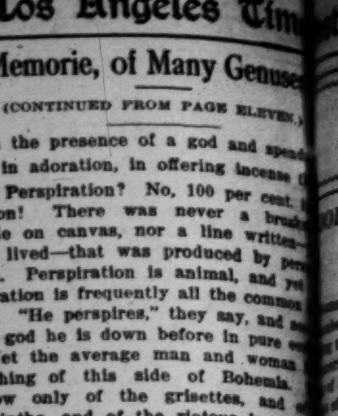
Memorie, of Many Genuses

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with the presence of a god and spend... life in adoration, in offering incense ... to. Perspiration? No, 100 per cent. ... ration! There was never a brush... made on canvas, nor a line written... has lived—that was produced by per... tion. Perspiration is animal, and yet ... spiration is frequently all the common ... see. "He perspires," they say, and ... the god he is down before in pure ... Yet the average man and woman ... nothing of this side of Bohemia. ... know only of the grisettes, and ... absinthe, and of the riotous inventi... the authors of best sellers. Probab... would be quite impossible for them to ... The child of the golden calf goes ... Latin Quarter, and what does he see ... grinning mask. Giftless child, you ... never see more, but do not mistake ... grinning mask—for Bohemia.

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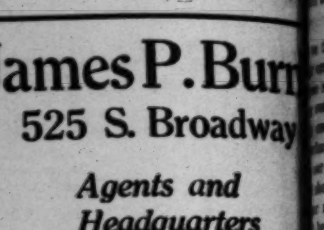
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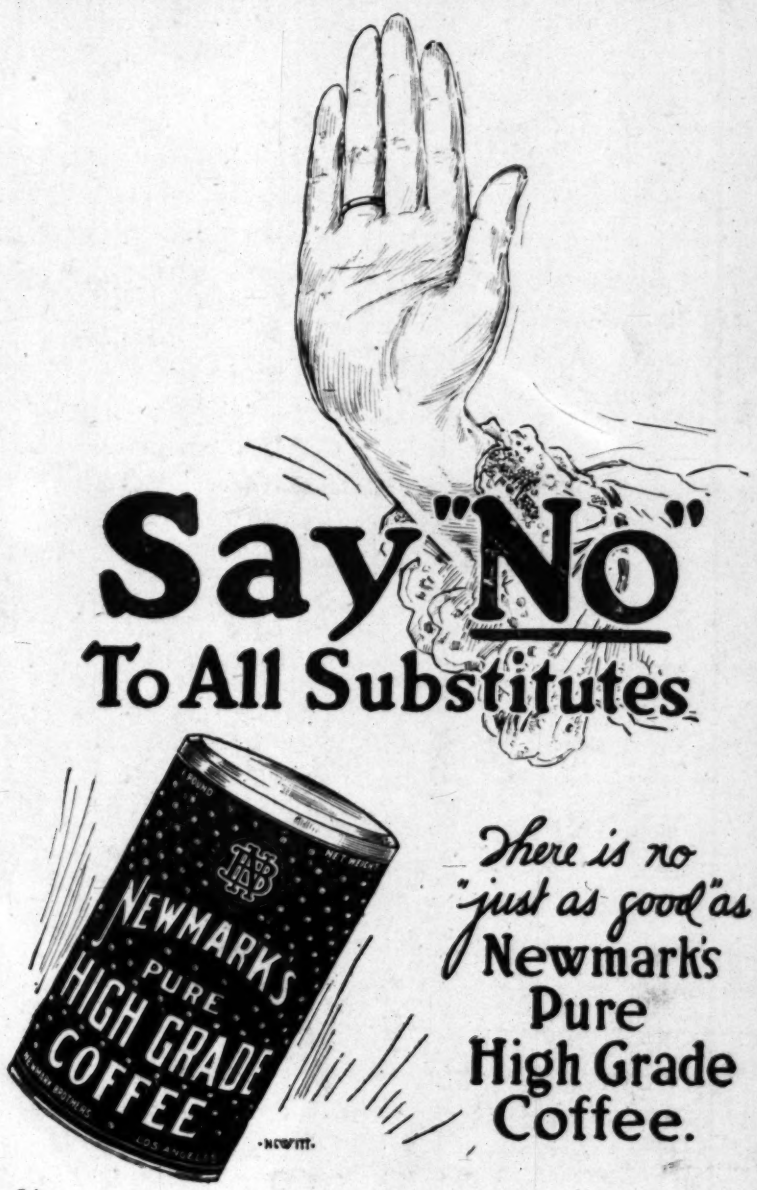
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